

# Natoaganeg School

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## Dear Parents/Guardians:

Our first month of school is complete. It has been a successful month of getting back into the school routine for both students and staff. Please read through the newsletter and the attached calendar to be informed of what is upcoming at our school.

There is also a copy of the cafeteria menu attached, please review it with your child, if there is something they do not want on a particular day, send them with a lunch. Please note that from time to time the menu may change.

## Orange t-shirt Day

Natoaganeg school staff and students participated by wearing orange t-shirts and walking in support of residential school survivors and the principle that every child matters.



## Fall Harvest Celebration

The Harvest Celebration was a success. There was fun had by all. The students took part in various activities such as pumpkin painting, jumpy castle and a potato picking challenge. They enjoyed eating zucchini bread, homemade salsa and fruit kabobs.



## Save the Date!

### October 5<sup>th</sup>

Middle School students will be taking a trip to the Pumpkin Farm in Rexton. A bagged lunch will be provided, please ensure your child is dressed appropriately. The bus will leave school at 8:45am and return at 1:45pm.

### October 9<sup>th</sup>

Thanksgiving  
No School

### October 19<sup>th</sup>

Picture Day

### October 26<sup>th</sup>

Halloween  
Dance 4-6pm





**Students must be signed in when they are late and must be signed out by an adult, if they are leaving early.**

**Students are not permitted to sign themselves out and walk home alone during school hours.**

Attendance is important to the overall academic and social success of your child.

## Attendance Policy

School attendance is taken at 8:30 a.m. Your child is late at 8:31 a.m.

Breakfast is served from 8:05 – 8:25 am. Walkers should arrive as close to 8:05 am as possible (especially if they are eating breakfast).

All students arriving after 8:31 am are considered tardy and **parents must sign them in** at the office before going to class.

All students being dropped off must arrive through the main doors of the building. **Parents must park in the school parking lot and walk your child into school and sign the late form.**





At Natoaganeg School we live by the **Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds, Healthy Spirits** philosophy and we do our best to impart this message to the students. One way we do this is by providing the children with a healthy and nutritious breakfast and lunch each day.

Children should come prepared with a healthy snack that is low in sugar and sodium. Some examples of an appropriate snack are: applesauce, fruits, veggies, cereal bar, granola, yogurt, cheese, milk (white or chocolate), crackers.

### Goody Cart:

We will be selling healthy items in the goody cart once again this year. Also there is no borrowing. Goody Cart prices are \$1 for a food item and \$0.50 for a chocolate milk.

The Home and School Association will be selling bags of popcorn on Fridays for \$1.



### Parents of K4 to Grade 2 students:

**If your child is taking the bus please remember that the student must be accompanied to and from the bus stop. Even if the bus stop is at the end of your driveway. A parent or guardian must be visible to the bus driver when students are being dropped off at the end of the day. For safety reasons small children should not be left unattended at the bus stops.**



We will be having our Halloween dance on Thursday October 26<sup>th</sup> from 4-6pm. Admission cost is \$3. There will be pizza and snacks available for purchase. Children in K4-gr.2 must be accompanied by an adult.

## Stay safe this Halloween

- Don't trick or treat alone
- stay in well lit areas
- trick or treat in a familiar area
- never enter a strangers home

## SOCCER

Gr.3-5

Tues. Oct.3 vs Nelson @  
EG 3:30pm

Thurs.Oct.5 vs BC @ BC 4pm



## CROSS COUNTRY

Every Wednesday:

**Oct.4<sup>th</sup>** Gr.3-5 @ RB

Gr.6-8 @ Strawberry  
Marsh

**Oct.11<sup>th</sup>** Gr.3-5 @ Gretna Green

Gr.6-8 @ Nelson

**Oct.18<sup>th</sup>** Gr.6-8 @ Gretna Green

## BEADING

Open to boys and girls in grades  
4 to 8.

Every Monday from 2:40 to 3:30  
pm

**Starting October 16th**

**Stay up to date on school happenings:**

**Follow us on Twitter @Natoaganeg\_school  
and**

**Our website [www.eelgroundschool.ca](http://www.eelgroundschool.ca)**

## SEPTEMBER PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

We would like to express THANK YOU to all parents for recognizing the importance of our attendance policy.

This months perfect attendance winners are: Arabella Simon & Xavier Ward

### **K4**

Weston  
Silas  
Moises

### **K5**

Fisher  
Michael  
Arabella

### **Gr.1/2**

Gianna  
Kayden  
Ray  
Kylan  
Samuel

### **Gr.3/4**

Isaiah  
Nolan  
Ian  
Johnny  
Brooklyn  
Elexis  
Abigail

### **Gr.4/5**

Shayna  
Shelby  
Rachael  
Blade  
Khriisa  
Serenity

### **Gr.6**

Landon  
Preston  
Mikey  
Kaido  
Mariah  
Xavier

### **Gr.7/8**

Nathan  
Ayden  
Marcus  
Samuel  
Kohen  
Cameron  
Mathyis

**Students with perfect attendance  
will get their name put into a  
monthly draw to win a gift card.**



# Paths in our school

Parents...

talking about what we think and feel is important. But, just as important is the skill of listening. Listening is a skill that our children are encouraged to get better at in school. At home, listening is also a skill that you want to encourage. When someone listens to us, we know that they care about us. In PATHS time, we learn that listening to each other is just as important as being able to talk about ideas, feelings, and share information. If no one listens, we cannot solve problems. If no one listens, we cannot share ideas. If no one listens to us, we do not feel valued. Our students are important to us all. Let's listen to them and encourage them to listen to us too.



## Apple picking



### SUCCESSFUL NEWSLETTER DELIVERY BALLOT

Sign below to indicate that your son/daughter has delivered to you this month's newsletter. Have your child return this ballot to the ballot box located at the school office by **Friday, October 20th 2017**. At the end of the month a draw will be made for a gift certificate from all the ballots that are returned.

**Last month's winner: Johnny Larry**

Parents Signature

Childs name

Class