EBulletin Mount Albert PS October 26, 2018

Hallowe'en: Please note that on October 31, the focus of the day remains on instruction, any Hallowe'en related activities are optional, and students will have a choice to participate in alternative activities. We also want to share that there is no expectation for students to bring a costume that day nor do we not want families to feel pressured to spend money on costumes. We will be having an orange and black day and if students would like to participate, they may.

If your child does decide to bring a costume, they must comply with the Caring and Safe School's policy. Costume accessories including, but not limited to, toy guns, knives, axes, swords, etc. are not in compliance with York Region District School Board's Safe Schools Policy #668.0. Should your child bring a costume to school on October 31st we would ask that no replica weapons (ex. Swords, guns) be brought to school if they are part of the costume. We also ask that students not wear masks to ensure they can see clearly. Costumes should be respectful of others. For example, if something is representative of a person's culture or religious beliefs, then it should not be worn as another person's costume. Further, in the spirit of Truth and Reconciliation, it is important that costumes do not trivialize and devalue the lives of Indigenous peoples in Canada. We also ask that no food be sent into the school from families (ex. cupcakes for a classroom to celebrate the day).

Google Classroom: Many classes are using Google classroom to help students with organization and access to homework and other learning materials. Students are very proficient with this tool. Please ask your child to teach you to access it. You will be able to see what your child is learning and what homework and assignments they may have.

School Cash Online: Currently you are able to purchase milk tickets, Zucca lunch and pay for the grade 8 Ottawa trip on school cash online.

Upcoming Dates:

- Oct. 30 VIP gr. 6
- Oct. 30 Girls Volleyball at Wendat
- Oct. 31 Black and Orange Day

Please see November Calendar below.

November

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesda y	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Senior Girls Volleyball at Glad Park	2 Assembly Pizza Day	3
4	5 International Student Exchange presentation	6	7	8 Intermediate Girls Volleyball Area Intermediate Boys Volleyball at Stonehaven	9 Remembrance Day Assembly Pizza Day	10
	Treaty Week	Recognition	Week			
11	12 Request for Basket fundraiser items	13 Swimming Program for Community Class	14 Gr. 8s to Huron Heights Zucca lunch Photo Retake Day	15 Int. Girls Volleyball Regional Int. Boys Volleyball	16 Fall dance gr. 7 & 8 Pizza Day	17
18	19	20 Swimming Program for Community Class VIP gr. 6	21 Reports Go Home Jr. Achievement 8A Regional Boys Volleyball	22 Gr. 8 Open House at Huron Parent Teacher Interview night	23 Interview morning	24
25	26	27 Swimming Program for Community Class VIP gr. 6	28	29 Doug Archer Author Visit for gr. 5 & 6 Basket fundraiser	30 Pizza Day	

		items due	
	Arts Huron		
	showcase gr. 7 & 8		