

Poltimore Elementary Monthly ROAR!! November 2024



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Principal's Message

Dear Poltimore Elementary Families,

Wow... November is already here! October was a busy month with lots of fun learning activities and Halloween spirit! Thank you so much to our School Council: Keegan, Clara, Logan, Zoey, Charlie-Ann and Benoit for organizing our spirit week. A special thanks to Ms. Mandy for organizing the Halloween scavenger hunt and Ms. Melinda for providing the special treat at the end.

Today students and staff enjoyed a play from Georgie Theatre. *The Velveteen Rabbit* taught us the lesson of learning how to balance the right amount of technology our lives.

Students and staff have been working hard as we are nearing the end of term one. Term one report cards will be available on the Parent Portal November 15th and the parent teacher meetings will take place after school Thursday, November 21st from 3-6:30pm to discuss student progress so far. More information will follow to schedule parent teacher meetings.

As usual, please take a moment to read through the newsletter and check out Seesaw to stay up to date on what's happening in our school!

If you have any questions or concerns never hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

Melanie Hogan

Upcoming Events:

Nov 1st- Georgie Theatre

Nov 11th – Remembrance Day

Nov 15th – Report Cards available to parents

Nov 21st – Parent Teacher Interviews 3-6:30pm

Nov 22nd – WQSB PD Day

Change of daily routine

Poltimore School has a part time secretary. If there is a change to the end of day routine please email your child's homeroom teacher **AND** our secretary **Melinda** no later than 2pm meldupuis@wqsb.qc.ca

School Fence

Poltimore School has received a new black chain linked fence. The installation is in the final stages of completion. Not only is the improved aesthetic is much appreciated, but this new fence keep our students safe and allows for classes to enjoy the front of the school if needed.

Dress for the weather!

Mornings are getting chilly! Please ensure your child(ren) are dressed in layers and have hats and mitts.

If your child requires a snowsuit or any other winter apparel, please contact Ms. Melinda by email with items needed and sizing. We will do our best to find the necessary items.

Clothing – Donation

Our school has received a generous donation of clothing from pants, shirts, sweaters, jackets and rubber boots. If you are in need or interested, please reach out to Ms. Melinda.

Poltimore Clubs

Lunch clubs are in full swing. The clubs offered for students to join are Lego club, language club, Karaoke, garden club, and library club. Clubs are a great way for students to get involved at school. Encourage your child to get involved, or if they have another club idea have them see Ms. Hogan or one of their teachers to share their ideas.

WQSB Elections

The school board elections for Ward Six will be Sunday, November 3rd between 10:00am-8:00pm at Poltimore School. For more information, please see the public notice located at the main entrances of the school and/or visit the [WQSB website](#).

Tweens/Teens and Screens Webinar

On Thursday, November 7th from 7:00pm – 8:30pm, Connexions Resource Centre will be having a live webinar regarding the impact of screens on your tween or teen's mental health. If you are interested, register at www.centreconnexions.org.

November Focus: Respect

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				1 Geordie Theatre & Pajama Day!
4	5	6	7	8
11 Remembrance Day! 	12	13	14	15 Report Cards on Parent Portal.
18	19	20	21 Parent Teacher Interviews 3-6:30pm	22 WQSB PD Day!
25	26	37	28	29

Joke Joke!

Why did the teacher wear sunglasses to school?
Because her students were so bright.