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OCTOBER 17, 2018

Halloween Celebrations!

This year's Halloween Assembly will be held on Wednesday , October 31 from 10:50—11:50 am

There will be dancing by all students as well as a Costume Parade.

A few reminders regarding costumes:

- costumes should not be scary to small children
- no accessories such as swords or masks are permitted
- Make-up should be applied at home, not in the washrooms at school
- Students will be wearing their costumes all day so if there is a chance the costume may be ruined by outdoor play perhaps it isn't a good costume to wear to school
- Children may wear black and orange if they do not want to dress in costume

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND THE ASSEMBLY

DATES TO NOTE:

Thursday, October 18	Great Shakeout Earthquake Drill
Friday, October 19	PRO D Day — Students not in attendance
Monday, October 22	1:00 Cross Country Meet Beacon Hill Park
Wednesday, October 24	PAC Meeting 6 pm Library Learning Commons
Friday, October 26	Halloween Safety Talks
Wednesday, October 31	Halloween Assembly 10:50 am
Tuesday, November 6	Photo Retake Day
Friday, November 9	Remembrance Day Assembly Hot Lunch
Monday, November 12	Remembrance Day Statutory Day—students not in attendance
Friday, November 23	PRO D Day — Students not in attendance
Friday, December 7	Hot Lunch
Friday, December 21	Report Cards Home Last Day of School before Winter Break

Frank Hobbs Library Learning Commons

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

A big thank you to all of the Frank Hobbs community for making our Scholastic book fair a HUGE success!

The fair brought in many AMAZING new books for everyone to enjoy. Scholastic book fairs also provides the library with credit to go towards other resources. Our next book fair will be in April.

Thanks again to everyone for participating and supporting the library.

Some of the students have been participating in Makerspace this term. Students have been doing a fantastic job with their sewing projects!

We are continuing to accept donations to support our Makerspace. Please keep sending them to the LLC, they go into the donation bin outside the LLC.

Here are some donation ideas:

- beads
- buttons
- lego
- building materials
- aluminum foil
- various craft supplies

Upcoming in the LLC:

CODING, Coding and more Coding!! This term in the LLC, students have been exploring what it means to use computational thinking by taking part in various plugged and unplugged coding activities. Some of the Primary students have been discovering Cubetto, a wooden robot. Students help Cubetto travel around his map, assisting him in problem solve. Many students have been creating codes using Scratch Jr. This is a fantastic program in which students are able to easily program various functions in Scratch Jr. Students have been really enjoying the different functions in which they can design many creative programs! Intermediate students are diving into Scratch; building programs that have more complicated functions. We are excited to continue using our critical thinking skills to design, build, problem solve, and reflect on these projects.

Thank you for your continued support of our LLC!

Inside/Outside Shoes

Please dress appropriately for the weather...remember inside and outside shoes are needed here at school.



CRD Walk and Wheel program at Frank Hobbs last week, October 1-5.

A big thanks to all those students and families who participated in the program. During the week we had a grand total of 314 students and adults walking and another 141 students and adults either cycling or scootering to school.

Thank you for all your enthusiasm and participation. Our school will now be eligible for a whole school prize through the CRD! Let's keep our fingers crossed and keeping on walking and wheeling!





1000X5 Children's Book Recycling Project

Share the Gift of Literacy

There is a great need for books for little ones in our community. We can change that by sharing some of our gently used books for babies and preschoolers.

Drop your gently used picture books for babies and preschoolers in the bin in the main school entry

Thanks for sharing!

As of September 2018 163,000 of your books have been shared with other children



REMEMBRANCE DAY ASSEMBLY

**Frank Hobbs will be hosting a very special
Remembrance Day assembly on Friday, November 9th.**

Our assembly will begin at 11:00 am in our school gym.

Everyone welcome to attend.



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED OUT AT FRANK HOBBS WITH THE FOLLOWING:

Drum Awakening Ceremony

Cross Country

Swim Team

Chess Club

Safety Patrol

Hot Lunches

New Playground

Halloween Safety Talks

Photo Day

School Clothing

Lunch Monitors

Soccer

Grade 3 Coding Club

Book Fair

Terry Fox Run

Parent Teacher Conferences

CRD Walk & Wheel Program

PAWS to Read & Volunteer Buddy Readers

Professional Development Day

Lunch Monitors

Frank Hobbs PAC

...and all the other opportunities that Frank Hobbs has to offer.

FRANK HOBBS IS A BUSY PLACE!! We sure couldn't do it without you!

FRANK HOBBS OSC WELCOMES

YOU!

Frank Hobbs Out of School Care in association with Arbutus Grove Children's Centre is our child-centered program for children in grades 2 - 5 attending Frank Hobbs Elementary School. We aim to create a stimulating and engaging environment where children may create, explore, experiment and discover.

We promote and model an active living lifestyle with programs that include being out in nature at nearby woods, beaches and walking trails.

If you are interested in out of school care for your child, please fill out the Waitlist Info Form below and send it to either frankhobbssosc@gmail.com or address it to Frank Hobbs OSC and bring it to the Main Office for us to pick up.

Frank Hobbs Out of School Care

Waiting List Information Form

Frank Hobbs OSC (FHOSC) provides care for children in grade two through five who attend Frank Hobbs Elementary. **This document does not act as a registration form.** Priority registration will be given to children who are currently enrolled in FHOSC or have a sibling enrolled in our association at large.

Hours of Operation are subject to change and run in accordance with Frank Hobbs Elementary School

AM Care 8:00am – School Bell / **PM Care** School Bell – 5:30pm

Childs First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

DOB: ____ (y) ____ (m) ____ (d) Grade: _____ Teacher: _____

Mothers Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Fathers Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____ Home Tel: _____

Preferred Start Date: _____ Age and Grade of Child @ Start Date: _____

Please Indicate Hours of Care Needed: – AM / PM or BOTH

UPDATE FROM DISTRICT OF SAANICH

Regarding Watermain Construction on Haro Road

Saanich has decided to postpone the watermain construction project until the summer of 2019.

They hope to complete the work in the 2 month summer break which will reduce the amount of traffic disruptions and allow them to complete the work much more efficiently.

They will keep us posted as to their schedule.