

Secretary: Debbie Battley

Indigenous Connections:

Bouchie Lake welcomed the V'ni Dansi Metis dance troupe earlier this month.

All classes were able to learn some Metis history and participate in some basic dance moves with Yvonne and JJ.



Orange Shirt Day:



Classes took on a variety of activities to demonstrate their ongoing learning about residential school history. Students showed their commitment to reconciliation by creating positive messages to display around the school. Stop in and have a look!

Terry Fox Run:

Bouchie Lake Elementary raised \$818.40 for cancer research. This far surpassed our goal of \$300 and we thank the students and community for this fantastic response. Mr. Schneider bravely shaved his legs in front of the school as part of the deal when we met our goal. Special recognition went to Wiley in kindergarten for raising \$345 of the total.



Planned absences:



Students must always be excused from school by a parent or guardian.

Please notify your child's teacher or the office by phone, email or note if you are planning an absence. If we do not receive a parent notification then our secretary may be calling home to confirm unknown absences. Thank you for your cooperation.

<u>Cold and Flu Season</u>:

Please help us control the spread of colds, flus and other contagions. If your child is sick, please keep them home until they are well enough to fully participate in the school program.



- We do not have extra supervision to allow students to stay in, unless the weather is poor. We are all in or all out together!
- Keep children home if they have a fever, and 24 hours after vomiting or diarrhea has ceased.
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Tuesday, November 12th. Please see online order options below:

Purdy's: https://fundraising.purdys.com/838664-67748. https://bouchie.growingsmilesfundraising.com

Thank you to all parents & families for supporting our PAC fundraisers: hot lunch, clothing orders, Purdy's, Christmas Wreaths, movie nights.

All funds raised from these fundraisers go to our PAC whereby the money is all used within our school for our students. The funds go towards bussing for swimming & skiing, class field trips, Performing Arts presentations, IXL math programs for classes, new gym equipment, and much, much more. Thank you for your continued support of our PAC fundraisers!

Volunteer Procedures:

Please contact our school secretary, Debbie Battley, to obtain instructions. These can be provided in person, sent home with your child, or emailed to you. Most importantly—we need to know the name of the person who is requesting to be a volunteer.

Volleyball Teams:



Girls: Mrs. Sanders and Ms. Collingwood

Boys: Mr. Schneider

We are proud to have two grade 6/7 volleyball teams enthusiastically practising at lunchtime, preparing for the district play downs in late November. Thank you to our volunteer coaches for making this happen, and we appreciate the dedication of the players. We travel to other schools for games, so if you are able to volunteer to drive players to and from other schools, please see the office for the volunteer driver paperwork.

Halloween—October 31:

We have some seasonal activities planned for October 31, including a costume parade first thing in the morning and a dance in the gym at the end of the day. A room will also be set up for alternate activities during both times.

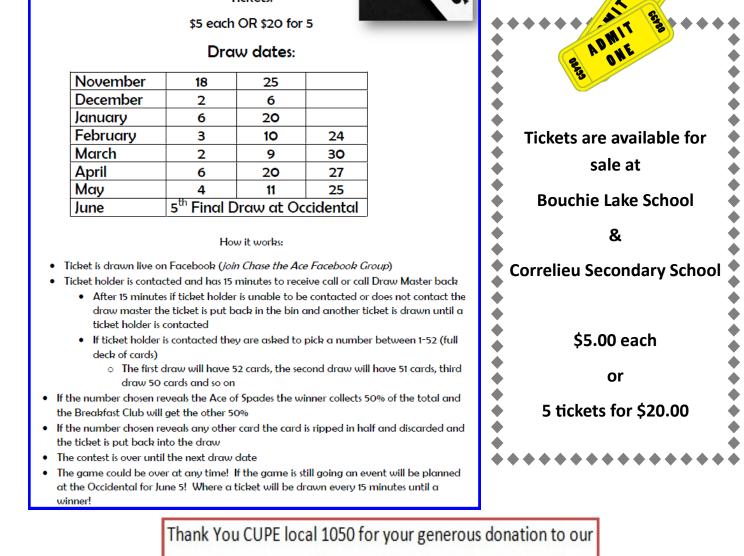


Early Dismissal Days:

October 29 (Tues) 11:23 am Dismissal (Teachers available from 2:30—5:00pm)

October 30 (Wed) 11:23 am Dismissal (Teachers available from 12:00–2:30pm)

These are early dismissal days at all Quesnel schools to allow staff to meet with parents for student-led conferences and interviews. *School will end at 11:23am* on these days, and the *buses will arrive home 3 hours earlier than usual*.



Breakfast Programs!

CUPE 1050





Your input is important - together we can make change happen.

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Science shows, fun activities, local exhibitors and more!

Come check it out!

FREE SATURDAY NOVEMBER 2, 2019 10:30am to 4:00pm Live Science Shows at 11am, noon, 2pm, 3pm Open labs, activities and exhibitors all day!

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