

**FUSION News** 

August/September 2024



#### WELCOME BACK

We are excited and happy to see our returning students and families again, and would like to extend a warm Fusion welcome to all of our new families and students!

### MORNING ARRIVAL

Students are asked to enter the building at their designated doors upon arrival of buses or no earlier than 8:15am. Teachers will be sending first day information via email to parents and designated doors are indicated on the map outlining the new drop off lane on the following page. We will begin with our national anthem, O' Canada, and our Treaty No.6 Acknowledgement at 8:30am.

#### Children who arrive after 8:25am are asked to come to the front office to check in where we will help them find their classrooms.

### **NEW STAFF**

There are some new, and returning staff this year at ÉBPS. Welcome aboard everyone!

- Trish Spink Assistant Principal
- ✤ Allison Sass Grade 4 Teacher
- ✤ Marcel Turcotte Grade 8 Teacher
- Daniel Harrington Grade 3 Teacher
- ✤ Ian Bradford REAL EA

- ✤ Kira Klar Grade 5 Teacher
- ✤ Nicole Beliveau Librarian
- ✤ Kelsey Kiers REAL Teacher
- ✤ Stephanie Rideout REAL Teacher

# MEET THE TEACHER

#### September 5<sup>th</sup> from 5-7pm

Hot Dog BBQ (cash donations welcome but not required) Junior High (grades 7-9) parent and student information session at 6pm in the Learning Commons

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Terry Fox Run September: September 13 Immunization Teaching (Grades 6): September 13
  September 24
  Picture Days: October 1&2
- Orange Shirt Day: September 27

Please check our website calendar for any new or updated events

## HOT LUNCH

The student hot lunch program will once again be offered and run by our wonderful team of parent volunteers from FIMESPAF. Letters will be sent home with each student and will be updated on our website with all the information you will need to sign up and place orders.

## NO SCHOOL

September 2 - Labour Day September 20 - PD Day September 26 & 27 - REAL PD day for our REAL program students only September 30 - National Day of Truth & Reconciliation

## PARKING

Please do NOT park at the church across the street; we no longer have permission to use their parking lot for overflow parking. Also, please do NOT park in the nearby business lots. Tickets may be issued by by-law.

So where ARE parents supposed to park? There is limited parking available to parents and visitors in the parking lot located southeast end of the lot facing the fence. Please respect areas that are designated for staff parking only, and avoid "creating" new parking stalls. We STRONGLY encourage all of our families to utilize the student drop-off lane in order to contribute to a smooth drop off experience.



The map pictured above shows you the direction to follow when dropping off or picking up your child. There are three lanes parallel to the school. The **lane closest to the school is for busses only**. It is very important to remember that ALL parents who are doing the same want to do so in a *safe and efficient* manner. Please be cautious, considerate and courteous to your fellow Fusion families when navigating this busy lane by driving slowly and carefully.

The drop off lane is to the left of the sidewalk—this is the ONLY area where you are permitted to stop your vehicle long enough for your child to embark or disembark your vehicle safely. <u>Parents are NOT</u> <u>permitted to leave a vehicle unattended in this lane</u>. Supervisors will be present within the drop off area. Should you wish to meet your child at their designated door, then you will need to park in the appropriate parking area and walk to meet your child.

The lane between the drop off and parking is meant to be a <u>non-stopping</u> exit lane only, for those leaving the drop-off lane. Parents are not to park in this lane.

When exiting onto McLeod Ave, we ask that you **turn right** onto McLeod to allow for smoother flow of traffic.

Please proceed with caution when you are driving through the parking lot, driving slowly enough so you are able to stop if you suddenly need to. Parents must yield to busses, busses have priority to ensure their routes are on time.

Thank you to all of our families for both their patience and diligence in adhering to these guidelines in order to ensure the safety of all students, staff, and visitors. We appreciate that parking at Broxton Park School can be challenging, but we know that when it comes to the parking lot, the children's safety is everyone's number one priority!