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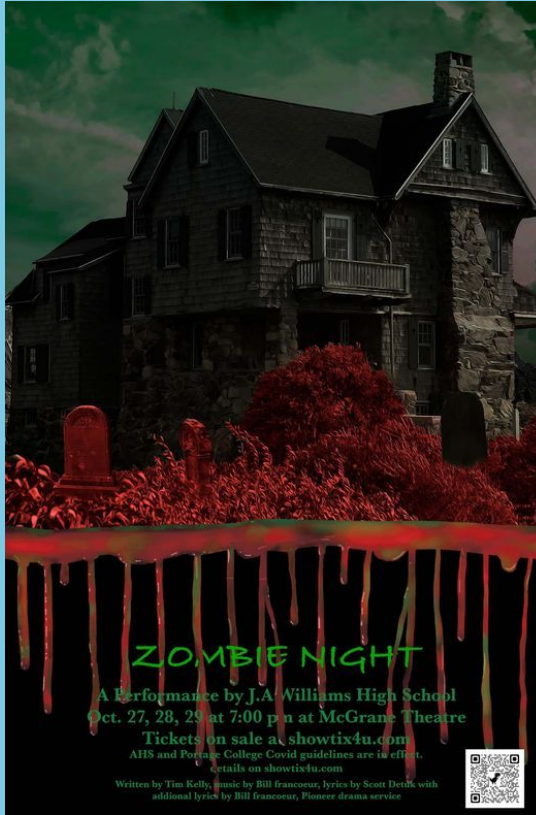
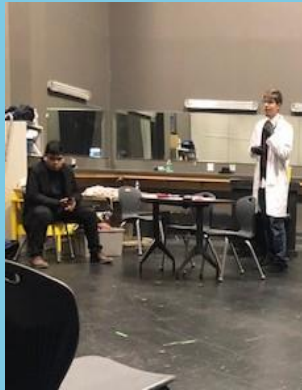


# J.A. WILLIAMS HIGH SCHOOL



# ZOMBIE NIGHT

We are thrilled to be back on stage, showcasing our homegrown Lac La Biche performers, in this Halloween musical. Students have been working daily to perfect the show both on stage and behind the scenes. Countless hours are being dedicated to polishing their skills and preparing to present the show to students, staff, families and community.



This doo-wopping musical pays great tribute to classic horror flicks like "Night of the Living Dead," "The Return of the Living Dead" and "Cemetery High." Howie, Louise, Gary and Phoebe are in charge of "Zombie Night," the annual senior class party. They locate an abandoned farmhouse by an old graveyard, once occupied by the creepy, crawly Dr. Thanatos, who tried to re-animate the dead (gulp!). Vivian and Anne show up, determined to destroy the party. (They're sore losers who wanted a sock hop instead.) Enter a grim farmer who warns the kids that it's dangerous to stay. We soon discover why — zombies! While the decorations go up, the zombies shuffle from the graveyard. Cosmic cannibals! It's zombies versus students!

# JAWS MINI & SENIOR WOW POW 2021

After the last two years we have all lived through, we were grateful that our students and students from many communities across our region had the opportunity to play and participate. These past two weekends reminded us of the importance of sports in our children's lives and the many benefits we have been missing. Playing sports is about much more than wins, losses, entertainment and recreation. It enhances our lives in many ways physically and mentally. It teaches lessons of life, such as teamwork, accountability, self-confidence, responsibility, and self-discipline.

A huge thank you to all volunteers, coaches, scorekeepers, referees, etc who helped make this a safe, successful and fun event. Also thank you to the Bold Centre staff as well as AHS for their support as well. Last, but not least, a huge thank you to Mr. Przybylski for the hours and hours of work that you put into planning, organizing and managing this amazing community event! Wishing everyone many more safe, fun and happy memories in the days and months ahead!







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# ART SMITH AVIATION ACADEMY



# STEAM OFF TO A GREAT START AT ASAA

Grade 6 students have been working with Bloxels to create pumpkin characters that move while playing a game. Next step will be to create their own game course for their character to travel through.





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# WANDERING RIVER SCHOOL



# GOODBYE MRS. HRYNYK (BOX BUILDING AND SUNDAES)





# FIRE PREVENTION WITH WANDERING RIVER FIRE DEPARTMENT





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# H.E. BOURGOIN MIDDLE SCHOOL



# WALK FOR wenJACK

Students are walking every recess around the back field to promote awareness around a significant story as an act of reconciliation.



# PAWS FOR HOPE

This is an extraordinary exploratory promoting empathy in students. The students passionate about animals are currently collecting food for the SPCA!!!









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# AURORA MIDDLE SCHOOL





## FALL ARTWORK AT AURORA!

Students in 4B used construction paper, newspaper, tape, and a variety of fall coloured paints to create these masterpieces!



## \$2,000 Grant for our school

We are excited to announce that we are one of 25 schools across Canada that have been awarded the 2021, \$2,000 BOKS Canada grant to help overcome barriers to participation.

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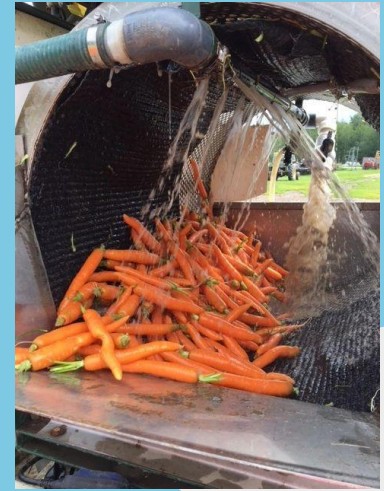
Thank you to our APPLE Schools Coordinator Colleen Moghrabi who successfully lobbied for the BOKS Canada grant. In partnership with the Reebok Canada Fitness Foundation, this grant funding is intended to empower local under-served schools to promote equitable access and inspiration to get kids moving more often, and Aurora Middle School was chosen as one of 30 schools across the country. Aurora will use this to supplement our recess bins to keep kids active throughout the day!



# THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



Our school is a better place for kids because of the generous support of local individuals, organizations, and businesses. We are thankful for the many parents and community members who have been donating old small engines for our shop program, as students explore hands-on learning. Special thanks to **Full Tilt Powersports** who dropped off six quads to work on! We also want to thank **Sand Springs Ranch** for supporting our APPLE Schools program with donations of fresh carrots for healthy snacks for kids, and for offering to run a vegetable-sales fundraiser to support the Fruit Bins program!





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# DUCLOS SCHOOL





Socktober was a hit!  
We kicked it off with Silly  
Sock Day!  
Kids are collecting toiletries  
and socks for our local food  
bank.



A Dr. Seuss Science experiment in Grade 3. They had tons of fun!!

Oobleck is a non-Newtonian fluid. That is, it acts like a liquid when being poured, but like a solid when a force is acting on it. You can grab it and then it will ooze out of your hands. Make enough Oobleck and you can even walk on it!





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# IRON RIVER SCHOOL



# CALLUSES FOR COMFORT RUN

41 IRON RIVER STUDENTS RAISED \$2,646 for the Bonnyville Cancer Centre!!  
As promised: Doughnuts, Principal riding a tricycle in a costume all day, and getting slimed!







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# NORTH STAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

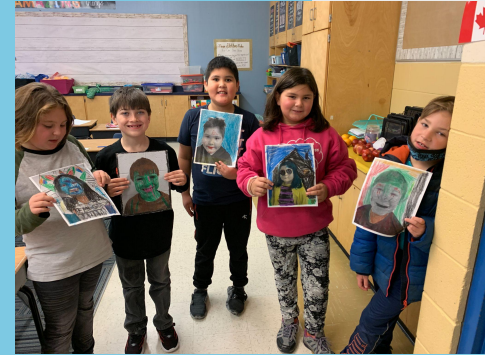
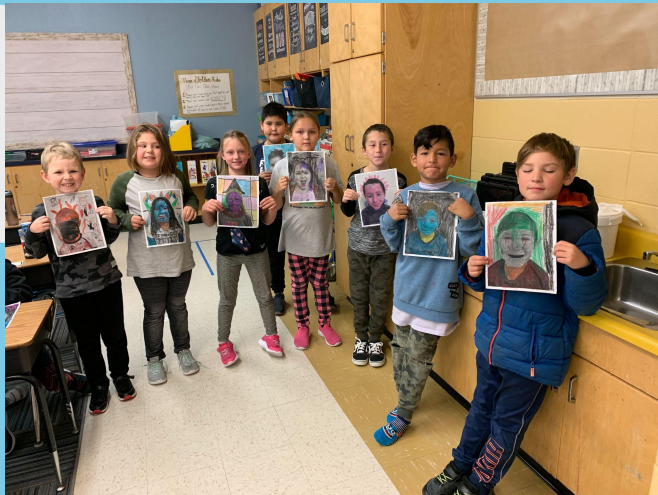
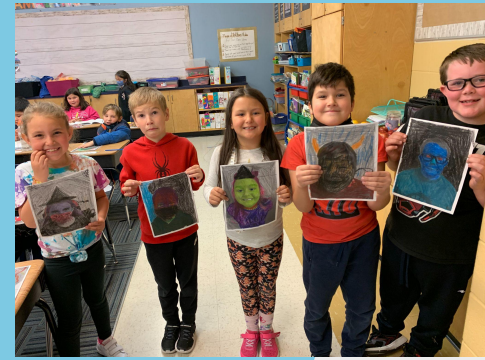






# A PICTURE SAYS 1,000 WORDS!

Halloween Writing: Grade 3 students used a picture of themselves to create a scary Halloween monster and made a descriptive piece of writing using their creation! They used their five senses to describe what their monster looks, sounds, feels, tastes and smells like!





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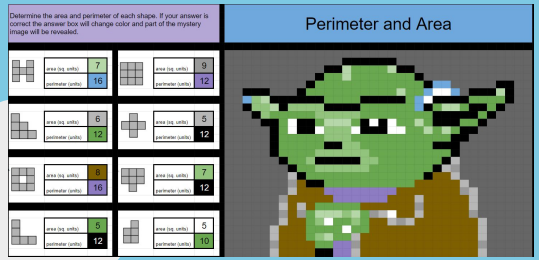
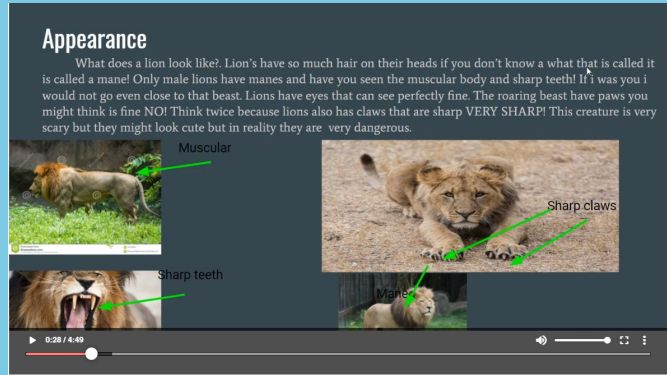


# LEARNING TOGETHER ANYWHERE



We are so proud of our Grade 4/5/6 class. They are expanding their Google knowledge and demonstrating their skills.

Grade 6 student- using google slides and presenting using screencastify



Interactive activities using Pixel Art

Using Google Slide math games to work to develop fluency with mental math. Using Harry Potter and Secret Life of Pets to grab their attention.





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# NELSON HEIGHTS MIDDLE SCHOOL





- On Saturday Oct. 16 our Gr. 7-8 Girls A volleyball team finished third at the tournament in Plamondon.
- Our Gr. 7-8 Girls A Volleyball Team is undefeated in league play.
- We had our first School Council Meeting on Oct. 12 and have a few new parents that have joined our council



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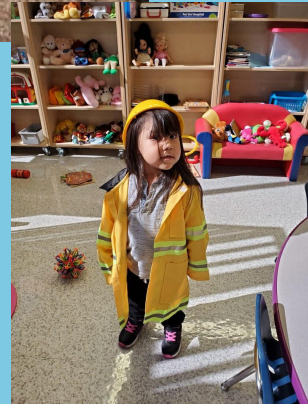


# KIKINO SCHOOL





*"Our 8 Little Lights amaze us every day. Their language use is growing by leaps and bounds. They will play side by side. Crying is less and less! Their curiosity is endless!"*  
...Miss T





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# COLD LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL







Building relationships with our parents has been difficult during COVID i.e. limited face-to-face interactions, less volunteers in building/classes, less field trips, etc ; many parents have communicated to us that they sure miss being in our building.


To grow our relationships between staff, students and parents, we created a **MEET THE STAFF VIDEO**, where each staff member submitted a personal video clip with their pets, favourite hobbies, etc. (Some staff were more comfortable with a personal Bitmoji. ).

We have heard an overwhelmingly excited response from our parents and students. Since we posted the video, oftentimes, teachers have said that even students they don't know have approached them to talk about the teacher's dog, cat, playing the guitar, etc. Our goal was to grow our relationships and positive culture, be more connected with one another, and build our school community! #wellness



# THANKS!

Do you have any questions?  
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**UPLOAD!**

A colorful backpack with a blue top, green sides, and a red front pocket. It has a yellow smiley face on the front pocket and is sitting on a white cloud.