



# Thunderbird Flyer

Mine Centre School's monthly newsletter- October 2022

## Principal's Message

*Boozhoo and Hello!* It is my pleasure and honour to introduce myself as principal of Mine Centre School. I am extremely proud and excited to join this school community and work to support our students and their families. I would like to welcome all of our students and families back for the 2022-2023 school year. I know we will have a fun, exciting and challenging school year together.

If you have not already joined our Facebook page please sign up. We post reminders, important announcements and pictures of the fantastic work the students are doing each and every day!

*Miigwetch, Jeff Carr*

## Bell Times

8:15 - Supervision Begins  
8:30 - Learning Block  
10:10 - Nutrition Break  
10:30 - Recess  
10:50 - Learning Block  
12:30 - Nutrition Break  
12:50 - Recess  
1:10 - Learning Block  
2:50 - School Day Ends



## Open House

We had our Open House on October 5. There was a great turn out and it was great to see many new and familiar faces.

## New Staff

We are excited to have two additional support staff, Lakota and Samantha to welcome here, at Mine Centre School.

## Terry Fox Walk

The Terry Fox walk was a HUGE SUCCESS!! We had a goal set at **\$883.00**. With t-shirt sales, donations from sponsors, and freezie sales we exceeded our goal and raised a whopping **\$1,754.00** for the Terry Fox Foundation and cancer research. **Way to go Thunderbirds!!!** A special thank you goes out to Ms. MacLean as well as all the staff and volunteers who helped to make this a successful event.



## Dates to Remember

October 10- Thanksgiving  
October 21 - Thunderbird Assembly  
October 24- PA Day- NO SCHOOL  
October 31- Halloween Activities



## Birthdays

Happy September birthday to: Claudia, Kaden, Lily, Kealin, David and Nina.



## What happens if your Child has Symptoms of COVID-19?

Parents and guardians are expected to screen their children prior to coming to school. Please use the Ontario Ministry of Health's COVID-19 School and Child Care Screening Tool:

<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/>

If a Student develops COVID-like symptoms at school, their parent or guardian will be contacted to pick them up. The student will stay in a designated room until they are picked up. Siblings within the household will be picked up as well, unless they are fully vaccinated and asymptomatic. From home, the student and their siblings will follow advice from the Ontario Ministry of Health's COVID-19 School and Child Care Screening Tool until they are advised to return to school.

## Dressing for Outdoor activities



Just a reminder to please dress your children warmly and in layers. As the weather cools, classes still plan on going to "camp" and students must be dressed appropriately to be able to participate.

Also, labeling your child's outerwear is a good idea too!

## Reminders

- Microwaves are not available this year. If your child would like something hot for lunch, consider a thermos.
  - Please choose food items that your child can open independently.
  - Students should have their own forks and spoons if required.
  - Students are encouraged to bring a water bottle to fill at our filling stations.
  - Please let us know if your student will be absent due to appointment or illness.
- call 599-2843 or text 271-3978.**

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