



**New Hazelton Elementary
'A Community of Engaged Learners'**

New Hazelton Elementary School seeks to provide students with positive learning and social experiences which will enable them to participate successfully in our society.

NEW HAZELTON ELEMENTARY GARDEN ENHANCEMENT PROJECT IS UNDERWAY

We were blessed with receiving a \$2000.00 grant from the Whole Kids Foundation to be used to upgrade our garden and create more boxes so that each class can garden. We received an additional \$2000.00 courtesy of the winter fundraiser gala that took place that was organized by the Local Healthy Foods to School Project Committee.

Cedar wood will be arriving soon to be made into 12 planter boxes. The staff are organizing a work bee in the near future. If you are available and interested in supporting us, call the school, 250-842-5777 and we will put you on a list to call when the event happens.

If you have any gardening tools that you would like to donate, please let us know or drop them off at the school.

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GRADE 7 FUND RAISER

This Saturday, June 9th at the Tourist Booth, the Grade 7s will be having a Car Wash, Bottle Drive, Bake Sale and Father's Day Raffle. Please come and join us between 10 am and 2 pm. Eat baked goods while your car is being washed, drop off recycling, and enter the draw. Donations appreciated!

Funds raised will go towards their year-end celebration at the theatre and a pizza party.

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BREAKFAST PROGRAM

8:00 AM

MORNING FUN & FIT

8:10 AM

OUTSIDE SUPERVISION

8:35 AM

PEANUT FREE SCHOOL ZONE

FINAL DAYS TO DO LIST

Library book exchange ends this week. Please return all books next week. Look around and see if you have any books that were lost but now found and return them as well.

Lost & Found continues to grow. Three times a year we donate it to the Thrift Store. Please come in sometime to look and see if your child's long lost items are here.

Bus registrations— 6 registrations still outstanding!

Kindergarten - Mrs. Kern

Hello from Room 12,

Our year is quickly coming to a close. We are busy trying to squeeze in as much learning as we can into these last days.

In Math, we have been learning about graphs and how they are used to represent information. We have been showing how a number can be made up of 2 sets of things, and discussing how some events are likely or unlikely to happen.

Last week, our butterflies emerged from their chrysalides and we released them to a lilac bush. The Kindergartens now know a big word "metamorphosis" – this is the name for the change that took place when the caterpillars turned into butterflies. Yesterday, the students planted bean seeds. We are thankful to Lily and Clare for helping us with this.

For writing, we have been making entries in a "Wildflowers of Hazelton" journal. We look at, draw and write about local flowers.

As this is a time of assessment, I am happy to see the progress that many of the students have made. Thank you, parents and guardians, for taking the time to read to and with your child. It pays off!

Mrs. Kern

Grade 6 - Ms. Plewak

Our field trip is booked for Tuesday June 26. The students will be swimming and having pizza and games at the park. We have also looking into bowling if there is available time. The cost of the trip will be roughly \$20.00 per student. When I finalize the plan I will send home a note and permission slip.

The students have completed the storytelling project and I have sent the final report to SET BC. The feed back so far has been very positive. The students worked very hard and they should be congratulated for their work. They will upload their videos to FreshGrade this week.

We are working on a unit in poetry this month and completing our independent novel study. We will also complete a short unit in Social Studies on Citizenship and the Syrian Refugee experience. In math we are completed the consumer math unit and starting a short unit on geometric shapes.

Have a great week.

Ms Plewak

FNSW— Mrs. Olson

I would like once again to thank parents and staff for donating money and breakfast food to our breakfast program. It was greatly appreciated and needed. I am hoping you will continue your generosity come September 2018/19.

Everyone have a good summer holiday and will see you in September.

Grade 5 - Mr. Schwab

Welcome to June. Our class just completed our class election. Soon we will learn how a bill is passed in the legislature.

Sport's Day for the upper grade classes will be Friday June 22nd or in the case of rain Monday June 25th.

My class will be having a bake sale to raise funds toward our year end activities. Suggestions for the bake sale would be things like: bannock, cookies, cupcakes, rice crispy squares, brownies etc. The bake sale will be This Thursday June 7th, 2018 from 12:30 pm to 12:55pm.

Please remember our school has a no peanut product policy. Please include a list of ingredients with the baked items .

This bake sale will be open to the school.

We encourage all students or staff to bring some money and enjoy a treat!

Items will cover a range of prices. But no more then \$5.

Reminder: As our days have gotten longer please help your child get: 8 to 10 hours of sleep.

Three key messages that lead to success: Letting your child know that you love them, that they are valuable and they can succeed .

Lastly, that your love for them involves limits , these limits are there to protect them .

Looking forward to a wonderful June!

LICE CHECKS TOOK PLACE TODAY

We have some classes with quite a few cases of lice. Please check your child's hair daily for a few days and then weekly. Use the LiceMeister comb it is great. We have them at the school.



Birthdays

Bryan Sebastian	Jun 6
Hertha Starr	Jun 6
Heidi van den Heuvel	Jun 10
Gordon Fan	Jun 15
Bailey Holland	Jun 16
Irene Liu	Jun 22
Jordin Wilson	Jun 30
Fiona Fan	Jul 4
Liam Hilbach	Jul 4
Hugh Kollman-Leduc	Jul 8
Ryder West	Jul 8
Lily Hobenshield	Jul 9
Tia Hilbach	Jul 10
Dustin Jackson-Brown	Jul 11

LIBRARY AND BOOK EXCHANGE

Our Librarian is Ms. Hart and our Librarian Assistant is Mrs. Spooner. They can be reached at 250-842-5777 ext. 3005.



Every week students are entitled to take books out of the library as long as they return them on a weekly basis. We'd like to remind students and family members to keep books in a book bag separate from lunch bag, and to wash and dry their hands before reading.

Kindergarten, Grade 1 and Grade 3/4 students return books on Wednesdays.

Grade 2/3, Grade 5 and Grade 6 students return books on Thursdays.

Grade 3 and Grade 7 students return books on Fridays.

If you would like your child to take their library book home please return the permission slip that was in the package sent home Monday.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

1. The speed limit is maximum 10 mph in the back parking lot when used.
2. Please remember that the transportation of medications are not permitted through the school with your children.
3. The only drinks students are allowed to have in the school during their day are 'fruit juices' and 'water'. All other drinks like 'powerades', 'slushies', 'pop' vitamin drinks, ice tea, etc. will be confiscated and disposed of.

1. Please remember that IF you come to the school to pick up your child for an impromptu appointment, report to the office and either Mrs. Olson, Ms. Campbell, or Mrs. Harris will send for your child.

Thank you Parents for assisting us to keep your children safe and healthy.

First Nations Support Workers

Mrs. Olson works with the Grade 3/4, 5, 6, and 7 classes this year and she can be reached at 250-842-5777 ext. 3002.

Mrs. Snider works with the Grade K, 1, 2/3, and 3 classes this year and she can be reached at 250-842-5777 ext. 3013.

HOMEWORK CLUB

Mrs. Snider runs a homework club for our students. Students can go there independently or be referred by their classroom teacher. If you have concerns about your child's homework, or would like your child to go to homework club, please talk with your child's teacher and Mrs. Snider.

Runs from 12:30 pm to 12:55 pm, on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.



Ways to keep informed and in touch!

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UPCOMING EVENTS



- June 9 Grade 7 Fundraiser
- June 13 Grade One Field Trip
- June 19 Grade Three and Seven Field Trip
- June 18 Aboriginal Day Celebration at school
- June 20 Grade 2/3 & 3/4 Field Trip
Grade 7 Go to high school, 1 pm
- June 21 National Aboriginal Day
Grade K & 1—Ross Lake field trip
- June 22 Intermediate Sports Day
- races in the afternoon
- June 26 Grade 6 Field Trip
- June 27 Year-end Assembly—11:00 am

For Your Information.....

Office Hours

Mrs. Harris will be in the office from 8:40 am to 2:30 pm. Her break is at 10:40 for 15 minutes and her lunch is at 11:30 am to 12:15 pm. If you are calling to leave a message for your child, like alternative plans for getting home, please call no later than 2:15 pm, otherwise we can't guarantee your child getting the message.

⇒ As parents, you can appreciate how hectic it gets when organizing your own child to go places. Here we have 161 children to organize,



and sometimes the end of the day can be a little busy. We would like to remind all parents about our end of the day routines.

- 1) If picking up your child, please wait outside the boot room doors. All children will be exiting the school from the boot room. Please use the back parking lot for pick up.
- 2) If your child has a change to their routine (not taking bus, or taking the bus), please send a note with your child that morning or call the school before 2:30 p.m.

Your presence at the school and your understanding with regards to our routines is appreciated. Thank you.

Head Lice

Parents & Guardians have the responsibility to take an active role in the prevention of head lice outbreaks by: a) frequently checking your child's head for lice or nits. 2) talking to your child about not sharing hats, brushes, helmets, hair accessories and other personal items. 3) tying back long hair. It is important that we work together to control head lice. If your child has lice, please ensure the proper steps are taken to get rid of them. Should you require support for medications, the public health unit may be able to provide treatments and information on prevention.

If you are interested in volunteering at the school please let Ms. Campbell know. A group of parents would like to support the school and come in to do head checks on a regular basis.

If we notice that your child has lice, we will calling home so that families can immediately tend to their child.