

COPELAND COMMUNICATIONS FOR FRIDAY OCTOBER 19th , 2018

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Monday October 22nd = ELECTION DAY

- On Monday October 22nd Copeland will be a Polling Station for the Municipal Election
- Our Gym will be in use all day and Gym classes will continue in other locations



WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 24TH = PEEL TEACHING ASSISTANT and EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATOR APPRECIATION DAY

- In 2014, the board of trustees declared the last Wednesday in October as the Peel Teaching Assistant and Early Childhood Educators' (ECE) Appreciation Day
- The Peel board appreciates the important work of teaching assistants and ECEs, and the contributions that they make in the lives of children, families and community members
- Thank you to all of our wonderful Assistant and Early Childhood Educator staff: Ms. Connell (TA) , Mr. Hughes (TA), Ms. Montgomery (TA), Ms. Haluk (TA), Mrs. Tenaglia (BTA), Mrs. Bhambra (DECE), Mrs. Bora (DECE), Mrs. Saggu (DECE)



THURSDAY OCT 25TH = Junior Soccer Festival

- On Thursday a selected group of Grade 4/5 students will represent Copeland at the Soccer Festival
- Have fun Coyotes!



FRIDAY OCTOBER 26TH = Photo Day!



- "Edge Imaging" will be at Copeland PS to take student photographs and Phys-ed classes will not change their clothes that day, in order to help us all stay clean and tidy.
- Students should come to school dressed for their portraits, so bring your smiles!

PIZZA AND SUB DAYS are Coming to Copeland!

- Stay tuned for cash on-line information that will come out soon! Thanks to all of our student Coyotes who encouraged moms and dads to join our council and volunteer to help organize these events!



PLAN AHEAD: WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 31ST = SCHOOL SPIRIT DAY AND PARADE

- Please see information about our School Spirit Day and Parade below
- Parents requesting alternative activities must send a note to class teachers by **Friday Oct. 26th**

Please Read Below: Preventative Dental Service is coming to Copeland!

- Thank you to all of the Copeland families that have already sent in the “Pink” return form, this service cannot take place without your consent.



FREE Preventive Services at School



Preventive Services may include: dental cleaning, sealants and fluoride

Where: Copeland PS

When: October 29 - November 19, 2018

Who: Students who returned their pink form

If you would like your child to participate in the **FREE** preventive services please complete and return the pink form to the office before **October 18, 2018**.

If there are any changes or conditions to your child's health after completing the form please contact Peel Public Health at 905-799-7700 extension 5622.

Peel Public Health – Oral Health

For more information, call Peel Public Health at 905-799-7700 ext. 5622

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Plans for Wednesday, October 31st

Wednesday October 31st will be an exciting day at Copeland PS. The day continues to follow our regular timetable and regular programming will take place in all classes. Beginning at 9:30 am all students will be invited to participate in a special School Spirit day parade. Students may wear a costume to school on that day or dress up in fall colours to celebrate their school spirit. Students are asked to come to school already dressed in costume. Students are encouraged to bring a bag (labeled with their name on it) for any costume accessories or items should they choose to take them off later in the day.

The parade travels throughout the building, and weather permitting on the tarmac allowing students an opportunity to see other classes and the many outfits here during the day.

Parents are asked to help students make appropriate wardrobe choices to ensure items brought to school are not valuable or hazardous. Make up is discouraged, unless it is very simple and students have it applied already in the morning.

To help everyone feel secure, please follow our board safety guidelines:

- **ALL MASKS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED.**
- **DO NOT** wear costumes with accessories or props, such as replica guns, knives, whips, chains, torches, etc., which may promote images of gratuitous violence or cause distraction or disruption to learning activities.



Due to the limited space on the busses large props (e.g. wings) should stay at home. Students will have a few minutes to get ready following an announcements or period one.

Parents are welcome to come and watch the parade. We ask that all visitors **DO NOT** enter the building but gather around the back of the school at the edge of the hardtop to view the parade.

Thinking of GOBLIN a treat or two? Again, this year we ask all families to realize several students have severe allergies, so please **DO NOT SEND ANY FOOD / CANDY TO SCHOOL TO CELEBRATE THE DAY.** Thank you for your support!

Fun, alternate activities (e.g. board games, word searches, videos) will be provided in the library for those students wanting alternative activities or for those who do not celebrate Halloween. We ask that parents send a note to the classroom teacher by **Fri. Oct. 26th** requesting that your child participate in the alternative activities.

Everyone that day is expected to honour our board and school values and demonstrate that they care, are cooperative, honest, inclusive, respectful and responsible.

WITCH outfit will you be wearing? See you there!

