

CARL A. NESBITT PUBLIC SCHOOL

"HOME OF THE NITROS"

OCTOBER 2018

Calling All Volunteers!

We have launched our Breakfast Program, but need your help! We have a fully equipped kitchen and have been provided with generous funding from Better Beginnings, Better Futures.

Any parents who would be available to help during a morning would be greatly appreciated.

Terry Fox Run

Carl A Nesbitt's Terry Fox Run was held on Thursday, September 27th. All students participated in a walk around the school. Thank you to everyone who supported this worthy cause. We raised over \$3,400.00! Go Nitros!

Character Education—Respect

The following students were recognized for demonstrating the character trait we highlighted for the month of September:

302- Khendrick G.	403 – Dane N.
3/4 - Keira H.	506 – Mieshoueh M.
507 - Mila R.	605 – Kaylee V.
608 - Shelby J.	710 – Emma C.
7/8 - Elora S.	813 – Emmet T.

October's Character trait is EMPATHY. For the next month, we will be on the lookout for students demonstrating this character trait.

Student Pick Up and Drop Off

In order to keep our students safe in the bus loading zones, we ask that parents dropping off or picking up their children use the following locations:

Morning drop off: Roy Avenue
Afternoon pickup: Leon Street
Thank you!

Je parle francais!

The following students were selected by their teachers for demonstrating exemplary efforts in speaking French during the month of September:

302- Blake H.	403 – Owen O.
3/4 - Madeleine S.	506 – Paulina M.
507 - Georgia K.	605 – Mackenzy S.
608 - Serafina G.	710 – Corbett V.
7/8 - O'Sean Y.	813 – Logan L.

Bravo!

Winter Clothing Collection

Carl A. Nesbitt P.S. is participating in this year's winter clothing campaign from September 26th to November 18th. This is a great opportunity to clean out your closets and donate coats and such that are no longer used in your household.

Gently used or new winter coats, mittens, hats, scarves, snow pants and boots for children and adults will be collected, washed if needed and redistributed to families and individuals in need.

Thank you for supporting this very worthy cause!

School Caisse Student Savings Program

Once again, this school year you can count on the school caisse to help teach your child about money management. This program has been around for over 100 years and aims to help young people manage their savings and spending habits independently and responsibly.

If your child is already a member of the school caisse, we hope they'll participate again this year. If your child hasn't joined yet, but would like to, you can enroll them online at schoolcaisse.com.

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Field Trips and Permission Forms

Thank you for filling out the permission forms and returning them promptly to school when students leave the school for sporting and cultural events or other trips that enhance the students' understanding of the curriculum.

Unfortunately, it is not feasible for students to call home just prior to leaving because they have forgotten their permission form. It is also a good lesson in responsibility—rarely does a student forget twice! We do require the Rainbow District School Board-approved form for insurance purposes. A note from a parent is not acceptable. Since these forms do accompany the students on the trip, we respectfully ask that you complete all the required information.

How Is Your Child Doing In School?

A Message To Parents/Guardians About Report Cards

Sharing information with parents/guardians is an important part of student learning. When parents know how their children are doing in school, they have even more opportunities to support their success.

Once again this year, there will be a Progress Report and 2 Report Cards for elementary students.

1. Progress Report – October 30th, 2018
2. Provincial Report Card – February 20, 2019
3. Provincial Report Card – June 28, 2019

The **progress report card in October** is designed to show a student's development of learning skills and work habits during the fall of the school year, as well as the student's general progress in working towards the achievement of the curriculum expectations in all subjects. This assessment for learning will provide feedback on

your child's progress leading up to the provincial report card. **There will be Parent Teacher interviews on November 1st.**

The **provincial report card in February** will provide an evaluation of your child's learning from September to January as well as the development of learning skills and work habits during that period.

The **final provincial report card in June** will provide an evaluation of your child's learning from February to June as well as the development of learning skills and work habits during that period. All schools in Ontario, including Rainbow Schools, are using a report card developed by the Ministry of Education. Parents/guardians will be able to follow their child's progress regardless of which school they attend.

A sample of the report card is available at [rainbowschools.ca](http://www.rainbowschools.ca) under the Parents section or by clicking in the following link :
<http://www.rainbowschools.ca/parents/elementaryReportCard.php>

For more information about report cards, please contact your child's teacher or principal.

Sports Corner

Students at Nesbitt have already had many opportunities to get involved in athletics this Fall. Thank you to Mme Deschenes and Mme Lavigne for coaching our Cross Country Running Team. The team participated in the Laurentian University Cross Country Running event on September 25th. The next Cross-Country run is on October 16th at Kivi Park.

Other coaching staff include:

Mr. Stone and Mme Paradis – Intermediate Volleyball

Mr. Major – Intermediate Soccer

Mme Laurin – Junior Slo Pitch

Mme Forigo and Ms. Cranston – Junior Basketball

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Bingo Volunteer Training

Nesbitt Bingos will happen sometime in the new year. Volunteers must undergo a mandatory training program. Upcoming sessions are:

Monday, Oct 15th, 9:00 a.m. at the Delta Bingo and Gaming Centre on Notre Dame.

Tuesday, November 13th, 6:00 p.m. at the Sudbury Food Bank on Webbwood Drive

Wednesday, December 12th, at 9:00 a.m. at the Delta bingo and Gaming Centre on Notre Dame.

Sessions are just over an hour long and no appointment is needed. For more information, please contact the school.

FSL Homework Toolbox

Looking for ways to support your child as their learn French? The FSL (French as a Second Language) Homework Toolbox website is an excellent resource! Please visit <http://www.fslhomeworktoolbox.ca>. This site has excellent supports for students in Grades 1 to 12, for both Immersion and Core French help.

RDSB Homework Program

Please visit the Rainbow website Homework page where calendars will be posted each month, along with many extra resources for families to access.

<http://www.rainbowschools.ca/parents/HomeworkProgram.php>

Keep in Touch

Website:

www.rainbowschools.ca/elementary/ca_nesbitt

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Carl A Nesbitt P.S. October 2018 Calendar

Character Trait of the Month: EMPATHY

Tuesday, October 2:	Hot Dog Day
Tuesday, October 2:	Junior Slo Pitch – Terry Fox Fields
Wed., October 3:	Pizza Day
Thursday, October 4:	Subway Day
Friday, October 5:	9:00 Bus Safety Presentation
Monday, October 8:	Happy Thanksgiving! No school today
Tuesday, October 9:	Hot Dog Day
Tuesday, October 9:	Boys Spike It Volleyball Tournament at Lasalle S.S.
Tuesday, October 9:	SDHU – Grade 7 Vaccination
Wed., October 10:	Pizza Day
Wed., October 10:	Intermediate Co-Ed Soccer - Kinsman Sports Complex in Walden
Thursday, October 11:	Subway Day
Tuesday, October 16:	Hot Dog Day
Tuesday, October 16:	Cross Country Run – Kivi Park
Wed., October 17:	Pizza Day
Wed., October 17:	Grades 3, 3 / 4 and 4 to Lake Laurentian
Thurs, October 18:	Girls Spike It Volleyball Tournament at Lasalle S.S.
Thurs., October 18:	Subway Day
Tuesday, October 23:	Hot Dog Day
Tuesday, October 23:	Intermediate Girls Volleyball Tournament at Confederation High School
Wed., October 24:	Pizza Day
Thursday, October 25:	Subway Day
Friday, October 26:	P.D. Day – No school for students
Monday, October 29:	School Picture Retake Day
Tuesday, October 30:	Hot Dog Day
Tuesday, October 30:	Intermediate Boys Volleyball Tournament at Confederation High School
Wed., October 31:	Happy Hallowe'en!
Wed., October 31:	Pizza Day