



BLUMENORT SCHOOL

BENGALS UPDATE 07 - OCTOBER 13, 2023

Blumenort Parent Advisory Council Annual General Meeting

Our Blumenort PAC AGM is set for this Wednesday, October 18th at 9:30am, here at the school. Please RSVP our school if you plan to attend. Our PAC is also in the process of recruiting new members. In particular, they are looking for people interested in being our Volunteer Coordinator, our Student Liaison and our Communications Lead, to name a few. If those positions interest you, please be prepared to share at the meeting who you are and what position you are interested in.

Fundraiser Schedule for 2023-2024

Every year, our school and PAC work together to coordinate a balanced fundraising schedule for our families. For each fundraiser a detailed letter will be shared outlining the rationale. Here is what you can expect this year...

OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	FEBRUARY	APRIL	JUNE
Cookie Dough	PAC La Cocina Chips	Chocolate Almonds	PAC Rocco's Pizza	PAC Family Picnic

Blumenort School Cookie Dough Fundraiser

Our Momentum Gourmet Cookie Dough Fundraiser is underway and will run until October 27th. A letter and tally sheet has been sent home with our students and it includes all of the information you will need. Here are a few highlights...

- All orders and money should be turned into the school by **Friday, October 27th**.
- Any cheques should be made payable to Blumenort School.
- There will be great prizes available to our sellers.
- The product is typically delivered two to three weeks after all the order forms are collected. This is subject to change.

Bus Safety - October 16-20, 2023

The third full week of October is observed as School Bus Safety Week in Manitoba. Manitoba Education and Early Childhood Learning bases its annual theme on the National Association of Pupil Transportation (NAPT) poster contest theme. This year's theme is **"Safely Rolling to my Destination"**. The week is an opportunity for students to receive school bus ridership training; for reminding parents and the motoring public to be particularly careful around school bus vehicles; and, for school divisions to examine their pupil transportation practices. At Blumenort School, our drivers will be holding front-door evacuations and this may delay the arrival time of your little ones at the end of the day. If you have any questions, please let us know. Although the school bus safety week theme changes annually, one message remains constant – be aware and be safe around the school bus.

Grade 7&8 MYLO - Middle Years Learning Opportunities

Our Grade 7&8 MYLO is now in full swing. For those wondering what MYLO is, it's taking the time we once used for Tech. Ed and Home Ec. and having our students participate in a number of great learning opportunities with our own staff. In September, our Grade 7&8 students spent some time at Red Rock. This month, MYLO continues with two separate events - one for our Grade 7s and one for our Grade 8s - both on Friday, October 27th. Our Grade 7s will be heading to the Mennonite Heritage Village in Steinbach for a full day of activities, which will include Vis Com. Our Grade 8s will be off to the Bio Lab and Human Rights Museum in Winnipeg. Our teachers will be in touch with more information, including the permission forms. As always, If you have any questions, please let us know.

KIDS

PD Day Camp

Full Day
\$40

Half Day
\$25

RRVSD School Closures- October 18th & 19th

Province wide PD Day- October 20th



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