



Holly Elementary School

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What's Happening

October	
18 - 27	Fall Clothing Drive
20	Grade 7 Volleyball Game at Delta Christian
21	Non-Instructional Day – NO SCHOOL
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25	Grade 7 Volleyball Game at Ladner Elementary
25	Grade 6 Volleyball Game at Home
25 – 27	Book Fair (Oct 26 Family Night at Book Fair 6:00-8:00 p.m.)
27	Grade 7 Volleyball Game at Home
28	Movie Night (7:00-8:35 p.m.)
31	Fruit & Vegi's (Heirloom Tomatoes)
31	Halloween Parade
November	
1	Grade 7 Volleyball Game at Port Guichon
1	Grade 6 Volleyball Game at Home
3	WE Day (Grade 7's)
10	Remembrance Day Assembly
19	Holly Family XMAS Market

Posted on Web Site

- ✓ Grade 7 Volleyball Schedule
- ✓ Grade 6 Volleyball Schedule
- ✓ Poinsettia Order Form

Photograph Proofs



Photograph previews were sent home today. You can order the photos online at order.mountainwest.ca. Your preview booklet contains a Login Code to access your photos online or order by filling out the form on the envelope & return it to the school by **October 27**. Ordering online has a number of benefits: better selections of products and options, and instructions in English, French, Punjabi, Chinese and Arabic. **There is a charge for late orders.** Missed Photo/Retake Day is **Monday, November 7th**.

Fall Clothing Drive

Our Fall clothing drive will be held from October 18 - 27. Pack up your re-usable and damaged clothing, shoes, purses, hats, backpacks, linens, etc into sturdy garbage bags and drop them off in the hallway outside the gym. The donations will be picked up by Trans-Continental Textile Recycling Ltd and distributed to Third World countries or recycled into rags for sale to local companies. Holly School will be paid by the pound, raising funds for our students. We will require volunteers to move and count bags in short shifts of 15-30 minutes of your time! Contact Kerri Deane at kgdeane@telus.net if you're interested in helping.





Book Fair

Come to Our Bookaneer Book Fair!
Yarrrrrrrr! Beware of Pirates roaming the Halls of Holly for The Bookaneer Book Fair!!!
Where Books are the Treasure!

The Scholastic Bookaneer Book Fair is coming to our school! A boat-load of books will wash ashore on

Tuesday Oct 25th 9am - 4pm

Wednesday Oct 26th 8am – 2:30pm and **6-8pm (FAMILY NIGHT with Treasure Hunt activity)**

Thursday Oct 27th 9am – 4pm

EVERYONE is invited to join our crew! There will be fun activities, awesome contests and a fabulous family event Wednesday, October. 26th at 6:00-8:00! Plus if you bring all your kin to the fair, you'll have the chance to win free books!!

Get hooked on Reading at the Bookaneer Book Fair!

BEWARE OF PIRATES!

Movie Night

Bring your camping chairs, pillows blankets and friends! NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINK is allowed. There will be drinks and snacks available for \$1 or \$2

When: Friday October 28th

Time: Doors @6:30pm Movie @7:00pm (over at 8:35)

What Movie: Hotel Transylvania

Cost: \$2 for kids (adults are free)



Halloween Parade



Families are invited to view Holly's K-7 Halloween parade from the gym on Monday, October 31 at 1:15 pm. Students will be encouraged to go home for lunch at 12:15 to change into their costumes or may bring their costumes to school and change when they return inside after the lunch break. After the parade, students will be participating in special activities for the remainder of the afternoon.

Emergency Preparedness School Wide Release

Our drill on October 7th went very smoothly for the most part - thankfully the weather cooperated.

We managed to release all but approximately 30 of our students within an hour and fifteen minutes. We also learned a few lessons which will help us manage any future releases (drills or otherwise) more efficiently.

Thank you to all of our families for your patience as we ran through this important drill. Please be reminded to ensure that your "Emergency Release" permissions are up to date through Parent Connect if you haven't already done so.

Cutlery For Lunches

Please remember to send cutlery in your child's lunch bag if they are going to need it to eat their lunch.



Holly Family XMAS Market

Shop Local & Support our school!

Don't miss our 3rd Annual
Holly Family XMAS Market
Saturday Nov 19, 2016

Fresh Popcorn
and Bake Sale!!

30+ Vendors!



Raffle draw!

FREE Admission!

10 - 4 in the gym

Join us for this fun, festive, and family
oriented shopping experience featuring local
artisans and businesses.

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For more details
contact Alison at
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Drop Off/Pick Up Zones

Before and after school are busy times in the Holly parking lot. Please continue to use the drop off/pick up zones along the field appropriately by not parking and leaving your vehicle in them. If you need to park please use the stalls along the sidewalk and hedge as well as the lot in the first parking lot. The second parking lot and traffic loop in front of the office are for staff parking, approved daycare buses and emergency vehicles. Please take extra note of the two PAC-auctioned parking stalls. These are reserved for the two highest bidding-families during our welcome back BBQ. For this year we would like to congratulate the Reisler family and the Wachowski family for winning the exclusive use of the two parking stalls as indicated by the signage. Please ensure those two parking spaces are left vacant for their use and we look forward to the parking stall auction again next year. We appreciate everyone's continued support in ensuring our school parking lots and streets are safe places for our Holly students.



Rainy/Cold Days



Just a reminder to parents that as the weather changes and gets wet and cold to please be sure to check that your child is dressed appropriately. We do send students outside at recess and lunch as we feel it is important for them to get fresh air. It is important that students are dressed warmly enough. Flip flops are not appropriate foot wear for school.

Sincerely,

Mr. B. Thompson
Principal

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