

BIBLE HILL CONSOLIDATED ELEMENTARY



"Be a
buddy"

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Message from Ms. Fougere

As we get closer to the cold weather, it is time to dig out your child's mittens and proper hats. Please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for the diverse fall weather conditions. They enjoy getting outside for recess and lunch so it is important they are comfortable as well. Thank you in advance! We appreciate parents/guardians taking the time to call in your child's absences from school. Also, if you have a change in phone number or contact information, please let your child's teacher or Mrs. Reynolds know as soon as possible.

If you have any questions or concerns please call the office at 902-896-5511 or email Mrs. Reynolds at reynoldslj@ccrce.ca.

Yours in education,
Kathy Fogere, Principal
Jacqui MacIntosh, Vice-Principal

Important Reminders

- November 2: Home & School Meeting at 6:00PM @ BHC
- November 10: Assessment and Evaluation Day- No School
- November 13: Observance of Remembrance Day: No School
- November 18: BHC Home & School Craft Fair 10:00-2:00PM
- November 24: Student Progress Meetings PM
- November 25: PD and Student Progress Meetings- No School
- December 13: Turkey Dinner and PJ Day
- December 20: Last day of School before Holiday Break
- January 3, 2024: First Day back after Holiday Break

October Award Winners

Congratulations to our October Award winners!

- Good Sport Award: 2 Thiesen
- Golden Broom Award: P Roy
- Tuneful, Beautiful, Artful Award: 2 Quirk
- Buddy's Choice: 3 LeBlanc

School Advisory Council (SAC)

SACs are advisory bodies to individual school principals, regional centres for education (on a range of issues related to their local schools and the overall school system. SAC membership can vary, but generally consists of the school principal, parents/guardians, teachers, other school staff, students, and community members. SAC membership should reflect the diversity of the school community.

BHC SAC Chair: Kathryn Bremner

Kathryn has two daughters - Ellie, who is in Gr 6 at Redcliff, and Myra, who is in Grade 3 at BHC. She lives in Kemptown with her husband, Donnie, the girls, and their dog, Max. Kathryn works at Divert NS, and when she's not busy taking kids to activities, she loves to spend her free time outside, walking her dog in the woods. If you have any questions or concerns that you'd like to take to the SAC, you can contact Kathryn @ BHCsac2022@ccrce.ca

For more information on the BHC SAC including contacts and meeting minutes click the following link: https://bhc.ccrce.ca/about_us/s_a_c

BHC Home and School Group

Thank you to everyone who is volunteering with the Home & School Group this 2023-24 school year! The next H&S Meeting is **November 2, 2023 from 6:00-7:00pm!** If you are interested in participating or want to help in any capacity please contact reynoldslj@ccrce.ca

BHC Home& School Craft Market: for further information on vendors visit

https://www.facebook.com/events/194534783673131/?post_id=200905193036090&acontext=%7B%22source%22%3A%229%22%2C%22ref_notif_type%22%3A%22admin_plan_mall_activity%22%2C%22action_history%22%3A%22null%22%7D¬if_id=1697719511758995¬if_t=admin_plan_mall_activity&ref=notif



BHC Giving Market

We are very excited to bring back the BHC Giving Market on **Friday December 15, 2023 from 9:00-12:00** but we need your help!! We will be accepting donations starting November 1st, 2023 of new or gently used household items, toys, books (no stuffies or fragrances please) for students to select for their immediate family members/ caregivers as gifts. There will be no cost for students to select items and they will be decorating brown paper bags to "wrap" their items in. We thank you in advance for your donations!

From the Office

- BHC Clothing Order: Our Bible Hill Consolidated online clothing store is back this year for any students, family or staff who wish to order. You can access the store by clicking the following link https://bhc.fundytextile.com/bible_hill_consolidated/shop/home
- Toys at School: We ask families and students to please refrain from sending toys (Pokemon cards, Fidgets, Crystals, stuffies etc.) to school.
- Parking Lot: We understand the school parking lot has been quite busy and there is limited parking, but we ask that you **do not double park in the loop or park on the grass.**

Village of Bible Hill

Village of Bible Hill is excited to announce we will be offering in-service camps throughout the school year!

Inservice Day Camps will be offered for children ages 5-12 (must currently be in or past grade primary) on November 10th and November 24th from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM (at the latest) at the H. Douglas Boyce Village Hall, located at 69 Pictou Road, Bible Hill. **Registration is now open for November camps!** The cost is \$25 per child per day. Registration is on a first come, first served basis. You must have payment (**cash or cheque**) AND registration forms submitted to the office, for your child's spot to be confirmed. Spaces are limited. Register in person at the Village Office, located at 67 Pictou Road, Bible Hill. We are open Monday to Friday from 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM & 1:00 PM to 4:30 PM.

Registration forms are available at the office or at the following link:

<https://www.biblehill.ca/in-service-day-camps>

For assistance or accommodations, please contact the office at 67 Pictou Road, admin@biblehill.ca or 902-893-8083. We will open registration for in-services at the first of each month!

Celebrate the holidays with Bible Hill's tree lighting!

The Village is hosting its annual tree lighting on Saturday, November 18 at 6:00 PM at the front yard of H. Douglas Boyce Village Hall. There will be outdoor entertainment provided by Bible Hill Junior High School

Band, Redcliff Middle School Band and Redcliff Middle School Choir, as well as refreshments, and a visit from a special holiday visitor to greet children. Come out and enjoy the joy of the season with your friends and neighbours. See you there!

Holiday Ornament Painting Workshop

Village of Bible Hill is hosting a Clay Café holiday ornament painting workshop on Thursday, December 7, from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM. All festive supplies will be provided and registration fee is \$10 per painter. We can't wait to see your fabulously festive paint skills! Visit the Village Office to register!

Holiday Cookie Decorating

Join us on Wednesday, December 20, at 7:00 PM for an evening of cookie decorating. We provide cookies, icing, and decorations, at no cost to you! To ensure we have enough cookies for everyone, please contact the Village Office to register by December 15. Let's come together to spread the joy of the holiday season with sweet treats and deliciously festive fun.

Did You Know?

- Our Breakfast Program is offered in classrooms to students 5 days a week and is accessible to everyone.
- Our mascot Buddy shares an inspirational message to students everyday on the announcements.
- Two grade four students read the announcements for the week.
- Each class has the opportunity to display their art work in the office every month.
- There is a daily slideshow that is displayed on the tv's around the school everyday. The children love to watch them to see if they can spot themselves or their classmates!
- We announce your students' birthdays on the announcements and for those who have summer birthdays we announce in June.
- We give Bucket Drops to students when we see them doing kind or positive things. Every Friday there is a draw for BHC pencils and a few times a year we draw for a new book to take home!

Bulldog Brags



Parker Furlotte in Grade 4 Piers received Offensive MVP!



Congrats to Breton Kennedy, Nolan Clark and Parker Furlotte for a successful first season with the Truro Tide!!!

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