



Silverback News

Mapes Elementary School: Home of the Silverbacks!

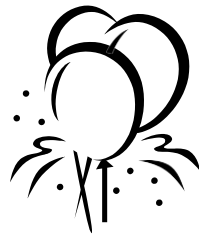
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Happy Birthday!

Best Birthday wishes to our students celebrating a birthday in October:

- Oct. 3 - Elianah Parker
- Oct. 15 - Emma Skiffington
- Oct. 20 - Alivea Yliruusi
- Oct. 27 - Pieter Burggraaf



DATES TO REMEMBER

- Oct. 12 - Cross Country Run (Gr. 2-6)
- Oct 16 - Early Dismissal @ 10:48
Parent/Teacher Interviews
- Oct. 16/17 - Scholastic Book Fair
- Oct. 17 - Hot Dog Hot Lunch
- Oct. 19 - Pro-D Day (No School)
- Oct. 22 - DEAR
- Oct.23 - PAC Meeting @ 2:00
- Oct. 31 - Grilled Cheese Hot Lunch

October 16th is an early dismissal day for Parent/Teacher Interviews. Please contact the school to book an interview time with your child's teacher.



Oct. 12th

Tomorrow grade 2 - 6 students will be taking a bus to the Nechako Valley Sporting Association Grounds to participate in the Cross Country Run. Please ensure that your child is dressed for the weather including shoes for running. Please send a water bottle and a NUT FREE bag lunch that does not require heating.

Mapes Elementary cleared the building in under 5 minutes during our first Fire Drill. Being prepared for emergency situations is vital and we will continue to have lock down and fire drills throughout the school year. Our next drill will be an earthquake drill on October 18th. Tomorrow is the cross country run for students in grades 2 - 6. The forecast is calling for sun and a high of 11; however, last year the trails were covered in snow, so please dress in layers. The Scholastic Book Fair is coming next week and will be set up at the school on October 16th & 17th. Take some time to stop in and have a look at the different books to share with your family in the love of reading!

Ms. Soffel



Ultimate Frisbee

Attached to this newsletter:

- Book Fair Volunteer Form

Mapes Strong Start

Monday – Friday

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Wednesday, October 16th is a Baking Day @ Strong Start!
Come Join Us!



NOTICE FROM BUS GARAGE!

Due to the buses being full, at this time we are not able to take courtesy riders. Only registered students on routes will be allowed.
NO BUS PASSES WILL BE GIVEN OUT!

Oct. 16 & 17

@ Mapes Elementary



When searching for local Girl Guides please use postal code V0J 3A0.

Sparks - 5 & 6 year olds - Tuesdays 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm at the First Memorial United Church

Brownies - 7 & 8 year olds - Mondays 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm at the First Memorial United Church

Guides - 9, 10 & 11 year olds - Mondays 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm at the St. Joseph's Gymnasium

Registration online is open Year round for girls and volunteers at:

<https://www.girlguides.ca/web/>

For direct contact information they can reach Phoebe Painter at [250-570-9563](tel:250-570-9563) via phone or text. Emails can also be sent to: valley.district@yahoo.com

MBS Hall 

Family Halloween Party

 October 26th

Doors open @ 7PM

Girls Book Club

Vanderhoof Public Library

Enjoy reading and talking about books?

Come and share ideas, crafts, activities & games, and make new friends at the Girls Book Club.



GIRLS Ages 8 to 10
3:15 to 4:30 pm
October 17
November 21
December 19



The library provides the books

Register Now at the Library

567-4060 or sara@vanderhooflibrary.com



Back to school

DEAR

DROP EVERYTHING AND READ

OCTOBER 22, 2018

MBS Hall

Family Game Night

October 12th

 Game Night starts @ 7:00 PM

Babysitter's Training

Learn first aid, safety, how to handle emergency situations, and understand your responsibilities and babysitters' rights when handling children. Students are required to bring their own pencils, baby doll, bottle, baby clothing, and a nutritious lunch. All babysitters and future babysitters age 11 and over are encouraged to take this course!

Date: October 19, 2018 (Pro D Day!)
Time: 9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Instructor: Dawne Persson
Fee: \$80



To register call CNC Vanderhoof: (250) 567-3200