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Principal

Mrs. Laura Hearn

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Mrs. Katelynn Cornwell

October 2022

NEWSLETTER

School Start Time:

8:45 a.m.

Dismissal Time:

3:05 p.m. (walk/driven)

3:25 p.m. for bus students

EMERGENCY DISMISSAL:

We are Zone 3

From the Grizzly Den

Principal's Message:

Wow a month has gone by so fast, but it has been so exciting to be back at school with all the students. All staff have worked hard to prepare for the students' arrival and have been doing some pretty amazing things in their classes. We continue to make sure all precautions have been put in place to keep our students and staff safe and healthy as possible.

Thank you to all of you for assisting with this process, your patience and understanding doesn't go unnoticed.

The students have done a fantastic job during the school's start up in the first month. It has allowed them to reconnect and begin building relationships with their teachers and peers.

A BIG THANK YOU to all the staff and parents for attending the Meet and Greet we had on Tuesday September 20, 2022!! It was so nice to have an open house and welcome all families and see everyone. The Food trucks were an amazing bonus.

The entire staff looks forward to working collaboratively with the students, parents, and community of Glen Morris to ensure "Success for Every Student,". Please Don't hesitate to reach out to your child's teacher to discuss any issues or concerns.

We wish all our Families a Happy Thanksgiving weekend!!

The Character attribute for the Month of October is:

Responsibility

L.Hearn



BASEBALL INT

Our Intermediate Co-ed team played on September 27th at Green Lane Sports Complex at BCESAA 3-Pitch Tournament. The team played 3 games and played well. We played Brier Park, Echo Place, and Burford schools. The students demonstrated excellent sporting behaviour and enjoyed the day.

Players- Logan C, Leland D, Bradley D, Eshaan G, Tyson G, Jackson H, Nolan I, Maddie K, Henry M, Jessica R, Ethan S, and Faith S.

Thank you to the parents who drove students to and from the tournament. Thank you to Mr. Heeg for being the coach.



BASEBALL JUNIOR

The Jr baseball team represented Glen Morris in a tournament. In a tough match against St. Goerge the Grizzlies came out on top with a score of 3 to 2. Facing Burford was a challenge, but our defence made the game scoreless until the last inning when Burford scored the winning run. We then Faced St. George again but unfortunately lost 3 to 2. Very proud of everyone's achievements and sporting behaviour throughout the tournament. Thank you to Miss. Mackinnon and Mrs. Kitchen for coaching. We are very proud of both teams 😊

Junior Players- Callum, Charlie, Emmitt, Nicolas, Josh, Bailey, Zach, Matthew, Izzy, Morgan, Ariana, Olivia, and Lyla.



School Communication – This year we will print everyone a copy of the newsletter each month. We want to keep you updated on what our Staff and students are up to. Please Follow us on Twitter @GlenGrizzlies and our website Glen Morris Public school for more information and updates.

Safe Arrivals and Departures

Parents have the responsibility to report absences, illnesses, and pick-ups, to our office and the classroom teacher.

If you are picking up your child at dismissal, please wait outside the gate by the playground equipment. If you need to contact the school about a change in your child's pickup for the day, we would appreciate calls be received by **2:30 p.m.** After that time, it is very busy getting students ready for dismissal and we may not get to your request in time.

Please do not park your car in the loop designated for our buses. Bus students will depart from the front entrance at 3:25 p.m. Thank you for your assistance.



Our annual bus evacuation training will be held on Thursday October 13, 2022 for the school.

PICTURE DAY

Picture day- **Tuesday October 18th, 2022**





TERRY FOX RUN September 29th, 2022

We've also had a month of learning about the journey that Mr. Terry Fox took prior to his death in support of cancer research. Thank you to Ms. Storini and Mrs. Keczan for organizing and running the Terry Fox event that was on Thursday September 29, 2022 at our school. We played Trivia every morning on the announcements, and it was very fun activity for the classes 😊 We have raised \$2500 Students are very excited to see Mrs. Hearn perform a Tik Tok.... And they raise enough to have EXTRA recess this week :) whoooooo hooooo The smiles and laughter melted our hearts at the assembly !!!





Truth and reconciliation was Friday September 30, 2022. Orange shirt day is a commemorative day that honours the children who survived the residential school of the past and remembers those who did not. This day relates to the experience of Phyllis Webstad, a Northern Shuswap, who on her first day of school, wore a new orange shirt, which was taken from her. It is now a symbol of stripping away of culture, freedom, and self-esteem experience by Indigenous children over generations. We as a school honoured those lost children and survivors of residential schools, their families, and communities by wearing our Orange Shirts this past Friday.

WHAT IS BULLYING



Bullying is unwanted aggressive behaviour among school aged children that involves a real or perceived power imbalance. The behaviour is repeated, or has the potential to be repeated, over time. In order to be considered bullying, the behaviour must be aggressive and include:

- * An Imbalance of Power: Kids who bully use their power-such as physical strength, access to embarrassing information, or popularity-to control or harm others. Power imbalances can change over time and in different situations, even if they involve the same people.

- * Repetition: Bullying behaviours happen more than once or have the potential to happen more than once.

Bullying included actions such as making threats, spreading rumors, attacking someone physically or verbally, and excluding someone from a group on purpose.

IMPORTANT DATES

October 5th- Saidat Show

October 7th-NO SCHOOL(PA DAY)

October 10th-Thanksgiving Monday(No school)

October 12th-Cross Country(Brant Park)

October 13th-Bus Evacuation

October 18th- PICTURE DAY

October 18th-INT Soccer Tournament

October 19th-JR Soccer Tournament

October 19th-Brantwood Farms

Grade JK-Grade 3

October 27th- Immunization Clinic 7/8

School Council

Hello Families,

Welcome to Glen Morris School Council 😊
Home of the Grizzlies. We are excited for a fun filled year of activities and events. We have had our first meeting and are welcoming all new members to join our upcoming meetings at the school in the library at 7pm

-November 1st

-February 7th

- April 4th

- June 6th

Hope to see you there!!



Fire Prevention Week - Fire Drill Safety Video

We have some exciting news to share.... Glen Morris Grizzlies has been picked to be featured in the Fire Prevention week Safety video. On Wednesday September 28th, 2022 we had the County of Brant Fire department and there media guy show up and video our fire drill. Prevention week is October 9-14th and this year theme is: FIRE WON'T WAIT PLAN YOUR ESCAPE

Please stay tuned for the link to view the video on Our Twitter Page and on the County of Brant Fire department twitter.



Cross Country

Our meet this year will be held on Wednesday October 12th from 9:15am to 1:45pm at Brant Park Conservation Area. Our rain date is Thursday October 13th.

The Grand River Conservation Authority charges \$3 per student who to participate in the run. Thank you to our school council for covering this charge for our grizzlies to take part.

The students have been practicing everyday and are excited 😊



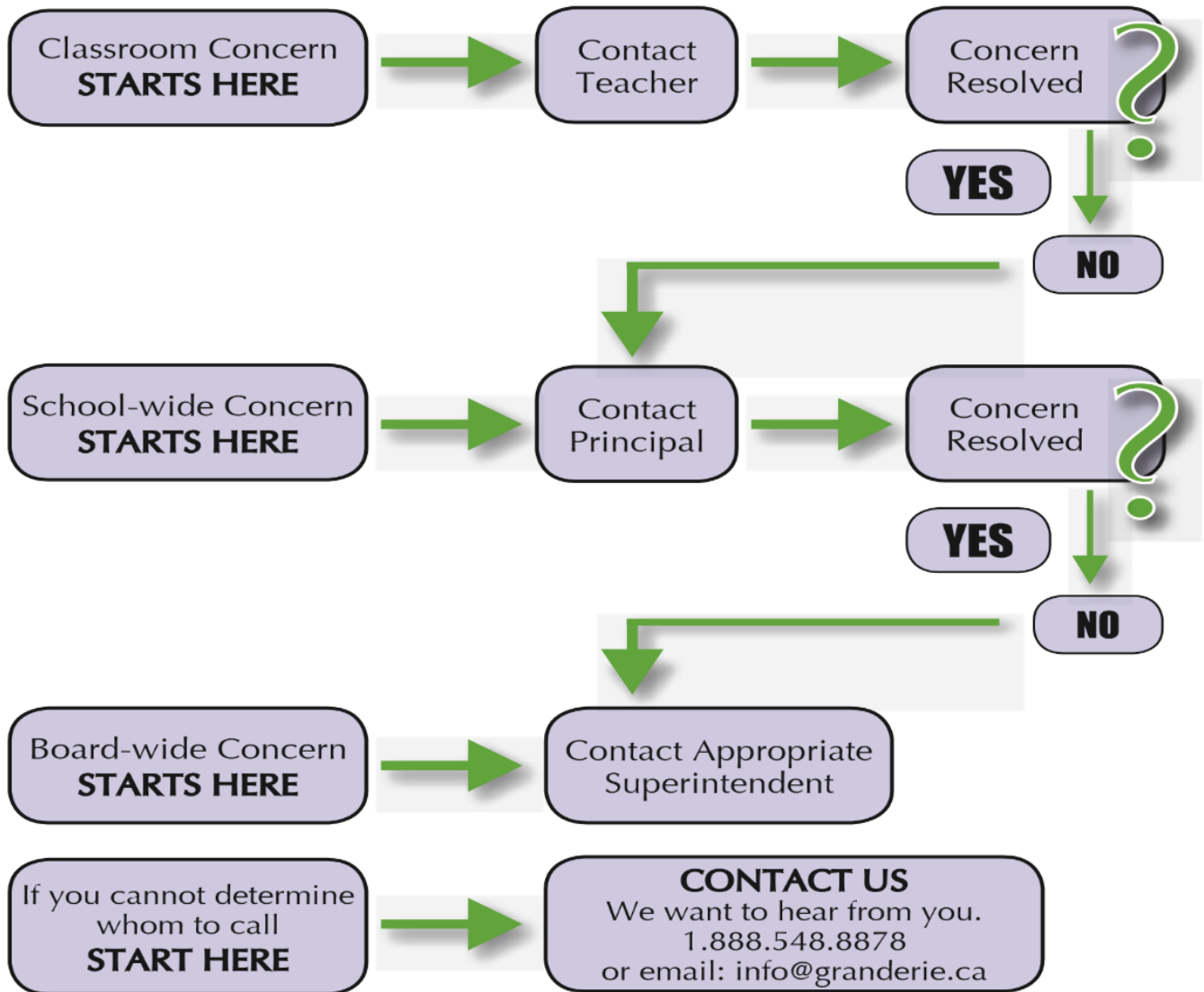
CHOCOLATE BARS

We are starting our first Fundraiser of the year. We are selling Laura Secord Chocolate bars. The box is \$90 for 30 assorted chocolates. It is ready for purchase on school cash online!!! Great time to ask Family and friends at Thanksgiving 😊 Lots of prizes to be won..... Who can sell the most?





HOW TO GET HELP WITH A CONCERN

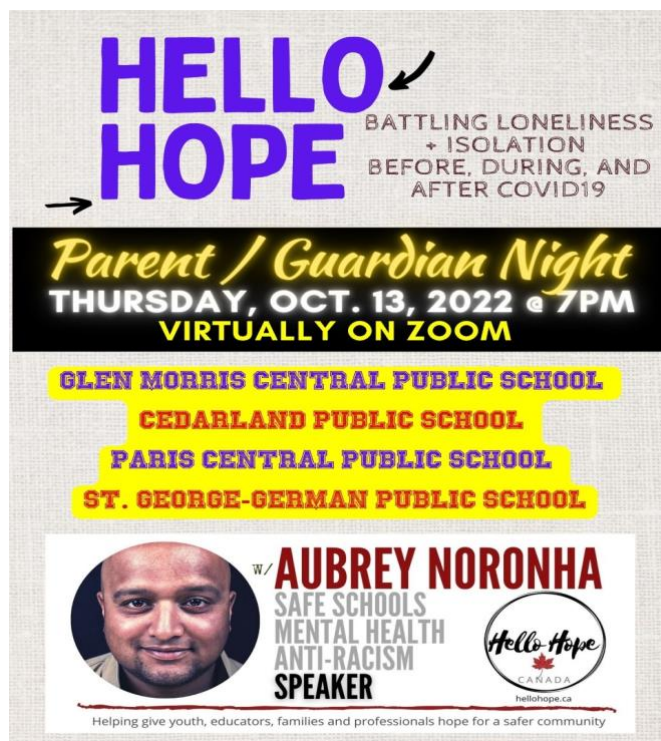


YOUR TRUSTEE CAN GUIDE YOU THROUGH THIS PROCESS.
Find your Superintendent and Trustee Representative at granderie.ca

SUCCESS for Every Student

One of Glen Morris goals this year in our school plan is to promote and build a culture of learning, well-Being and belonging for our students, staff and families.

Join us for a virtual presentation on October 13 @ 7pm. See information below



HELLO HOPE BATTLING LONELINESS + ISOLATION BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER COVID19

Parent / Guardian Night
THURSDAY, OCT. 13, 2022 @ 7PM
VIRTUALLY ON ZOOM

GLEN MORRIS CENTRAL PUBLIC SCHOOL
CEDARLAND PUBLIC SCHOOL
PARIS CENTRAL PUBLIC SCHOOL
ST. GEORGE-GERMAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

w/ **AUBREY NORONHA**
SAFE SCHOOLS
MENTAL HEALTH
ANTI-RACISM
SPEAKER

Helping give youth, educators, families and professionals hope for a safer community

October 13th,2022 Virtual Link Below

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84085348876>



Fall fun at Brantwood Farms. This Month the Jk-Grade 3 are going to Brantwood farms On Wednesday October 19th in the morning for some fall activities. It is available on School cash online.



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