

School starts @ 8:50am
School ends @ 3:10pm

Principal
David Van Laecke

Vice-Principal
Tatum Shantz

School Secretaries
Nancy Wallace
Victoria Aussem

Lakewood Upcoming Events:

Nov 1 @ 6 pm Parent Council Meets via ZOOM

Nov 5 – Progress reports and Kindergarten Communication of Learning (Initial observations) sent home

Nov 11 – Dress your Best for Remembrance Day. Our school ceremony will be conducted over the PA system.

Nov 12 – PA Day (no school for students)

Nov 19 – Spirit Day: Dress to show your Favourite Sports Team

Nov 26 – Photo Retake Day



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Inspire

November 2021

Parent-Teacher interviews

This year, Parent-Teacher interviews will be conducted by phone throughout the week of November 8 (no in-person interviews). Following receipt of your child's report on November 5, please e-mail your child's teacher if you want an opportunity to discuss your child's progress. In your e-mail, indicate the best number to be reached as well as your available times.

Reminder – Please do not park in our daycare's designated parking when dropping off/picking up your elementary school child(ren).

Bullying Awareness and Prevention Week

Bullying Awareness and Prevention Week – November 15-19, 2021 – Ontario students, school staff and parents are encouraged to learn more about bullying and its effect on student learning and well-being. At Lakewood, classroom activities and daily announcements will augment our continued work to enhance healthy relationships.

Bullying is defined as a form of repeated, persistent and aggressive behaviour directed at an individual or individuals that is intended to cause (or should be known to cause) fear and distress and/or harm to another person's body, feelings, self-esteem or reputation. Bullying occurs in a context where there is a real or perceived power imbalance.

Forms of bullying include:

- **Physical** – hitting, shoving, stealing or damaging property
- **Verbal** – name calling, mocking, or making sexist, racist or homophobic comments
- **Social** – excluding others from a group or spreading gossip or rumours
- **Electronic** (commonly known as **cyberbullying**) – spreading rumours and hurtful comments through the use of cellphones, e-mail, text messaging and through social media.

Lakewood Parent Council

Last month, our Parent Council elections resulted in the formation of this year's group: Chair – Kara Haist, Co-Chair – Shannon Clarke, Treasurer – Melissa Mummery, Secretary – Marie Poss

Join our virtual meeting on November 1, 2021 at 6 pm
All parents are encouraged to participate!

www.zoom.us Meeting ID 847 8204 2483 Passcode: DqEV3r

Character Focus for November is Perseverance