## **BLACKIE BARK**

# NOVEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup> TO NOVEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup>

### A Message from School Administration

It's incredible to think that we've already made it through the first week of November! Last week's Halloween celebrations were a terrific success. Thank you to everyone who contributed to the fun and frivolity.

At last week's Parent Council meeting, we met our new School Board Trustee, Mr. John Evans. Mr. Evans spoke about his passion for kids and learning and how he plans to be a strong advocate for rural schools. This Fall, Parent Council representatives have been busy engaging in meetings with different playground companies as a plan is developed to refresh our existing space. They have also been busy coordinating the organization of our school's casino and the successful Coco Brooks fundraiser. We understand there are still volunteer slots outstanding for our casino. If you're able to contribute some time, please check out the attached flyer for the link. Among other things, the funds raised from these initiatives are used to offset the cost of fields trips and to support learning initiatives and technology updates in our school. We are so appreciative of the efforts our dedicated parents Please join us for our next Parent Council meeting. It's a terrific way for us to engage with our parent community and to responds to questions and feedback.

During the week of November 15 to 19, we will be holding our first Student/Parent/Teacher interviews. Teachers will be reaching out to families to set up appointments. It is our goal to connect with every family in our school community. We hope you can set time aside to celebrate your child's learning.

Have a terrific weekend and don't forget to set your clocks back for an extra hour of sleep! Chase & Tammi

November 8	3 <sup>th</sup> to No	vember	12 <sup>th</sup>

Sunday (7)	Monday (8)	Tuesday (9)	Wednesday (10)	Thursday (11)	Friday (12)
FALL Back Time Change			Remembrance Day Ceremony at Blackie School	Remembrance Day  Non-Attendance	Staff Learning Day  Days for Students

### **Upcoming Dates:**

Week of November 15 - 19: Student/Parent/Teacher Interviews

November 17: Parent Council Meeting (6:30 pm)

November 17 & December 1st: Triple Ball

#### School Fees

Note: A \$100.00 Band Instrument Rental Fee has been added to student accounts in Grades 5-8.

Fee invoices have been sent home and edsembli logins were emailed on Oct 13<sup>th</sup>. Please save your edsembli information for access throughout the year.

If you believe your family may qualify for a Waiver of Fees, please click <u>here</u> for more information.

You may also contact our Office Administrator, Ms. Amy Wight to discuss options for a fee payment schedule.

A Week at a Glance