

Week at a glance: October 14 - 18

Monday, October 14

• Thanksgiving Day (NO SCHOOL)

Tuesday, October 15

- Homework Club (8:15 am)
- Girls Basketball Larson Gym (3:30 pm 4:30 pm)

Wednesday, October 16

- Cross Country Meet Gr. 4-7 at Loutet Park (3:30 pm 4:30 pm)
- Grade 6 Outdoor School Parent Meeting Library (6:00 pm 7:00 pm)

Thursday, October 17

No events

Friday, October 18

- Homework Club (8:15 am)
- Hot Lunch
- Boys Basketball Larson Gym (3:30 pm 4:30 pm)

Upcoming Dates:

- Oct 21 to 24 Student-Teacher Family Conference Early Dismissal (1:51 pm)
- Oct 24 Cross Country Meet Gr. 4-5 at Loutet Park
- Oct 24 PALS Halloween Dance (6:00 pm 8:00 pm)
- Oct 25 Professional Day (NO SCHOOL)
- Oct 30 Staff Collaboration Early Dismissal (1:51 pm)
- Oct 30 Cross Country Meet Gr. 6-7 at Loutet Park
- Nov 1 Professional Day (NO SCHOOL)
- Nov 4 Boys Basketball Finals Mountainside (3:45 pm 6:30 pm) *Only played if the team qualifies*.
- Nov 5 Girls Basketball Finals Mountainside (3:45 pm 6:30 pm) *Only played if the team qualifies*.
- Nov 11 Remembrance Day (NO SCHOOL)
- Nov 20 -22 Scholastic Book Fair

Intention of the Week:



If I fall, I will get back up again. Si je tombe, je me relève.

Information & Updates:

HAPPY THANKSGIVING



1 - "Gratitude unlocks the fullness of life." - Melody Beattie

With Thanksgiving approaching, we want to take a moment to express our gratitude to all the staff, students and families of Larson that make our community so very special. We hope everyone has a wonderful long weekend, spent with family and friends.

STUDENT-TEACHER-FAMILY CONFERENCES



Student-Teacher-Family Conferences have been scheduled for the week of October 21 - 24, 2024. The booking system is **now open** and will close at midnight on October 20. *Please note, there will be early dismissal at 1:51pm on October 21, 22, 23 and 24 to accommodate the meetings.*

Please follow the instructions below to set up your appointment:

1. Visit our school appointments website larson.schoolappointments.com.

- 2. Log into your existing account or register for a new account.
- 3. Register for an account by clicking the "REGISTER" menu tab and filling in the online form. Choose a user id and password for yourself and then click the "Register Now" button.
- 4. Add your child(ren) into the system by clicking the "Add a Student" button. Click the "Insert New" button to add more children.
- 5. Click the "date" icon beside each child's name to schedule appointments.
- 6. Select the staff you wish to book appointments with.
- 7. Select View All. Click on View Calendars. Scroll through the calendars to find available time slots. Open slots are indicated in white.
- 8. Click on available time slots to book your appointment.

LEARNING DIFFERENCES/ADHD/DYSLEXIA MONTH



This month we celebrate our neurodiversity! Help spread awareness and reduce stigmas for people with Learning Differences. This helps to ensure that people with LD's have equal opportunities and the supports they need to succeed.

Find out more information on <u>Dyslexia</u>, <u>ADHD</u> & <u>Learning Differences</u>.

SCHOOL SAFETY DRILLS



Over the school year, all North Vancouver schools will conduct emergency drills for fire, earthquake and lockdowns. In the past two weeks, staff and students have practiced our drills with great success. We went through what to do for unsafe visitors and how to evacuate for a fire. Well done, Larson!

WELCOME TO HOMEWORK CLUB 2024 - 2025



Club de devoirs le mardi et vendredi

When? Tuesdays and Fridays at 8:15 a.m.

Where? Front door of Larson

Faites les devoirs a l'ecole - pas a la maison! Finish your homework at school instead of home les venez nombreux et nombreuses.

Celebrating Student Learning:



2 - Artwork from Division F12 (Mme. Swain)



3 - Artwork from Division F06 (Mme. Hernandez)



4 - Artwork from Division E08 (Ms. Lanzi)



5 - Artwork from Division E08 (Ms. Lanzi)



6 - Artwork from Division E07 (Ms. Deminger)

Reminders:



SPECIAL OCCASIONS

Due to allergies in many classrooms, please do not bring in treats for your child's class. While this is a lovely gesture, please note that we cannot accept any treats and will not be able to distribute them.



EXTRA CLOTHING FOR THE WET WEATHER

As the wet weather arrives, please make sure your child is dressed appropriately for the day (we all know it can change from sunshine to clouds quickly!). We ask that all students have a change of clothing available, even the intermediate students.

Message from PALS:

HALLOWEEN HOWL FAMILY DANCE!

- Thursday, Oct 24th 6:00-8:00pm (doors open at 5:30pm)
- Dress up and come ready to dance & eat!
- Children must be accompanied by an adult. A ticket is required for both children and adults.
- Tickets only at MUNCHALUNCH.COM. We expect to sell out so get your tickets soon!



Calling all bakers! There will be a Bake Sale during the dance!

Can you provide a tasty treat? Sign up HERE! All proceeds will support PALS initiatives for Larson.

Help out during the dance! We need parent helpers for set up, concession and clean up!

Sign up HERE! Thank you!





BOOK YOUR BABYSITTER! PARENTS NIGHT OUT (PARENT SOCIAL)!

- Friday, November 15th 6:30-9 pm
- Black Kettle Brewing in North Vancouver
- Mingle with other parents, 50/50 tickets and raffle prizes.
- Tickets go on sale soon. Stay tuned!

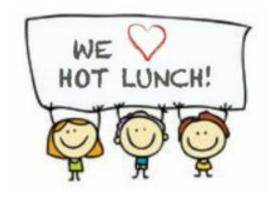


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FRIDAY HOT LUNCH!

- Order Here: MUNCHALUNCH.COM
- What is Munchalunch Hot Lunch? Pre-ordered meals delivered to your child's class every Friday. Lots of options! Pizza, subway sandwiches, sushi and many snacks and drinks.

• The deadline to order is always the Thursday one week prior.



STAY INFORMED ABOUT SCHOOL EVENTS!

- Make sure your email address is on our PALS list so you can stay up to date.
- Go to MUNCHALUNCH.COM

Returning Parents:

• Login, update division/teacher's name, go to MY FAMILY, then MY PROFILE and check-off "I consent to being contacted about school related matters".

New Parents:

 Register Account, enter your info and check-off "I consent to being contacted about school related matters".



