

NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER | 2024



REMEMBRANCE DAY:

GSS Remembrance Day Ceremony
Friday November 8th at 10:45 AM

VOLLEYBALL FINALS:

Click [here](#) to find Volleyball dates!

NOVEMBER BREAK:

No School -November 11th-15th

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS:

November 20th 4:00PM-8:00PM

Bookings Open November 8th at
4:00PM



NOVEMBER IS A MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE. 
LET US HONOR THOSE WHO HAVE SERVED OUR COUNTRY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST

Grade 7/8 Griffins will be heading to the Millet cemetery to lay poppies on veterans grave stones with the No Stone Left Alone Memorial Foundation.

NO STONE LEFT ALONE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION

A Foundation dedicated to honoring and remembering
Canada's veterans.

This unique ceremony provides students and youth with an authentic experience that creates knowledge, understanding and appreciation of those who serve and of the sacrifice of
Canada's fallen.

INDIGENOUS VETERANS DAY- NOVEMBER 8TH

Click [HERE](#) to learn more

GRIFFITH SCOTT SCHOOL REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH : 10:45AM

PARENTS & COMMUNITY WELCOME

CLASS HIGHLIGHTS

NOVEMBER

2024

GRADE 1/2 - GREKUL

We have been super busy in our class learning letters and names with the grade 1s and focusing on mastering digraphs with the grade 2s. In our writing we've focused on writing complete sentences. We've written telling, asking, and exclamatory sentences. We've been working on learning our numbers to 20 and to 1000. We enjoyed a visit from the fire department and Constable Schulz, painting scarecrows and decorating pumpkins. We look forward to our break and lots more learning in November!



GRADE 1 - SENDECKI

The grade ones have had a busy month learning the names and sounds of the alphabet letters as well as some digraphs through our Jolly Phonics program. We are also learning to sound out words by chunking out the sounds we hear. In math, we have been working on patterns, calendar skills, counting to 20 and writing our numbers to 20. We enjoyed learning about fire safety and meeting some of the firemen that work in our community. We are looking forward to Halloween and our upcoming November break! Please make sure you practice the word lists and review our Jolly Phonics sounds daily.

CLASS HIGHLIGHTS

GRADE 2 - GOODRICH

It has been a great start to the year. We have been working on mapping and learning about community in Social Studies and expanding our knowledge of Matter in Science. In Language, we have been focusing on mastering digraphs and grammar. In our writing, we've focused on writing complete sentences and adding more details. In Math, we have been working on Place Value and showing numbers in a variety of different ways. We have been working on how to be a good friend and showing respect.

GRADE 5 - SNOWDEN

In grade five, we are working to establish a writing community in the classroom. We are thrilled to announce our Global Read Aloud event! This year, we will be reading "And Then Boom" by Lisa Fipps. We will receive postcards from other schools participating in the Global Read Aloud, fostering friendships and sharing perspectives.

Grade fives continue to develop number sense using whole numbers to ten million and flexibility with numbers. Students are encouraged to explore ideas and ask questions to foster mathematical curiosity. Multiplication facts are another essential part of fifth grade. Knowing your times tables and recalling them quickly will help students in many areas of math and beyond.

Fifth grade has also been learning about weather and how fascinating it is and something we experience every day. But how do we measure it? That's where instruments come in, with simple materials, grade fives have been building instruments and have had fun learning how they work.



CLASS HIGHLIGHTS



GR 7 & 8 ELA:

7s and 8s have been engaging with an identity theme for our first unit in ELA.

This has involved experience with various texts, including short stories, poems, songs, as well as short and full-length films. Students have engaged in mini-lessons on annotation skills, plot and literary elements. We have responded in a variety of ways, including socratic seminar, whole-class and small group discussion, as well as a variety of written responses and graphic designs.

Most recently, students have engaged in a "Soundtrack of my Life," comprehensive assignment as a unit summary assessment. This involved curating five songs to connect to significant events in their lives or qualities they possess, explaining the significance of their choices, and designing a unique album cover for their soundtrack.

They will soon engage in their first project-based learning task. Stay tuned for more updates regarding this! Our next units will diverge and change focus to full-length novel studies.

WETASKIWIN HOCKEY ACADEMY

Ice time is underway for our Millet WHA students! We are excited to welcome our Pigeon Lake, Winfield, and Lakedell students joining our Grade 7/8 group until mid-January. We are very happy with how the students are progressing so far this year!

SCHOOL-WIDE UPCOMING EVENTS

GRIFFITH'S SCOTT CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Monday, December 16th at 6:30pm



WRPS SMASHBALL TOURNAMENT


Get ready for some exciting action! WRPS is hosting a Smashball Tournament for Grades 4-6 at the Wetaskwin Drill Hall on November 5th from 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM. Come cheer on our talented athletes as they compete for the championship title!

ICP FALL CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH + PARENTING SUMMIT



**VIRTUAL | NOVEMBER
18TH-21ST**

**Re-Charge Your Parenting Battery for FREE at
Children's Mental Health + Parenting Summit
16 Experts** discussing incredible topics: ADHD, Parental Resiliency, Early Autism Intervention, + so much more!



Winterfest Tradeshow & Market at Griffiths-Scott School


Saturday November 30th
11:00am -3:00 pm
4612 51st Millet



Free Entry

Over 20 local vendors to shop from

Accepting Items for the food bank



2024 MILLET WINTER EVENTS

Saturday, November 23th

CRAFT MARKET

Hosted By The Millet Legion 11am-4pm

SANTA CLAUS PARADE

Sponsored by the Millet Business Association- 6PM

Saturday, November 30th

CEREAL WITH SANTA AND A MOVIE

Sponsored by the Millet Business Association 8am - 11am

TOWN OF MILLET WINTER FESTIVAL

2pm-6pm includes: Pictures with Santa, Glitter Tattoos, Kids secret market, Sleigh rides, supper and much more!

FOLLOWED BY

Lighting up the Community tree and Millet Fire Hall!



UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENT



The CPR Holiday Train is coming to Millet on **December 11th** at approximately **7:00 pm!** Organizers are already busy planning the event and will advise as plans are confirmed!

Calvary Baptist Church Presents:

Nov 29th, 30th & Dec 1st

Door's Open from 6:30pm - 8:30pm

Live Animals

Live Actors

An Evening in
Bethlehem

Enjoy the real meaning
of Christmas with your
friends or family

Experience an Outdoor
and indoor Guided tour
through Bethlehem

Cost: Non-Perishable donation for the Wetaskiwin Food Bank

Refreshments will be served

Location: Calvary Baptist Church
4910 Northmount Drive, Wetaskiwin
(1/4 Mile west of Wetaskiwin Hospital)

780-352-3818

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COMMUNITY EVENTS



November Home Games

Saturday Nov.16 - 8:00pm vs Mornville Kings

Saturday Nov.23 - 8:00pm vs Bonnyville Sr Pontiacs

Saturday Nov.30 - 8:00pm vs Stony Plain Eagles

Wetaskiwin Co-op Place



Sunday Nov.3 - 6:00pm vs Sherwood Park Knights

Friday Nov.8 - 7:30pm vs Fort Sask Hawks

Friday Nov.29 - 7:30pm vs Fort Sask Hawks

Wetaskiwin Co-op Place



Saturday Nov.2 - 7:30pm vs CR Knights

Friday Nov.15 - 8:15pm vs St Albert Comets

Millet Agriplex



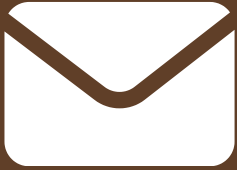
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