

BARRHEAD COMPOSITE NEWSLETTER

November

Lest We Forget: Remembrance Day Ceremonies

On Tuesday, November 10th, the students will be participating in a Remembrance Day presentation at 2:10 pm. Poppies will be available from classroom teachers on Monday, November 9th or they can be obtained from the office. To show respect, we are asking everyone in the school to dress up and wear a poppy on that day. Please remember that there is no school on November 11th, 12th and 13th. The Legion Remembrance Day Ceremony will take place at 10:00 am on November 11th. The BCHS Wind Ensemble will perform.

Growing Opportunities School Expo

This year BCHS will be hosting the Growing Opportunities School Expo on Wednesday November 18th from 9:00 am until 3:30 pm. Students will be able to ask questions of post secondary institutions and local employers and visit various demonstrations and presentations such as the RCMP, Canadian Forces, Welding, Cosmetology, Xcalibre Paintball and various entrepreneurs. Regular classes will run through the day with students being scheduled to attend the various presentations. Parents are very welcome to attend.

Science in Motion

Mrs. Tansowny has booked the Telus World of Science Outreach Program "Making Science Come Alive" to come to our school on November 10th to present experiments for our students. Students will be given workshops on various topics such as simple machines, electricity, and chemistry.

School Sports

The volleyball season is nearly finished and the basketball season is about to begin. We need basketball coaches. Please call the school if you are interested in helping with basketball. We would like to thank our volleyball coaches and Mr. Callihoo for his help.

Jr. High Boys: Ashley Novikoff
Mrs. Bessette
Mrs. Kleinfeldt
Jr. High Girls: Ms. Enders, Mrs. Hack
Jr. High Jags Boys: Mr. Ferguson
Ms. deChamplain
Jr. High Jags Girls: Mrs. Sabiston
Constable Johnson
Sr. High Jr. Boys: Mr. Montgomery
Sr. High Jr. Girls: Mr. Lamothe,
Mrs. Lamothe
Sr High Boys: Mr. Rondeau
Mr. Ternan
Sr. High Girls: Mr. Becker

Report Cards

Progress reports will be mailed to parents on November 23. Look for them in the mail shortly after that date. Included in the envelope will be procedures and information that parents need to follow to log into our new student information system. Parents will be able to log into the system to check on their child's attendance and grades. Also included in the envelope will be the new FOIP form. Please sign the FOIP form and return it to the school. If you have any questions regarding the progress reports please call the school to talk to the teachers. The school staff is always willing to meet with you and your child at any time regarding academic issues.

Parent Council - We Need You

Please join us at our parent council meetings. Our executive for this year is:

President: Sharon Miller
Vice President: Alexis Kiselyk
Secretary: Terri Flemmer

Our next meeting will be November 24 in the BCHS library at 4:45 pm. There will be a short presentation by the English and Social departments regarding appropriate classroom resources. Thank you to Mrs. Key and the Foods class for providing the yummy snacks and coffee.

Junior High Spirit Group

The Spirit Group's focus is to promote responsible citizenship, support school activities, and foster school spirit. They have created a plan for the year with many activities for the junior high students including either a dance or a sock hop every month. We are all looking forward to pep rallies, beach days, hot chocolate days, talent shows, pie eating contests, wacky hair days and many others. In November there will be a wear-your-jersey day on November 18th, a volleyball pep rally on November 20th and an 80's theme sock hop on November 26th. Thank you to everyone who helped support the Spirit group by participating in the magazine campaign.

Check out the
school website:

www.barrheadcomposite.ca

Senior High Leadership Group

The Leadership Group wishes to thank the parents and community for the support of the gift wrap fundraising campaign. There are many activities planned for November. Wear your favorite jersey on November 18th. Parent volunteers are needed for the dance on December 10th, call Mrs. Bondarchuk.

The Leadership Group will be selling school clothing. Starting Tuesday November 3 until November 17th orders will be taken. Actual items will be available for sizing from November 9 to November 17th.

Grade Nine Students French Exchange

The grade nine students in the French program will be involved in a student exchange with Degelis High School in Degelis, Quebec in March and April, 2010. The students will be fundraising to help cover the cost of the exchange. Look for their many exciting products. Mrs. Bessette and Ms. deChamplain will answer any questions that you may have.



Early Dismissal November 25

Class schedule for early dismissal day:

High School	Junior High
Block one 8:55 am – 10:05 am	Period one 8:55 am – 9:30 am
	Period two 9:30 am – 10:05 am
Block two 10:10 am – 11:20 am	Period three 10:10 am – 10:45 am
	Period four 10:45 am – 11:20 am
Lunch 11:20 am – 12:05 pm	Period five 11:25 am – 12:00 noon
Block four 12:05 pm – 1:15 pm	Lunch 12:00 noon – 12:40 pm
	Period six 12:40 pm – 1:15 pm
Block five 1:20 pm – 2:30 pm	Period seven 1:20 pm – 1:55 pm
	Period eight 1:55 pm – 2:30 pm

Volunteers

We need parent volunteers. Please call the school if you would like to assist us.

Any Questions

Please call the school if you have any questions regarding your child or the operation of the school, (780) 674-8522.

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BARRHEAD COMPOSITE NOVEMBER CALENDAR ... 2009

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
School Photo Retakes 2	9-1 Party Program 3	4	5	6	7	8
1	2	1	2	1	3	
9	Science in Motion 10	Remembrance Day NO SCHOOL 11	12	13	14	15
2	School Remembrance Day Assembly at 2:10 p.m. 1	Legion Ceremony @ 10 am BCHS Wind Ensemble Will Perform	Mid Semester Break NO SCHOOL	Mid Semester Break NO SCHOOL		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
2	1	SCHOOL EXPO/ CAREER FAIR 2	1	3	4	
23	PAC Meeting - BCHS Library 4:45 p.m. 24	Early Dismissal 25	26	27	28	29
1	2	1	2	1	3	
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2	4					

Nov 3 to Nov 17 BCHS Clothing Sales