



Day & Date	Day	What's Happening
Mon. November 4 <sup>th</sup>	2	Vision Screening
Tues. November 5 <sup>th</sup>	3	
Wed. November 6 <sup>th</sup>	4	Gr. 8's to Keswick H.S. Photo Retake Day Ottawa Trip Mtg – Gr 8 families – 6-7 pm
Thurs. November 7 <sup>th</sup>	5	Pizza Lunch Int. Girls' Volleyball Tournament @ Stonehaven 3 – 7pm
Fri. November 8 <sup>th</sup>	1	Booster Juice

Please continue to check our school website for updates: <http://www.yrdsb.ca/schools/fairwood.ps>

## A Spooktacular Time at Fairwood





## Daylight Savings Time

Just a reminder to everyone that it is time to "Fall Back". On Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 2:00 am, please turn your clocks back an hour.

## Remembrance Day



Our Remembrance Day assembly will take place in the gym

Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.



At that time, we will recognize the people who have fought in wars for peace. Our students will take part in a variety of performances and ways of recognizing the quest for peace in the world. Parents and community members are welcome to attend.

## Cold Weather Reminder



We have been fortunate to have experienced such good weather up until this point. As the cooler weather approaches, we ask that you ensure your child comes to school dressed appropriately. All students are expected to go outside during morning recess and lunch recesses. This means your child needs to be dressed warm enough to be outside for 30 minutes at recess time and 30 minutes at lunch time.

## Student Lates

One of our school goals this year is to reduce the number of students who arrive late for school. The value of being punctual is a very important life skill, which we are endeavouring to teach our students. As well, it impacts on the learning of your child and is disruptive to the classroom when students arrive late for school as instruction begins promptly after the final bell. Many classes have literacy first thing in the morning. During this time, students specifically receive instruction in reading and writing. Unfortunately, we continue to have a number of students who consistently arrive to school after the final bell rings.

Please do your best to ensure that your child is arriving on time.

If the student is late for no other reason, then they could not wake up on time or were taking time getting ready, they will be given a detention in the office for the amount of time that they were late during their morning recess. If there are circumstances that come up, and the student is late for a reason that could not be helped, please notify the office and a detention will not be given.



## Progress Reports/Interviews

On **Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**, your child will bring home their progress report card. The progress reports are an early indicator of how your child(ren) are doing in both their learning skills and academics.

It is important that we continue to work towards achieving our very best in our school work.

Interviews will take place during the evening of Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup> and during the morning of Friday, November 15<sup>th</sup>. If you are not available during the scheduled times, please contact homeroom teachers to schedule another time.

This is an important time to discuss progress and next steps with staff.

## School Council News!!!

Fairwood's One Stop Christmas Shop will be back this year - Nov 28<sup>th</sup> 5-8pm. Some vendor spots are still available. Please contact [fairwoodparentcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:fairwoodparentcouncil@gmail.com) if interested.

With appreciation,

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Principal

Lillian Lahe  
Vice Principal

Pat Best  
Admin Assistant

Diane Carlson  
Admin Assistant



# November



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 Day 1 	2
3 Daylight Savings Begins – Turn Clocks Back an Hour 	4 Day 2 SK Vision Screening 8:30-10:00 	5 Day 3	6 Day 4 Photo Retakes 	7 Day 5 Pizza Day 	8 Day 1 Booster Juice 	9
10	11 Day 2 REMEMBRANCE DAY Assembly @ 10:30 	12 Day 3 Int. Boys' Area Volleyball 	13 Day 4 Int. Girls' Area Volleyball  Progress Reports Go Home	14 Day 5 Pizza Day  Progress Report Evening Interview 	15 Day 0 PA DAY/Progress Report Morning Interviews 	16
17	18 Day 1 Toy/Food Drive Begins	19 Day 2 VIP Program Gr. 8 School Council (Subcommittee Mtg) 6:30 pm	20 Day 3	21 Day 4 Pizza Day 	22 Day 5	23
24	25 Day 1 Junior Kindergarten Observation Week Toy/ Food Drive	26 Day 2	27 Day 3	28 Day 4 Pizza Day  Holiday Shop 5:00 – 8:00 pm 	29 Day 5 Character Assembly – Courage @ 11:00 am 	30 