



Brookside Intermediate Family Memo #09 Nov. 5th - Nov. 8th



Halloween Spirit Week a Huge Success

Pumpkin carving, theme days, Costume Contest and a Friday afternoon concert. What a week!!





Volleyball Success

Congrats to our Grade 8 Girls Volleyball Team who captured Gold, Tier 1, at Volleyfest last weekend. Great job players and coaches.



Congrats to our Grade 9 Girls Gold Volleyball Team who won Tier 1 Silver at Volleyfest last weekend. Great job players and coaches.



Congrats to our Grade 7 Girls Gold Volleyball Team who captured Silver at an invitational tournament over the weekend. Great job players and coaches.



Sr. Boys Soccer Update

Our Sr. Boys Soccer Team had a great week this past weekend. They won both of their games with a 3-1 victory over St. Paul's on Saturday and a thrilling 2-1 win over Frank Roberts on Sunday. Way to go players and coaches. The team has more games this week. We will update. Go Bulldogs.



Memo Items

No Classes

There are no classes on Monday, Nov. 4th as staff will be engaged in Professional Learning. Tues., Nov. 5 will be Day 2 for students.

Picture Proofs/Retakes:

Students who missed their pictures or wish to have them retaken will have the opportunity to do so on Tues., Nov. 5. Any student who did not get their picture taken is asked to do so on this day.

Partnering with Junior Achievement NL (JA)

We have been in contact with Junior Achievement NL about the possibility of them coming out to Brookside to do some work with our student on the topic of financial literacy - a relevant and important topic indeed.

If you are unfamiliar with Junior Achievement (JA) Newfoundland and Labrador, they offer a continuum of courses throughout Grades 3 - 12, which provide experiential, deep learning experiences. Using hands-on, age appropriate, immersive activities set in a real world context, these programs are facilitated by trained volunteers and are designed to teach students about financial literacy, financial health, entrepreneurship and work readiness skills in a fun and engaging way.

On Tues., Nov. 5, volunteers from JA will be visiting Brookside to work with our grade 7s and 9s to deliver the following programs:

Dollars with Sense: Grade 7

Through the newly updated program, our grade 7 students will get the vital tools they need to make smart financial decisions, live debt-free and become savvy investors. Students learn personal money management skills that they can apply to their lives beginning now.

Economics for Success: Grade 9

Our Grade 9 students take a closer look at the advantages of staying in school, as well as learn what's needed to succeed in today's workforce. This program will help students see the link between education and achieving their goals.

What a fantastic opportunity for our students.

Math Help:

If your child requires some extra help in math, please check the Brookside Math Help Website. Just click the link: <https://sites.google.com/a/nlesd.ca/mr-johnson-pcsp/>

Chromebooks:

Students are asked to bring their fully charged chromebooks to school each day. We received many new and repaired chromebooks recently. When more chromebooks arrive, we will get them out to families ASAP.

School Scent Policy:

Parents/guardians are asked to please remind their child about our scent policy. As a provincial government entity, NLSchools has a strict no scent policy. Students are to refrain from spraying or using any perfumes/colognes, scented deodorants, air fresheners, body lotions, etc. We have a number of staff and students who have severe allergies to scented products.

Important Dates to Note

- Mon., Nov. 4: School Council Meeting
- Mon., Nov. 4: District Closeout (no classes this day)
- Tues., Nov. 5: Picture Retake Day
- Fri., Nov. 8: Remembrance Day Ceremony @ 9:30am
- Mon., Nov. 11: Remembrance Day (no classes this day)

Thank you and if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out.

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Admin Team at Brookside Intermediate

Please be advised that Brookside utilises video surveillance and is compliant under ATIPPA legislation.



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