

BLACKVILLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2015



Peanut Safe

Blackville School is a "Peanut Safe" School Environment. We ask that parents refrain from packing foods that may contain peanuts.

Picture Retakes

October 26



Yearbook staff is already busy collecting photos and information. Pre-ordering for 2016 yearbooks will be coming soon



Journalism 120 class is starting to update the online School newspaper, The Blackville Talon. Make sure to check it out at www.theblackvilletalon.com

Kindergarten Registration Week - October 13-16, 2015

Registration for children entering Kindergarten in September 2016 will be held from October 13th-16th at your community school. Parents are reminded that Kindergarten attendance in 2016-2017 is compulsory for children born in 2011, except if a child is born between September 1st and December 31st of that year. These children have the option of starting Kindergarten the following year. If you have a child entering Kindergarten next year, visit the main office between 8:30 am-3:00 pm to have him or her registered. **Proof of immunization, birth certificate and Medicare cards** are required at the time of registration. It is important that your child be registered at this time in order to receive information needed for pre-school screening and successful transition into school for September 2016.

Movie Night, October 7th

K-2—6:00pm to 7:30 pm—Alvin and the Chipmunks meet Frankenstein

3-5—7:45pm to 9:00 pm—The Magic Puppy

6-8—9:15 to 10:45—Hocus Pocus

\$5.00 admission includes movie, drink and popcorn

Grade 8 Store is open on Fridays where students can buy ice cream for \$1



October 30

Dress up Day

No Masks & Dress Code applies

School Clothing

Order forms will be going home with your child soon. Be sure to check out the new selection of items!

Guidance News

A reminder to all grade 12 students and their parents/guardians that information on scholarships and university and college open houses/information sessions will be emailed out. If you would like to be added to the email list please provide Mrs. Breau with your email address. The information will also be available on Mrs. Breau's teacher page. Please check it regularly

Attention students in grade 10, 11 or 12 SHAD is now accepting applications. SHAD participants will live on campus at a host university for the month of July. During that time students will be immersed in a STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) based learning environment. Learning will take place through lectures, workshops, labs and group projects. For more information see Mrs. Breau

Middle School Dance

October 15th

6:30 to 8:00

Canteen available

Cost \$5

Popcorn Sales

High School October 16

Middle School October 23

Elementary October 30

Reminder

Energy Drinks are not permitted at school, we appreciate your cooperation with this.



Pay attention to the "BHS 2015-2016" facebook page for any updates on October games/activities

Trick or Eat

The week of October 26-30 will be "Trick or Eat" Week. Can food donations will be accepted in support of our local food bank.

Bus Transfer Requests

In an effort to make transfers happen smoothly, we are asking that you send a written request to the school with your child indicating the **address** your child is going to, as well as the bus they need to travel on to get there. These notes will be processed by the secretary each day. Bus transfers **will not** be granted for social purposes. **Students will be allowed one alternate address that bus passes will be written for.**

Telephone requests are for emergency cases **ONLY!**

PSSC Meeting Monday Evening,
October 5th at 6:00 pm



Below you will find a sample of the bus note that is available for print on our school website

<http://blackville.nbed.nb.ca/> This is to help insure that we have the correct information needed to make sure that your child goes to where they need to be. If you require printed copies, please send a note with your child and we will be happy to send some home.



Bus Note



Student's Name _____

Address Going to: _____

Name of person: _____

Bus # (if known): _____

Signature of Parent _____

Phone Number to call if we have questions: _____

Parents are reminded to check in at the office when arriving at the school. If you are looking for your child, the secretary will call the classroom to have your child sent to the office. Please refrain from walking through the building as this is disruptive to classes. Thank you in advance for your cooperation

Home and School News

- **For every member that joins Home and School your name is entered in a draw for a 32 inch flat screen television...just because you are a paid member does not mean you have to participate in everything. This draw will take place on October 30, 2015. If you require a Home and School form some will be left at the school or contact Kelly Hallihan**
- **October 19-24th is Bus Driver Safety Week. Home and School will be putting on a breakfast for ALL bus drivers on October 21, 2015 at 8:00 am in the Blackville School Cafeteria.**
- **Home and School is seeking individuals who want to display their home in our annual Christmas Home Tours. The date has been set for November 28, 2015. If you are interested please contact Kelly Hallihan @ 778-0188 or Erica Maillet @ 625-1641**
- **Looking forward to another fantastic year at Blackville School**



Soccer Games

- October 1 Elementary **Gold** Team vs NSEE 3:45
Elementary **Blue** Team @ Nelson 4:45
CNBA @ **Blackville Senior boys** 4:30
- October 3 **High School boys** tournament in Chipman
- October 5 **High School girls** game at Stanley 4:30
MVHS @ **High School Boys** 4:30
- October 6 Elementary **Blue** Team vs NSEE 3:45
Elementary **Gold** Team @ Nelson
ERBSA @ **High School Girls** 4:30
High School boys @ ERBSA 5:10
- October 7 NSER @ **High School Boys** 4:30
- October 9 **High School Boys** @ DRHS 5:00
High School Girls @ CNBA 4:30
- October 12 **High School Boys** @ MVHS 4:30
- October 13 Elementary **Gold** Team vs Nelson 3:45
Elementary **Blue** Team @ NSEE 3:45
NSER @ **High School Girls** 4:30
- October 15 Elementary **Blue** Team vs Nelson 3:45
Elementary **Gold** Team @ Eel Ground 3:45
High School Girls @ ERBSA 4:30
High School Boys @ CNBA 4:30
- October 16 SHS @ **High School Boys** 1:00
- October 17 DRHS @ **High School Girls** 11:00
- October 19 ERBSA @ **High School Boys** 4:30
- October 21 CNBA @ **High School Girls** 4:30
- October 22 MVHS @ **High School Boys** 4:30
- October 24 DRHS @ **High School Boys** 2:00
- October 26 **High School Boys** @ SHS 4:30



Elementary Soccer Jamboree will be held mid to late October, a notice will be sent home when the jamboree schedule is finalized. Parents are to visit the webpage for updated information.

Middle School soccer fee \$50
High School soccer fee \$150
Payable ASAP

School Calendar

2015-2016



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| October | 8 | Professional Learning Day (All Schools Closed) |
| | 9 | Professional Learning Day (All Schools Closed) |
| | 12 | Thanksgiving Day |
| November | 11 | Remembrance Day |
| | 20 | Parent-Teacher Interviews (All Schools Closed) |
| December | 18 | Last day of classes (Christmas break) |
| January | 4 | School Improvement Day (All Schools Closed) |
| | 5 | First day for students |
| February | | |
| March | 7—11 | March Break |
| | 25 | Good Friday |
| | 28 | Easter Monday |
| April | 1 | Parent-Teacher Interviews (All Schools Closed) |
| May | 5 | NBTA Branch Meetings (All Schools Closed) |
| | 6 | NBTA Council Day (All Schools Closed) |
| | 23 | Victoria Day |
| June | 18 | Prom |
| | 20 | Baccalaureate |
| | 23 | Graduation |
| | 24 | Last Day for Students |
| | 28 | Last Day for Teachers |

Semester 1

Sept 8-Jan 29

Exams: Jan 25-29

Turnaround Days: Feb 1-2

* 2 Professional Learning Days to be determined

Semester 2

Feb 3– June 24

Exams: June 13-17

Grad Week: June 20-24



**HAPPY
HOWLOWEEN!**