

# Thunderbird News

October 13-16, 2020

## Thank you to our Volunteers!



This week, we want to honour the contributions of our volunteers working our Bingo and Casino this Thursday and Friday, as well as our PAC representatives for all the wonderful work they do; most recently, they've supported the addition of new sewing machines for our Home Ec programming. The Aurora growing dome owes a special thanks to [Lac La Biche Equipment Rentals](#)

for donating the use of their dump trailer to bring more dirt into the dome and to **Mr. Andy Guinand** for donating nutrient rich soil !

## Dress for the Weather!

Brrrrr!! It's getting cold outside, and because of Covid precautions, your child will be remaining with their class cohort for recess; we don't have common areas to place students who aren't dressed for the weather, so when it is time to go outside, then your child must go outside. Send your child prepared for fresh air and exercise by dressing appropriately for the temperatures!

## Halloween Celebrations at Aurora - SAFETY FIRST !

Students will be permitted to come to school in costume on Friday October 30, though parents must note very specific guidelines. Because our Covid precautions will not change, students must still wear their AHS approved mask; this means they cannot have a halloween mask of any kind that inhibits the proper wearing of their appropriate face covering. No face coverings except for your Covid-face covering! As well, no weapon-like costume accessories will be permitted (no swords, guns, knives, etc.). For safety reasons, Halloween activities must be conducted by cohorted class. Students should also be reminded that sharing of candy and other snacks is strongly discouraged so we can prevent the spread of illness.



## **Pre-Order Lunch and Snack Cards - Saturday Night**

All lunch orders must be made by midnight on the **Saturday before** that week of school. Go to <https://nlsd.schoolcashionline.com/> to order for lunches or for concession cards. We aren't using any physical cards for our 'concession cards', so note that each **Tuesday morning**, any funds you've added to your child will be added to your child's card in the cafeteria. The snack list should be now online and will be updated accordingly. If you need to register for this service, Please Register Online:

Step 1: Go to School Cash Online

Step 2: Register by selecting the "Get Started Now" and following the steps.

Step 3: After you receive the confirmation email, please select the "click here" option, log in and add each of your children to your household account. To do this, you need your student's last name and Alberta Student Number (ASN), which is listed on their report card and on PowerSchool (in the upper left hand corner of the screen).

Step 4: If you want to receive email notifications when new fees are added, please ensure the notification box is checked in the Manage Your Notifications section. If you have any questions during the registration process or while shopping online, please select the SUPPORT option in the top right hand area of the screen.

### **Important Dates:**

Casino (FtMac) - Oct 15/16

Bingo (LLB) - Oct 16

System Day - Oct 26

Halloween Celebrations - Oct 30

Remembrance Day - Nov 11

Parent Teacher Interviews - Nov 17/18

Family Friday - Nov 20

Family Friday - Dec 4

Winter Break - Dec 21 - Jan 3