



Warner School



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November News

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Greetings from Warner School!
October was a very busy month for many of our students.

Athletics update: We have teams that are just wrapping up their seasons in Volleyball. We have enjoyed a very successful soccer season with our grade 3-5 students, as they have learned a lot about teamwork. We will now turn our athletics focus to basketball and curling. We are always on the lookout for parents that are able to coach our teams, so please let the school know if you are interested and able.

Academics update: Awards are in the process of being distributed to our worthy winners. Warner School greatly appreciates the support that we get from our community to make these scholarships and awards possible.

Around the school: Warner School is fortunate to have not one, not two, but three wonderful student teachers from the University of Lethbridge. These student teachers have been sharing their skills and enthusiasm with our students (and staff), and they have been welcome additions to our learning family. We always appreciate the help and ideas that come with accepting student teachers into our classrooms.

Career Fridays for grades 6 and up have begun, and they will run until mid-February. These options courses have students learning in our Foods room, taking courses in Cosmetology, performing in the Workout Centre, designing Cardboard Boat race entries, and work on computer design. So far, these courses and the options provided have been well-received by our students.

We are always on the lookout for community members that have skills and talents to share. Of special interest are tradespeople that can offer a place for individual students to safely observe and participate in learning skills in areas such as welding, carpentry, automotive maintenance, etc. Please let us know if you are able to facilitate this type of opportunity for one or two of our students. Thank you.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Santa's Workshop: Warner School will be hosting Santa's Workshop again this year, with Covid modifications. Santa's Workshop is an opportunity for students to purchase Christmas gifts for their family members. All items are priced at \$1.00. All proceeds from the workshop are donated to the Warner Christmas Food Hampers. We are looking for donations of gently used, new or re-gifting items for the workshop. Please make sure all donations are clean. Donations of wrapping paper, gift bags, tags, tissue paper and shoe boxes are also welcome. If you have any items to donate please call the school (403)642-3931 to arrange a drop off time. The workshop will be held the 2nd week of December. Thank you for your support.

School and Parent Council News

Parent Council: The next Parent Council meeting is Tuesday Nov 30, 2021 —6:25pm at Warner School. All parents are welcome to attend. Covid rules will be in effect. Please bring your mask. If you wish to view from home please contact bryan.pritchard@horizon.ab.ca for the zoom link.

Around Our School

The Leadership Council (previously known as the Student Improvement Committee) is back up and running. The Leadership Council meets every Thursday to discuss and plan different school spirit and fundraising events. This year, the fundraising effort will be donated to the Dominican Starfish Foundation (<https://dominicanstarfish.com/>). Stay tuned for more fun events like our Halloween celebrations!

Scholastic Book Fair: Scholastic Book Fair is scheduled for November 15th to 18th. It will be the usual, in-school Book Fair, with real books, posters, and gadgets to choose from!

Report Cards/Parent-Teacher Interviews: Report cards will go home on Friday Nov 19th for Grades K-12. Parent/Teacher interviews will be Thursday Nov 25th. Watch for a message from your child's teacher with details. (will be either phone/zoom meeting)

No School: There will be no school Thursday Nov, 11th, Friday Nov 12th and Friday Nov 26th.

Senior boys Volleyball is wrapping up for the season! The boys have played several tournaments and exhibition games and have developed into great players. Thanks to Mr. Kidd for coaching and giving our students a fantastic season.



Grade 4/5 Art Work "Bridges"



Grade K/1/2 Art Work "Trees"



Grade K/1/2 Art Work "Monsters"



Grade 2/3 Art Work "Birds"

Halloween 2021

Results from Halloween:

Costume: Grade K-3 (Creative)— Nemo— Colby Virostek

(Funny)—Taco—Skylar Nelemans

(Scary)—Hazmat—Lucas Preston

Grade 4-7 (Creative)—Disco Tennis Player—Avery Pittman

(Funny)—Mom & Baby—Cole Pittman/Alex Schmaltz

(Scary)— Ghoul—Chloe Baron

Grade 8-12(Creative)— Pumpkin Girls—Shaylie Campbell, Mataya Herget,
Kelcey Campbell

(Funny)— Sumo Wrestler—Kaden Belisle

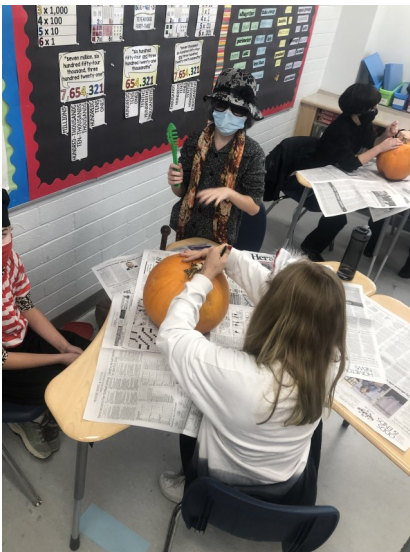
(Scary)—Masked Puppet—Aunnya Herget

Pumpkin carving:

Creative: Joey, Kaden, Jonny, Jaylen

Funny: Rachael, Josephine

Scary: Abbey, Hailey



Our LA 6/7 class has some amazing acting chops! The students created parodies of the famous Abbott and Costello "Who's on First". We had some fun and laughs viewing



Our Terry Fox Run on October 1st was a great success! Many students ran it faster than in previous years. Many of our "littles" even completed The Loop! Warner School would have made Terry proud. They all tried like Terry!



Cross Country

We had a great turn out for our Warner Running Warriors. These are resilient and energetic people. Cool to see them build and maintain their commitment and sense of team!

Not all of our excellent runners are pictured here. This is the Taber Trout Pond Trot.



Elementary Soccer - undefeated in 4 games

These were noble Warriors to be reckoned with. Though they were a powerful force, going undefeated in 4 games, they were consistent in their respect ?? for opponents and superb teammates. They communicated and involved all teammates throughout practices and games.



In science 4/5 we have been learning all the most excellent things about plants: how they grow, what they're used for, how to tell if they are alive or dead. And we even hugged some trees with an Indigenous Salish Nation friend, Tim. If you want to learn about plants, just ask the 4/5's.



Students in 6/7 have been studying about the Haudenosaunee and the differences and similarities between 5 of the Nations. We had an indigenous Knowledge Keeper, Tim Patterson, visit our class and share his insights about systems of consensus within his Salish Nation.

