

Hidden Valley Elementary School Newsletter

Newsletter #3

November 3, 2014

HVS School Council News

The HVS School Council meeting will be held on Monday, Nov. 18th at 6:00 p.m. in the School Library. All parents are welcome.

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Report Cards

Report cards will be going home on Friday, November 14th.

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Thank you to all the parents and students who attended parent/teacher interviews. If you were unable to attend and would like to speak with your child's teacher, please call the school or the classroom teacher to schedule an appointment.

Also, thank you to all the parent volunteers who have been helping our staff and students with class projects, activities as well as our sports teams. We really appreciate the time, effort, and dedication it takes to making Hidden Valley School a great place to be!

Sincerely, Riana Robinson Principal

Report to Office

We would like to remind all parents to use the main entrance only, and to report to the office on arrival at school.

HVS Book Fair



Our book fair that was held last week, was a great success and we reached and exceeded our goal of \$1500.00! We look forward to having it again next year.

Thank you to all the volunteers! We couldn't have done it without you!



Electronic Device Rules

Hidden Valley School promotes quality academic experiences, as well as, healthy social relationships and personal development.

The use of any electronic communication devices (ECDs), as well as other electronic games and players are restricted during school hours. Students may only use and possess on their person electronic devices prior to 8:15 am and after 3:07 pm during the school day. As a condition of this permission, all electronic devices must remain off and put away during the school day and students assume all risk of loss, damage or theft of their electronic device.

Thank you for keeping Hidden Valley School Peanut Free.



HVS Fundraising at Raven Recycling

HVS School has an account at Raven Recycling. All funds from refundable items such as pop cans and juice boxes can be donated to Hidden Valley School. If you are collecting points for yourself, you can still do this and have the money portion go to the school. All donations are welcome. We use the funds primarily to support recycling efforts in the school.

Long Service Awards

Each year, employees of the Yukon Government are recognized for "long service". This year will include Tracy Klein, Shari Heal and Heather Boardman.

Congratulations!

Husky Helper Winners for the Month of September and October will be drawn at our parade on

November 4th



Exciting News From Our Grade 4/5 Class!

Last year Mme. Allen's grade 4/5 class made movies as a fun way to learn about Canada's history. The students entered their movies into a Canada Wide Contest called the Young Citizen's Program. The students posted their I movies online and they were voted on by the general public & then reviewed by national judges.

Earlier this week, Canada's History Society released the names of 22 winners from across Canada who participated in the Young Citizen's Program. The winners have been selected to travel to Ottawa for a special Youth Forum. Two Yukon students will be traveling to the capital city on Thursday October 30th.

Both Yukon students are from Hidden Valley Elementary! We are very proud to announce the winners:

Duncan Snooks,

Jacques Cartier



Maximilian Wanner,

North West Mounted Police



Another student in the class, McKayla was given an honourable mention with her i-movie entitles, Old Crow.

Here is a link to the announcement: http://www.canadashistory.ca/Kids/YoungCitizens/2014-Recipients

Congratulations to Duncan and Max for their winning presentations in the Yukon/Stikine Heritage Fair! Good work students!

Halloween Carnival

Our students had a great time at the Halloween Carnival this year. Thank you to Mr. Harms and the Grade 6/7 class for making all the games and running the booths.

Thank you to all the students and parents for coming and donating to the Carnival.





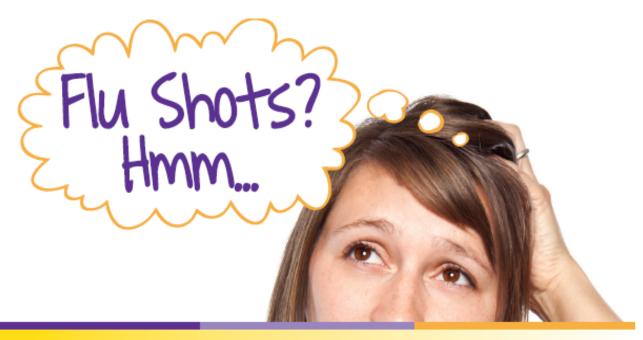






Seasonal Influenza (Flu) Is it a Cold, Flu, or Pertussis?

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Infectious Period	Paroxysms	Duration	Severity	Character	Sore throat	Sneezing	Stuffy or runny nose	Extreme exhaustion	Fatigue and weakness	Aches and pains, muscle aches, chest discomfort	Headache	Fever	Symptom
1-2 d before symptom onset to 5-10 days after	Uncommon	Typically 3-7 days; occasionally to 14 days	Moderate	Non-productive ("dry") cough is typical; nocturnal cough rare	Sometimes	Sometimes	Sometimes	Very common early in illness	Moderate - severe; can last up to 14-21 days	Common, Often severe	Very common	Usually present and high (102-104°F or 39-40°C); typically lasts 3-4 days	Influenza ("Flu")
Variable; typically 4-7 days after symptom onset; can be longer	Rare	Typically 3-7 days	Mild to Moderate	Hacking cough, often productive; nocturnal cough rare; usually responds to cough medications	Common	Common	Common	Extremely Rare	Mild	Slight to Moderate	Uncommon	Uncommon	Cold (Viral URI)
From start of catarrhal phase (before cough) to 21 days after cough onset*	Common	Persistent cough, almost always > 1 week, usually 2-6 weeks, sometimes 10+ weeks	Variable; can be mild in adults and very severe in infants and young children	Variable character; fits / paroxysms and nocturnal cough are common; generally not responsive to cough medications	Uncommon	Common, early in the disease	Common, early in the disease	Rare	Mild to moderate	Uncommon	Uncommon	Uncommon If present, typically low- grade	Pertussis



Check the facts. Get the shot.

yukonimmunization.ca/flu

Get the flu vaccine at a clinic near you.

8:30am - 4pm	Whitehorse Health Centre
4pm - 6:30pm	Whitehorse Health Centre
9:30 am - 3:30pm	Yukon College
9:30 am – 3:30pm	Yukon government main admin building (foyer)
10am – 3pm	Whitehorse Health Centre
3:30pm - 6:30pm	FH Collins cafeteria
3:30pm - 6:30pm	Porter Creek Secondary cafeteria
11am - 6:30pm	Canada Games Centre boardroom
10am – 3pm	Canada Games Centre boardroom
1:30pm - 3:30pm	Marsh Lake Community Centre
8:30am - 4pm	Whitehorse Health Centre
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Tip: Keeping your hands clean helps prevent colds and flu.



The Recycling Club

Last Pay

to collect Recycling club Points Saturbay, November 15!



Webnesbay, becember 17 to convert your points into prize certificates.

Saturbay, Jan. 10, 2015 last day to redeem your prize certificates.

Beat the rush!

Check points and Order your prize certificate online



Call Leaf Solutions at 633-5269 or email admin@yukonrecyclingclub.ca.







CURLEKIDSSAKE

by Big Brothers Big Sisters of Yukon

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Supported by Whitehorse Motors & Whitehorse Curling Club

Sunday November 9, 2014

WHO

All are welcome to participate. Experience not necessary. Teams of 4 players each in any combination of age and gender.

WHY

For a great cause and to have a great time fun for all ages!

No previous experience necessary- a chance to try something new! A Great "Team-building" exercise.

HOW

Just sign up your team(s) at no cost to you and ask for pledges from friends, family neighbors, co-workers etc.

WHAT

You get is a full day of fun, starting with an optional instructional and practise session, use of equipment supplied free of charge by the Curling Club, a game in the morning followed by a hot lunch, an afternoon game and a chance to win numerous door prizes, bragging rights and prizes for top fund-raiser and the chance to bid on fabulous silent auction items.

WHEN

Register your teams by November 6th by contacting Harold Sher 668-7911 or Email bbbsyukon@gmail.com









Learning Together is a drop in program that runs Monday-Friday from 8:45 – 11:15 every morning.

Learning Together is a positive, play based learning environment for parents/ caregivers and their children that provides learning opportunities to enhance children's skills in all areas of development. It is a program that targets 3-5 year old children although ages 0-5 are welcome.

The program is drop-in and free! Snack served as part of the program.

Play centers, gym time, storytelling, games, crafts and so much more!

Park at the front of the school in the parent parking lot and enter the school from the front door.

For more information contact the school at 667-8164.

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Upcoming Events

Parade @ 1:00 pm	Nov. 4
Rec Skate Gr. 4-7 (1:00—1:45 pm)	Nov. 5
Remembrance Day Ceremony @ 11:00 am	Nov. 7
PD Day—No School	Nov. 10
Remembrance Day—No School	Nov. 11
Rec Skate—K—Gr. 3 (1:00—1:45 pm)	Nov. 12
Report Cards go Home	Nov. 14
Anti-Bullying Week	Nov. 17-21
School Council Meeting @ 6:00 pm	Nov. 18
Staff Meeting @ 3:20 pm	Nov, 18
Sea of Pink Day	Nov. 21
Rec Skate Gr. 4-7 (1:00—1:45 pm)	Nov. 25
Read-A-Thon	Nov. 24-28



November

Nia—Gr. 5	Iliana—Gr. 7
Drake—Gr. 3	Pheonix—Gr. 4
Mme. Shari—Gr. 1/2	Ms. Blondine-Custodian
	Ms. Martin—Library

Wall of Fame

We have a Wall of Fame at school. Please send all newspaper articles/clippings of Hidden Valley Students excelling in activities to school.

