



Burntwood School News - December

VIRTUE: COMPASSION

SCHOOL HOURS

- 8:50- first bell
- 9:00- final bell- classes start
- 12:00- 12:55-lunch
- 12:55- first bell
- 1:00- final bell- classes start
- 3:30-dismissal

ALL parents/visitors must first report to the office. Thank you in helping keep our school safe.

Important Dates

Friday, Dec 9th – District PD- no school

Wed, Dec 21, -Winter Concert @ 6:30

Thursday, Dec. 22- Early Dismissal @ 2:30

Monday, January 9th - First day Back to school



Be a part of Parent Council... Meetings held last Thursday of the month @ 6:30 in the Library
Next meeting January 26th @ 6:30

Parent CONNECT




Connecting Schools With Parents

Please submit your email to the secretary to start using Parent Connect



From the Phys.Ed Department

The junior high volleyball tournament was held this past weekend. Although BW students did not place in the finals- we are proud of their dedication to the sport. Way to go BOBCATS! Stay tuned for news of basketball try-outs. 



From the Music Department

The students in Mrs. Hornik's music classes have been busy learning songs! And this year we are recording the songs we learn for everyone to watch and listen to. themusicproject.ca is a website where every student will eventually have a video of them performing a song. It's going to be our very own Burntwood Youtube, without the cute cat videos. There are already about thirty videos up with more coming. You can watch students playing piano, recorder, kalimba, boomwhackers, singing, and dancing. There are also a couple tutorials, with more on the way. Please go to themusicproject.ca to check out all the awesomeness!

Reminder: Once students are dismissed from school they should leave the school grounds /playground immediately (unless they are waiting for a ride or the bus). There is limited supervision at this time and we strive to keep all students safe. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.



ATTENDANCE

Please report any student absences to secretary either by calling or sending an email. A synervice message will be sent home if the school is not notified about students' absence. After 3 consecutive absences, your child's attendance will be reviewed and an attendance letter may be issued.



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Burntwood School Lunch Program



The Burntwood School Lunch Program is currently looking for a full time lunch monitor to start ASAP. The position is for 1 hour a day from 12-1. Child abuse and criminal record checks are required. Please contact Crystal Zdebiak or School Administration to apply (messages can be left with the secretary).



COUNSELORS CORNER-NOVEMBER REPORT

- WE are a WE school! WE have committed to getting actively involved in supporting various initiatives locally and globally. Our missions this year is to address three of the five pillars: education and poverty/sustainability
- 13 members of student council were provided with the opportunity to attend the WE DAY event held in Winnipeg, Nov. 18th. It was a very inspirational event. As a WE School, our student council will work hard at our ongoing fundraising initiatives that benefit both a local and a global cause. Check out the website: we.org
- During the month of December, we will be vesting our time for the WE Bake for change. All baked goods will be available to purchase during our Christmas Concert. We will be working with Ms. Cook's grade 2 class to also do a baking activity.

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-December 1st is World AIDS DAY. As an active member of SCNN (Safer Choices Northern network), I will be attending this event. There will be a free luncheon and awareness walk held that day at the VRCC @ 11:45am. Support your local causes, by wearing RED that day.

- The U of M has a free web-based Anxiety awareness program for parent of children ages 4-12. It offers parents pro-active activities to help their children overcome fears and worries. The program is offered by Dr. John Walker at; coachingforconfidence @umanitoba.ca

November



Burntwood school has raised \$ 360.00 for cancer research. The November "Shave off" was held on November 30th @ 2:30 followed by a volleyball game! Huge Thanks goes out to Mr. White & his grade 5/6 class & also to Mr.D & Mr. S for participating in the moustache growing event. Thank you Bobcats for excellent support !

Burntwood Staff would like to wish everyone



Happy Holidays!

Please go on line and fill out the Accessibility survey on the survey monkey. There are only 6 questions on the survey and the district appreciates your participation and input.

www.surveymonkey.com/r/zz7zs3m

Thank you for your support

EVERYBODY IN SCHOOL EVERYDAY!

Daily attendance is important for all students. Students who attend school regularly are more engaged in learning, have a greater sense of belonging in their communities, and are more likely to graduate.

Please report ALL absences to our secretary- call 6776100 or via email - burntsec@mysterynet.mb.ca



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