



Lord Nelson School

November 2022



Happy November to all of our families!

Welcome to Mrs. Robins, our new acting Vice-Principal! Mrs. Robins has settled in over the past few weeks at Lord Nelson School and continues to connect with many of our children and families.

Language is the single best predictor of school achievement. The key to strong language skills are those back-and-forth fluent conversations between young children and their caregivers. Talking and listening to children does a lot of important things. It improves your bond with them, and encourages them to listen to you. It helps them to form relationships and to build self-esteem. It also teaches important turn-taking skills. Keep the art of conversation alive between you and your children by saying, "tell me about the best part of your day!" You will be surprised at all the great conversations you can have.

Parent/Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Thursday, November 17 (evening) and Friday, November 18 (morning). To make the process easier, we will be using a new on-line booking system, *SchoolInterviews*, to input your preferred meeting time with your child(ren)'s teacher.

We will also be changing the Parent/teacher Conference process by issuing Report cards on November 29 after conferences have been held. The rationale for the change, is our desire to spend time talking about the whole child as a learner. The report card is a snapshot of where your child(ren) current achievement is in a primarily academic domain (Math, Language Arts, Science etc.). We would like to invite you to join us in celebrating the strengths, challenges and next steps of our learners as it pertains to their academic AND social-emotional well-being. We would also love for you to share any insights or ask questions to help support us working together to improve the academic and social-emotional well-being of our children.



November 3: Picture Retakes

November 10: Remembrance Day Service 10:30 a.m.

November 11: Remembrance Day – No classes

November 17: Tri-Conferences 4:00-8:00 p.m.

November 18: Tri-Conferences 9:00-12:00

No School for all students

November 29: Report Cards go home

December 7: Winter Concert 6:00 p.m. (Rms 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15)

December 8: Winter Concert 6:00 p.m. (Rms 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 7, 107, 109)

December 16: Breakfast with Santa

December 21: Last day of classes before Winter Break

If you ever have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call us at [204-586-9625](tel:204-586-9625).

Have a wonderful month of November!

Ms. Asmundson & Mrs. Robins



Lest We Forget

LNS Parent Association

Welcome back LNS Families, and an especially warm welcome to our new families!

The PAC held our first meeting on October 24th, 2022. The current executive is:

President: Marie Martens

Vice-President: Melissa Ruminski

Secretary: Roxie Regey

Treasurer: Kim Storer



FUNDRAISING:

Fundraising is a necessary part of any non-profit organization. Your Parent Council uses the fundraising money collected to support our school's need such as: Community BBQ, Breakfast with Santa, Field Trips, technology, along with many other enriching programs and activities for students.

The **fundraising "opt-out"** was sent home. This is an option for those families who want to support the vital programs and events the Parent Council provides, without having to solicit friends and family members. In November we will hold our **Cash Calendar fundraiser**. Winners will be drawn in December. In May we will hold our **Gift Card Raffle**. Winners will be drawn at our Community BBQ in June.

All parents are welcome to attend our PAC meetings. We will notify families via Facebook and School Messenger of upcoming meeting dates.

If you haven't already done so, please join us on our LNS Facebook page for regular updates

https://www.facebook.com/groups/1754649757995474/?ref=share_group_link



November

Lord Nelson Parent Centre

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 SPIN Basketball 4:30 & 5:30 CanU	2	3 Girls Club at lunch	4 Nutrition Bingo 1:00	5
6	7	8 SPIN Basketball 4:30 & 5:30	9	10 Girls Club at lunch Opt-Out Due	11 No School	12
13	14	15 SPIN Basketball 4:30 & 5:30 CanU	16	17 Girls Club at lunch Nutrition Bingo 1:00	18 No School	19
20	21	22	23	24 Girls Club at lunch Cooking Club 1:00	25	26
27	28	29 CanU	30			

EVENTS

Nutrition Bingo

Fri. Nov. 4 &
Thurs. Nov. 17 at
1:00. Come out
and win FOOD!
Everyone is a
winner!

Girls Club

A club for grade 6
girls. We have fun
and do art to explore
a variety of themes.
Thursday at lunch.
If your grade 6 girl
is interested, contact
Kim to register!

Cooking Club

Help cook some
nutritious treats for
the snack program
and take some
home for your
family! Nov. 24 at
1:00

SPIN Basketball

Free after school
program on
Tuesdays out on by
the City of Winnipeg
and Lord Nelson
School for students
in grade 4-6.

Contact Kim to register for any of our FREE programs! 204-582-5499 or kstorer@wsd1.org