



Echo Place School

November 2016 News



Ms. C. Innes

Vice Principal

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Pause to Remember

11-11-11

Homework Club

Available for Junior and Intermediate students, in the library from 3:00-3:30pm. Please ask for a permission form from the office if you would like your child to attend.



Vice Principal's Message

Happy November! A big "thank you" goes out to our whole school community for showing compassion and donating to the food bank throughout the month of October. This month, our students are challenged to demonstrate **Perseverance**.

Students will be bringing home their Progress Reports on November 16th. This is a formative report to parents that communicates your child's level of progress demonstrated so far this term. Comments will be written for literacy and numeracy curriculum areas. We look forward to hosting parent-teacher conferences in the afternoon and evening on Thursday, November 17th and in the morning on Friday, November 18th. A preference form will be going home today, for parents to indicate their preferred interview time and day. The interview schedule will be created to coordinate times for families with multiple children at the school. Please be sure to visit the Scholastic Book Fair when you are here for your conference. This will be a great opportunity to buy gifts for the holidays.

We are very excited to be hosting a Family Math Night on Tuesday, November 29th. We hope all of our families will come and participate in the **Amazing Math Race**, beginning at 5:30pm. This will be a fun and informative event where parents and children can explore math problems, using math manipulatives, and win prizes. Our Home and School committee will be providing refreshments. More information will be coming home closer to the event. We hope you will save the date!

Progress Reports go home on Wed. Nov. 16th

Parent-Teacher Interviews: Thurs. Nov. 17th & Fri. Nov. 18th



Our Kindergarten class proudly displaying all the healthy food they purchased for the Food Bank, with the proceeds from their Lemonade Stand. Thanks to all who purchased lemonade for this important cause.



**Winner of the
Golden Dustpan
Award for October...**

**Mrs. Woodley's
Class**

Grade 1/2

Presented by our custodian

Ms. Reading

Warm Winter Clothing Drive

Nov. 1st – Dec. 23rd, 2016

We will again be collecting new and gently used winter clothing at the school for students who need a little extra to stay warm. Please send hats, mitts, scarves, jackets, snow pants and boots to the office throughout November and December. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



Important Dates for November:

- Nov. 2: School Photo Re-take Day
- Nov. 3: Grade 1/2 Classes to Taquanyah
- Nov. 4: Grade 4/5, 6/7 to Taquanyah
Random Act of Kindness Day
- Nov. 7: Parent Conference Preference
Forms due
- Nov. 11: Remembrance Day Assembly
Pizza Day
- Nov. 15: Book Fair opens
- Nov. 16: Progress Reports go home
- Nov. 17: Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Nov. 18: PD Day / Conferences cont'd
- Nov. 21: Book Fair closes
- Nov. 23: Vaccination Day (Gr. 7/8)
- Nov. 25: GEDSB Accessibility Awareness Day
Awards Assembly 2:00pm
Pizza Day
- Nov. 28: Earth Rangers Presentation
- Nov. 29: Family Math Night 5:30-6:30pm



Congratulations to all of our October Assembly Award Winners

Scholastic Book Fair

November 15 – 22

**The book fair will be open during
Parent-Teacher interviews. This
will be a great time to do some
Christmas shopping.**