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November 2019



ACCENTUATE THE POSITIVE

Well another month seems to have flown by. We have had a very busy month and look forward to more of the same as we head into November. As Progress Reports are coming home in the middle of the month, I would like to encourage you to make contact with your child's teacher. We know that setting high expectations and working together to reach them is vital to every student's success. I encourage you to take time each day to ask your child about school. Don't let them off the hook with the "nothing" answer when you ask about what they did at school today. Ask them to list one or two things they did learn about and work on discussing those. Get their thoughts and opinions. I'm sure once they get started, they will have a story to tell.

Yours in education,
John Mooney, Principal

Please note our new safety plan...

To ensure the safety of students and staff, all Parents and Visitors **MUST** report to the main office.

Families are **NOT PERMITTED** to attend classrooms without authorization from the office.

Thank you for helping to keep our school safe.



\$2.00 to wear your hat on Friday's... Funds raised go to the Grade 8 Year End Trip!

Remembrance Day Assembly...

Monday, November 11th
at 10:00 am.
Please join us if you can.



REMEMBRANCE DAY
Let's We Forget



Parent Council

Parent Council News!!
Parent Council Meeting on
Wednesday, November 20th
at 6:30 pm.
Childcare provided.

- Fresh From The Farm** Fundraising raised \$1,452.00 with \$579.60 coming back to the school. Awesome job!
- Monster Mash** raised \$329.50. Thank you everyone!!!
- Cheesecakery and Bubbles & Bombs Bath Boutique** Fundraiser from November 1-22.....stay tuned for more details.
- Christmas Family Fun Night** – Monday, December 2nd, 5:00 – 7:00 pm.

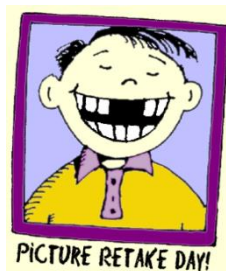


Photo Retakes...

Tuesday, November 12th.

Progress Reports go home...

Tuesday, November 19th.



SAFE ARRIVAL SYSTEM

To report your child's absence please:
Use the School Messenger Website;
Call the toll free number, 1-855-257-9349;
Call the school directly, 613-353-2868.

School Matters!



*Storrington Public School students and staff raised **\$118.00** for the Terry Fox Foundation. Way to go Stingers!!!*



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR:

November 12 to November 14th.....



**Wednesday, November 27th
Bus Safety Presentations...**



ROOTS OF EMPATHY



We welcome Roots of Empathy back to Storrington for another year of great learning. Our Grade 1/2 class will be participating this year. The focus of Roots of Empathy in the long term is to build capacity of the next generation for responsible citizenship and responsive parenting. In the short term, Roots of Empathy focuses on raising levels of empathy, resulting in more respectful and caring relationships. At the heart of the program are a neighbourhood infant and parent who visit the classroom every three weeks over the school year. Storrington is thrilled to welcome baby Sammy and his mom. A trained Roots of Empathy Instructor coaches students to observe the baby's development and to label the baby's feelings. Messages of social inclusion and activities that are consensus building contribute to a culture of caring that changes the tone of the classroom. The Instructor also visits before and after each family visit to prepare and reinforce teachings using a specialized lesson plan for each visit.

DRESS CODE

Please ensure your child(ren) are dressed appropriately for the weather. Coats, mitts, hats, scarves, and boots. A pair of dry socks would be a great addition to their at school wardrobe.



**PA Day...
Friday, November 29th.
No School!!**