



BLUMENORT SCHOOL

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April 30, 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We hope that all is continuing to go well for you and your family during this time.

Today, we would like to inform you about Home Learning Package #3, the opportunity for you to sign out Library Books from Mrs. Friesen and a special note about our upcoming Blumenort Staff Parade.

HOME LEARNING PACKAGE #3

- Home Learning Package #3 will be available on:
 - Thursday, May 7th from 8:15am - 4:00pm
- To sign up, please visit the Parent Portal and choose a time under Mr. Schettler.
- You will book the appointment using the name of your YOUNGEST child at our school.
- Once there, you will have the option to select a pickup time during a 15-minute window.
- This time around, all pickups will be done using our Main Bus Loop.
- Once you have made your way to our school, please remain in your car as you enter our bus loop and wait to be directed to your awaiting package. Please check the label on the package to ensure it is the correct one.
- At the same time, we would like to ask that if you have any items that need to be returned to our school - e.g. work from the first or second package, classroom library books, locker locks, library books, etc. please place them in a secure bag and label who it is for and your family name and place them in the Blue Collection Bin.
- In order for us to have your items ready to roll, we ask that you please sign up by Wednesday at 10pm.

LIBRARY BOOK SIGN-OUT OPPORTUNITY

This is an invitation to all the Blumenort students who have read all their at-home books and are looking for something new. On May 7th and 8th, when school packages are picked up, library books can also be included in these packages.



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To choose your books...

- Go to our library's website destiny.hsd.ca
- Click on Blumenort School and from there you can see all 15,000 titles.
- Each student can choose up to 5 books.
- This is available to all students with a reminder that the books need to be returned in the condition they went out.
- Please limit your graphic novel and gaming book choices to 1 only.
- Send Mrs. Friesen (elfriesen@hsd.ca) your list and you can expect to see them in your school package.
- This may be a good time to explore a genre you have not tried before.
- While you're looking at titles, remember how the labels read:
 - P-Picture books (grade K-3)
 - PF-Primary Fiction books (grade K-3)
 - F-Fiction books (grade 4-6)
 - JHF-Junior High Fiction (grade 6-8)
- Feel free to email Mrs. Friesen (elfriesen@hsd.ca) if you have any questions.
- Deadline for your book requests - Wednesday, May 6th @ NOON

BLUMENORT STAFF PARADE

Our entire Blumenort Staff would like to let you know that we will be holding our Blumenort Staff Parade on Wednesday, May 6th starting at 11am.

We will begin by making our way down every urban street and then make our way through our rural locations. A parade route map will be shared with you soon. It is very important however to remember all physical distancing guidelines, so that is why we are encouraging those viewing to give a wave from your front step as our staff drive by.

Once again, as we work our way through the updates that come our way daily, we would like to remind everyone to please check out the COVID-19 Updates link that is found on both our school and divisional websites for all the latest.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thank you,
Dave Schettler
Principal, Blumenort School