



BARRIERE SECONDARY SCHOOL

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October 29, 2021 Updates from Barriere Secondary

Good Afternoon.

It was a great to see all of the school spirit as students and staff wore Halloween costumes and dressed in black and orange. Ms. Elsby and our Leadership class also showed their community leadership as they visited the elementary school and helped the students in Mrs. McGravey's grade 1 and 2 class to decorate sugar cookies. I had the opportunity to join them and it looked like everyone had fun!

Yesterday we had a presentation from TRU for our grade 11 and 12 students. Over 40 students chose to attend and learn about the various programs offered in our local post-secondary school. It was positive to see so many students giving thoughtful consideration to options after their time at BSS.

Next week we will Photo Retake Day. If your child(ren) were absent or need to have picture re-taken this is the last opportunity. Similar to the original date, students dressing in costume or "theme" may be denied a photo sitting. We encourage students to dress their best as these photos are used in our yearbook as well.

Also next week Wednesday November 3 is [Grade 9 Take your Child to Work](#) day. As part of Career Education 9 curriculum, we encourage all of our Grade 9 students to spend the day at the place of employment of an adult of influence in their lives. This can be a meaningful experience for our students, providing a glimpse of work-life after high school. Please consider having your child join you, or another adult in your lives, on Wednesday.

We wish everyone a restful weekend and a safe Halloween if you are celebrating!

Events This week

Tuesday November 2 – Respect Project

- Photo Retake Day

Wednesday November 3 – Grade 9 Take your Child to Work Day

- Drum Circle at Lunch

Thursday November 4 – Respect Project (last session)

Cafeteria Menu November 1-5

Monday November 1 - Muffins, pizza pops/taquitos/Mr. Noodles - \$2 or Poutine - \$5 (Proceeds to Athletics)

Tuesday November 2 Cheesy broccoli soup with biscuit - \$4 or Sausage bake penne with garlic toast - \$5.50

Wednesday November 3 - Tortellini with sauce & garlic toast - \$4 or Taco bowl salad - \$5.50

Thursday November 4 - Chicken Caesar wrap - \$4 or Chili and corn break - \$5.50

Friday November 5 - Hotdog & Tator tots - \$4 or Burger & Tator tots - \$5.50

Cafeteria/Concession Pre-Paid Cards

Concession cards can be purchased on-line, just call the office and speak with Mrs. Luison to get this fee attached to your child(ren) on the School Cash Online system.

Events on the Horizon

PAC Meeting – November 8

Grad Planning Meeting – November 8

Remembrance Day Virtual Assembly – November 10

Remembrance Day (school closed) – November 11

John Tyler

Principal