

Frank Hobbs Elementary

Newsletter

NOVEMBER 2020

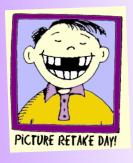


PHOTO RETAKE DAY!!

Monday November 2nd is our school photo retake day for individual pictures



Our next Pro-D Day is Friday, November 20th

Inside/Outside Shoes

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













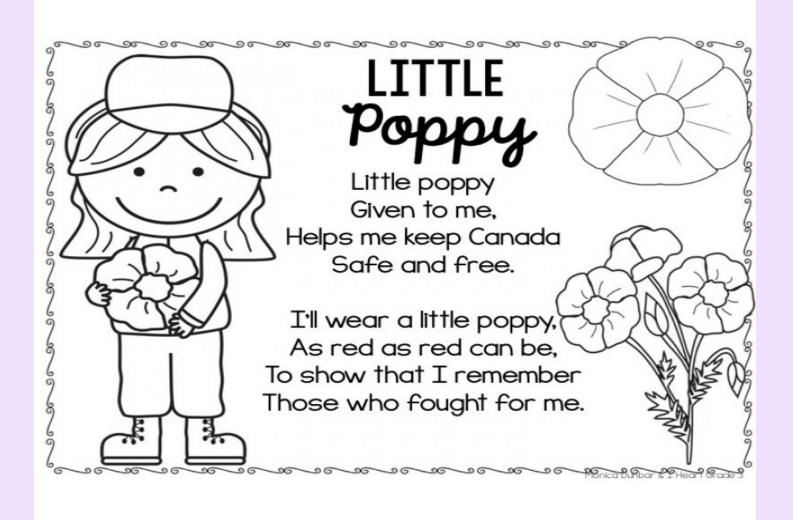






The school will be closed on Wednesday November 11th for Remebrance Day





Crazy Sock Day Friday Nov 27th



Students are welcome to wear their Craziest socks.

PAC MEETING

Please join the PAC Meeting on November 30, 2020 at 6:30 pm on ZOOM

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ZOOM link:

https://gvsd61.zoom.us/j/69447129887? pwd=S1RNUmlGejVPeFpWSDVYaDg5Tmh1 UT09

Meeting ID: 694 4712 9887

Passcode: 103303

Frank Hobbs Library Learning Commons

The Scholastic Book Fair will be virtual this year. The following link will send you to our <u>Virtual Book Fair</u>. It will begin first thing on Monday, November 23. Stay tuned for more information!

https://virtualbookfairs.scholastic.ca/pages/5151865

November is **Picture Book** month!

We have been growing our picture book collection over the past few years and have many wonderful stories for students to experience.



Inside My Imagination by Marta Arteaga; Illustrated by

Zuzanna Celej

Wonder Wall: Each month, new questions and wonders are displayed with books and resources to assist students with diving deeper into their wonders. This month's Wonder Wall theme in the LLC is on *Peace* and *Remembrance Day.*

Please check out the SD#61district Elementary School Library website! It has many fantastic links, information, and things happening around the district. Please check it out!!



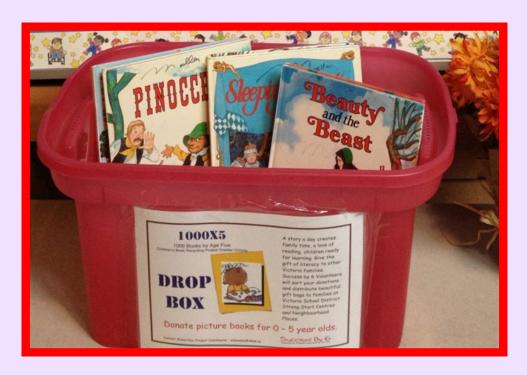
Student Leadership for 1000X5 Children's Book Recycling Project

3 Books = 1 Gift Needed More Than Ever This Year

This is the fourth year of the three book challenge. This year, many families appreciate a bit of help with gifts for the upcoming holiday season. Every month 1000X5 pops 3000 books in 1000 gift bags: three books for each receiving child.

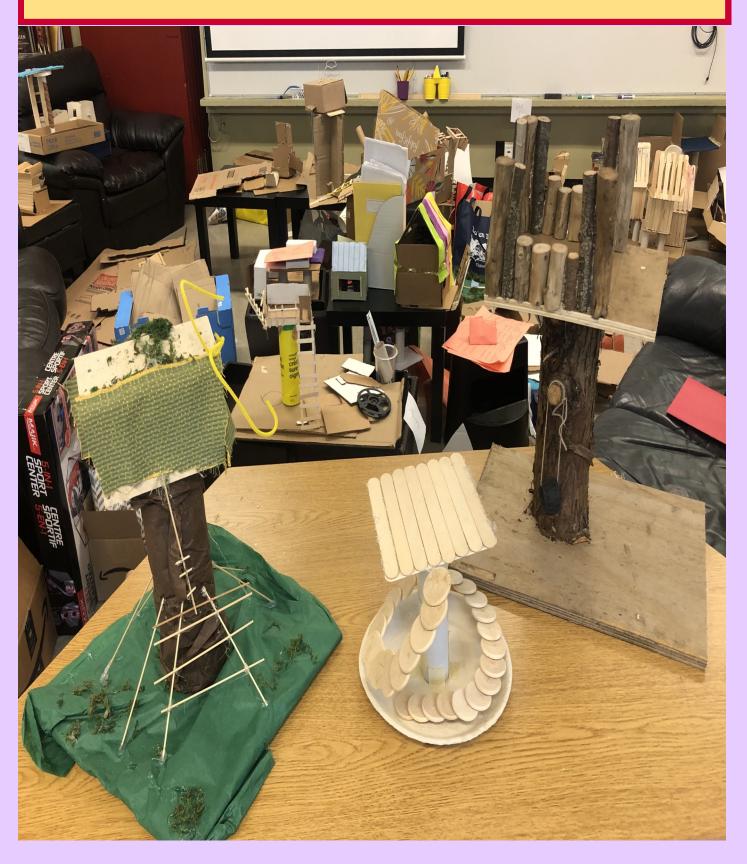
If each child in Frank Hobbs Elementary School brought in 3 gently used books for babies and preschoolers, we would collect 759 books, enough for gift bags of books to 253 children. Let's make it happen.

Drop books for babies and preschoolers off in the pink bin in the school entrance.



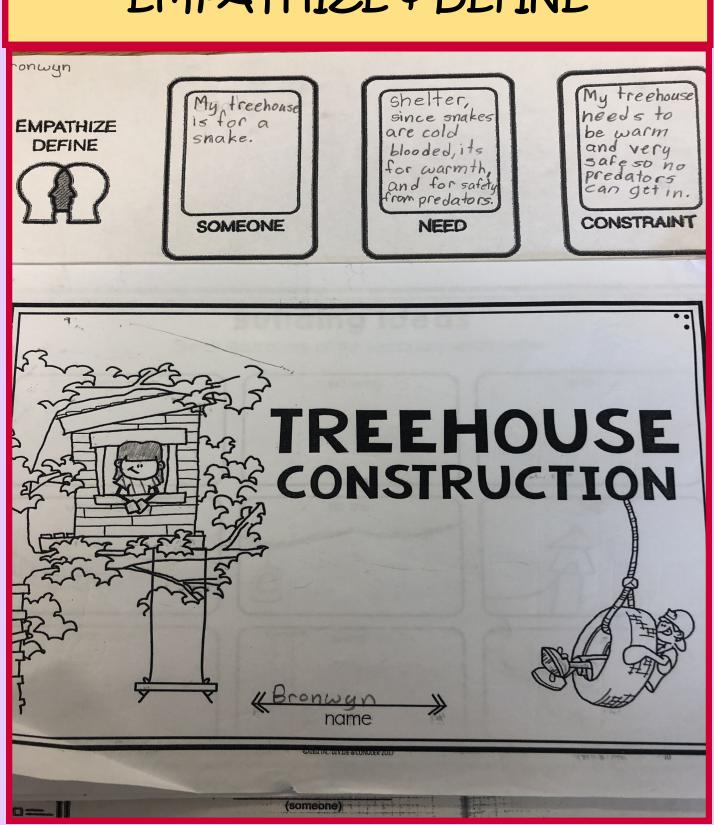
Frank Hobbs Gallery Walk

HOW TO BUILD A TREEHOUSE



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EMPATHIZE & DEFINE



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NOTAN ART









Our Lost and Found is **Bursting at the Seams!!**

We have jackets, boots, running shoes and much much more...

Please remind you child to stop by and claim any lost items.





Out of School Care

Spaces are available right now in the Out of School Care program run by Arbutus Grove Children's Centre! Spaces are available in before and after school care for children in grades 2-5. The program runs from 7:30am-8:45am, and 2:35pm-5:45pm. The groups do field trips, play games, make crafts, and have lots of fun together.

For more information and to register please email Devon at oscmanager@arbutusgrove.ca





Elizabeth Fry Society of Greater Vancouver (also known as EFry) has asked us to share information about a free program, Future Bright, that helps families with net income of less than \$48,535 access up to \$3,200 in federal and provincial government savings grants that are available to fund their child's education after high school.

Studies have shown having as little as \$500 saved for post high-school education can increase students' likelihood of graduating, 6 in 10 eligible children don't access the grants.

In our school district, 16,761 eligible children have not claimed their grants.

Future Bright helps families overcome the barriers to claiming these grants, which many people don't know exist:

- Obtaining the necessary government ID needed at no cost.
- Setting up a no-cost RESP for their child. Both grants are deposited into the RESP.
- Claiming the Canada Learning Bond, valued at \$2,000, available for children up to and including age 15.
- Claiming the BC Training & Education Grant of \$1,200, available for children who are 6 to 8 years old.

In addition to live, personalized support by phone or Zoom, Future Bright has created a series of video tutorials to walk families through the different steps in the process. Families only need to watch the videos that pertain to their situation. More information about Future Bright and the video tutorial series can be found at myfuturebright.ca.

School Calendar

Nov

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MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
			29	30
PHOTO RETAKES	3	4	5	6
9	10	ll NO SCHOOL Remembrance Day	12	13
16	17	18	19	20 PRO-D DAY No School
23 START OF VIRTUAL BOOK FAIR	24	25	26	27 CRAZY SOCK DAY
PAC MEETING on ZOOM				