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# Wildcat Weekly

### What is School Council?

School councils are structured groups of parents, principals, teachers, students and community representatives who work together to effectively support and enhance student learning. They provide a means for members of the school community to consult with and provide advice to the principal and the school board.

School council functions include:

- consulting with the principal to ensure students have opportunities to meet Ministry standards, fiscal management is sound, and the community is taken into consideration during school-based planning
- advising the principal and the school board on topics as requested
- being involved in school-based planning
- sharing ideas and information with other school councils and provincial organizations
- communicating information to the school community and other school councils
- setting policies that relate to school council functions

Have your voice included by getting involved in our school council. First meeting will be September 9<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 – 7:00 pm.



## Millarville Community School Swag!

Visit <u>our school store</u> to order MCS clothing! As a school we love to show our school spirit by wearing school colours and clothing on Fridays!

# Community News! <u>Fundraising Society</u>

At MCS we are so happy to have a dedicated group of parents lead our fundraising efforts. We are starting off with Apple orders again this year – people were thrilled with the apples last year, and we are happy to be able to offer them again. In case the form didn't travel home, I've attached one with this email.

The Millarville School Fundraising Society is an integral part of our school, and they are in dire need of helpers and parents able to help with their monthly meetings. Please contact me if you would like information on how you can help out. They are the reason why MCS has been able to give so many unique learning opportunities to our students with minimal school fees.

## Pancake Breakfast

Thanks to all who have spoken to me about volunteering for pancake breakfast. We are still in need of more volunteers, and would love if someone who has been involved in years past would help organize the event.

It's a wonderful tradition and while we had delayed it from the first full day of school, we were thrilled that changes made provincially still allow us to have the event.

We look forward to seeing you Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup> which will correspond with our Terry Fox Run at the school. Stay tuned for more information next week.

#### Picture Day

Our school photo day will be Tuesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>. While we loved the outdoor photography last year, we are returning to indoor pictures this year. With that, we are pleased to announce we get to have full class photos again!

Please keep an eye out for more information coming home with agendas. Should your child be away that day, retakes will occur on November 4<sup>th</sup>.