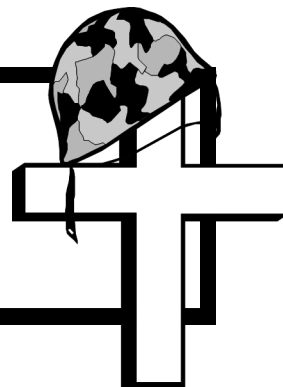


# MILK RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER #3 – November 2021



## ***“Canada Remembers”- Thursday, November 11th!***



**Milk River Elementary Soccer** – We would like to thank our soccer coaches – Team #1 – Ms. Shauna Panczak and Team #2 – Ms. Charlie Garber (Bobbie & Greg Garber). These volunteers made it possible for our soccer players to have a little league playing each other as well as Warner! It was so..... nice to have our eager players back on the field.



**Scholastic Book Fair**—Thanks so much for supporting our Scholastic Book Fair. With the dividends from the book fair sales we were eligible for \$700.00 worth of new books for our school library—awesome! Congratulations to Ellis Turner who won the \$25.00 Family Event Door Prize and also \$25.00 in books for the Kindergarten classroom!

**Hot Lunch**—The Hot Lunch dates for this month are: **Wednesday, November 3, 10, 17 & 24.**

There is no obligation to buy hot lunch, but should you wish to, please watch for the monthly order forms and return them to the school with the appropriate funds by the deadline on the order forms.

**School Picture Retakes**—8:15 A.M.—**Tuesday, November 9**—beginning with preschoolers and Early Learning students—all other grades to follow.



**Remembrance Day**—**Thursday,**

**November 11.** We will be participating in a Remembrance Day assembly with our students on **Wednesday, November 10 at 11:00 A.M.**

Even though we are unable to host a Remembrance Day Ceremony for our parents and community this year, we would like to take this time to honor the veterans of past wars and be thankful for the peaceful and harmonious lifestyle that future generations will continue to live in, and strive for.

This year marks 2 important dates in Canada’s war history. It is the 30th anniversary of the end of the Gulf War where more than 4,000 Canadian Armed Forces members served in the Persian Gulf region.

It also marks the 70th anniversary of the battle of Kapyong which was a key chapter in Canada’s efforts during the Korean War.

We would like to recognize those who have served our nation and take this opportunity to preserve their legacy and to encourage new generations to remember the important contributions so many brave men and women have made to our country and to the world.

***“Take Time to Remember”.***

**School Holidays**—Please make note of the upcoming school holiday for staff and students on **Wednesday, November 11.**

There is also scheduled P.D. Day for school staff on **Friday, November 12** and a school holiday for staff and students on **Friday, November 26!**

**University of Lethbridge**—Student Teachers—We would like to introduce three PS1 students that will be coming to our school from **November 15 — December 16:**

Kindergarten/Grade 2— Sydney Larson

Grade 3 — Willow McDonald

Grade 5 — Natalie Varga

Welcome to Milk River Elementary School!

## **Public Service Announcements:**

### **Milk River Community School Enhancement Society**

would like to send a huge thank you to everyone who sponsored our students in the recent **Walk-a-thon**. We collected **\$7,911.05** to go towards the expansion of the gym in the new school.

The grade 2 and grade 8 classes were rewarded with a pizza party last week for raising the most money as a class in each school—awesome.

**Thanks again for your support!**

### **The Milk River Elementary School**

**Educational Society**—is still looking for parent or community volunteers for our Casino in November!

**Monday, Nov. 22** - 1:00—8:00 P.M. 3 people

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Please contact Marina Balog at 403-330-3754 if you can help out. Thanks!