



No School Days

May 16th—Family
Friday

May 19th— Victoria Day

THANK YOU

NSES

MAY 2014
NEWSLETTER

SUMMER
IS

NEAR



***To all the volunteers who
attended our annual
“Volunteer Luncheon”**

**We hope you enjoyed the
fabulous home made
goodies and the amazing
entertainment.**

*Our Volunteers make
NSES the best it can be!!*



***To the families
who attended the
Literacy Night.**



**We hope you enjoyed the
stories and are continuing
to read to your children
every night.**

Provincial Achievement Tests

The Grade 3's will be
participating in
Provincial Achievement
exams in May.

May 13— English Language
Arts—Part A Writing

9:00—10:10 a.m.

May 15th—French
Language Arts—Part A
Writing

9:00—10:10 a.m.

It is recommended that on
these dates the children:

- *have a good night's sleep
- *eat a good breakfast
- *not be late for school



Please continue to monitor
your child's weekly
homework. Be patient and
encouraging. If you or
your child is feeling
anxious please contact
your classroom teacher.

SCHOOL COUNCIL/PAA NEWS

MEETING

Our next School Council meeting will take place on

May 20th

at 6:30 in the staffroom.

CHILD CARE IS

PROVIDED

Your input is important, please try to attend one meeting in the school year.



HAPPY HIPPO

Fundraiser

What a success!!

The PAA raised \$920.00 with this fundraiser.

Enjoy your bath bombes and shower spritzers!

Thank you to all those who participated.



HOT LUNCH

A pre-ordered, pre-paid hot lunch program is organized weekly.

SORRY NO LATE ORDERS ACCEPTED!

Please be sure to send snacks and extra lunch (fruit, juice etc) on hot lunch days.

The hot lunch is not meant to replace all your child's lunch. The hot lunch is meant to replace the sandwich or main course.

Please double check you have put your child's name on the hot lunch form. Every month we receive several back with no name provided. If this happens your child may not receive their lunch.

MILK SALES

Both chocolate and white milk are available for students to purchase for **\$0.75.**

Milk coupons are available in the office for students to purchase.



SCHOOL EVENTS

SPIRIT DAY

Bug Day—May 7th

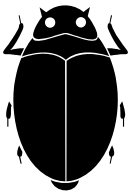
It will be Creepy Critter day at NSES on May 7th.



Put Bugs in your hair, draw bugs on your face, wear



bugs on your clothes. Use your imagination!



Sunglasses Day - May 28th

Be Cool—wear your shades to school!



Class Picture Day

SMILE!



On May 26th all students will have their picture taken with their classroom.

NO money is required for class pictures.

PANORAMA PICTURE

Will be taken on May 26th. An order envelope will be sent home with your child. If you are interested in this 11X14 color panoramic photo of all students at NSES, please send the envelope with the money back to the school by MAY 25th.

SORRY NO LATE ORDERS ACCEPTED

.My Newsletter Made It Home

Contest

Please cut out the coupon below, fill in your name and room number and have your parents initial the coupon.

Bring the coupon to the office and a draw will be made at assembly on **May 28th.**

A prize will be given to the winning entry to

SHARE

with their classroom.

Name _____

Room # _____

Parent Initial _____



2014-2015 REGISTRATION

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION



We are accepting
Kindergarten
registrations for the
2014-2015 school year.

Kindergarten will now be
5 days a week!

Please register early!

Registration forms are
available in the school
office.

*Give your child the
opportunity to become
Bilingual.*

*Enroll them in our
French Immersion
Kindergarten Program.
Call the school for
more information.*

KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE

MAY 2ND

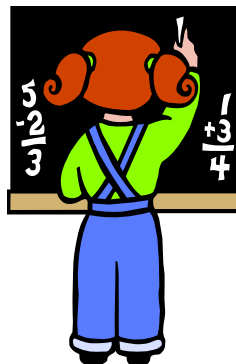
9:30—11:00

OR 1:00—2:00

BIRTH CERTIFICATES ARE REQUIRED

UPON REGISTRATION.

Children must be 5 years
old by March 1, 2015.



School Bus Transportation

In town bus registrations
will start in June for the
2014-2015 school year.

Space is limited so please



register
prior to
school
starting.

*Registration is
available at the
following website:

www.nlsd.ab.ca

click on the
transportation site

or by phone at

(780) 826-6038.

LIBRARY NEWS

Keep reading every day!!

**Read to your parents,
grandparents, brothers,
sisters, friends and the
family pet.**



NEWS FROM THE

LIBRARY

**Last day of library classes
will be on**

JUNE 6th.

**ALL LIBRARY BOOKS ARE
DUE BACK BY**



**JUNE
12th.**

**North
Star**

Elementary will be hosting a

HALF PRICE

Scholastic Book Fair

on the following dates:

May 21st 9:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m.

May 22nd 9:00 a.m.—3:30 p.m.

PARENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

***Please call Mrs. Bodeux
at 594-3232 if you can help
with the book fair.***

THANK YOU!

Reading Tips for Busy Families

How can you help your kids balance school work with their after school activities and still leave time for fun and reading?

***Create a routine**—try to keep reading time consistent all year round. It's a very good way of relaxing a child for a good nights' sleep.

***Get everyone involved**—At times your schedule may not work well around your child's reading time. Ask another family member to read to your child. It's a great way for them to spend quality time together.

***Give kids a break**—try taking turns reading to each other. Sometimes your child may not feel like reading—maybe read something to them that you are interested in.

***Keep it fun**—Encourage them to read books that appeal to them.

