

## From the Principal's Desk...

### Celebrating Christian Education Week at LCS May 5-9

Each spring, Christian schools across North America pause to celebrate the gift of faith-based learning during Christian Education Week. Historically, this week has been marked by special bulletin covers from Christian Schools International and Sunday services held in founding churches to reflect on the partnership between home, church, and school. While many schools have moved away from some of these traditions, Listowel Christian School is proud to continue recognizing this important week with a full calendar of celebrations that highlight the richness and global impact of Christian education.

This year's Christian Education Week at LCS will be filled with music, community, and mission. We'll begin the week with our grade seven/eight band leading in a worship service at Bethel CRC, and someone from Woodland Christian High will offer reflections on what Christian education means to them. It's a powerful way to launch our week of celebration—together in worship, rooted in gratitude.

**On Monday**, we'll welcome a guest speaker from EduDeo Ministries, an organization dedicated to strengthening Christ-centered education around the world. Our students will learn how Christian education is transforming lives globally, helping them see that their own schooling is part of a much bigger picture.

**Tuesday evening** brings a special treat as our students take the stage for the spring musical performance, sharing their talents with parents, grandparents, and friends. It's always a highlight to see the hard work and creativity of our students shine.

**On Wednesday**, we'll have a bit of fun with "Cat in the Hat" Spirit Day—a playful nod to our younger readers and a chance to show some school spirit in a Seussian way! Students may wear their favourite hat in class.

**Thursday** marks one of the most beloved events of the school year: **Grandparents and Grandfriends Day**. Classrooms will open their doors to welcome these special visitors for a morning of connection, storytelling, and shared learning. It's a day that reminds us of the legacy of faith and support that helps Christian education thrive. We will share lunch with our grandparents and then perform the musical for them in the afternoon. Watch the Messenger for information about the lunch.

Finally, we'll close the week with a joyful carnival **on Friday**—games, treats, and fun for all ages! This year's carnival will also serve a greater purpose: all proceeds will go to support EduDeo Ministries, giving our students a hands-on opportunity to make a difference. **Each student will be asked to bring a donation that will enable them to participate in the carnival events. We would love students to do chores to earn their donation.**

At Listowel Christian School, we are proud to continue marking Christian Education Week. It's a time to celebrate our heritage, affirm our mission, and look forward with hope to what God is doing through Christian education here and around the world.  
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## Calendar of Events

### April

- 30 - Hot Dog Day
- 30 - Spring Membership Meeting - 7:30pm

### May

- 4 - Grade 7 and 8 Band Plays at Bethel CRC morning service - arrive at 9am
- 5-9 - CHRISTIAN EDUCATION WEEK
- 5 - Assembly beginning at 9:30am
- 6 - Jonah's Druthers Musical Performance - 7pm Showtime
- 6 - Celebration of Learning opens at 6:30 Artwork on display
- 7 - Wear a hat to school
- 7 - Pizza Day - New Orleans
- 8 - Grandparents & Grand Friends Day
- 9 - Carnival in support of EduDeo
- 14 - Hot Dog Day
- 15 - Huron Christian High Info Night 7:30- 9:00pm
- 19 - Victoria Day - NO SCHOOL
- 22 - Harriston Meat Packers Fundraising Delivery
- 22- Grade 2 & 3 Trip to Safety Village
- 23 - Track & Field Day - Dominos Pizza Day
- 27 - Final Milk Day
- 28 - Kindergarten Practice morning 9:30 am - 11:30 am
- 28 - Hot Dog Day
- 29 - Community of Character Run

April  
Theme

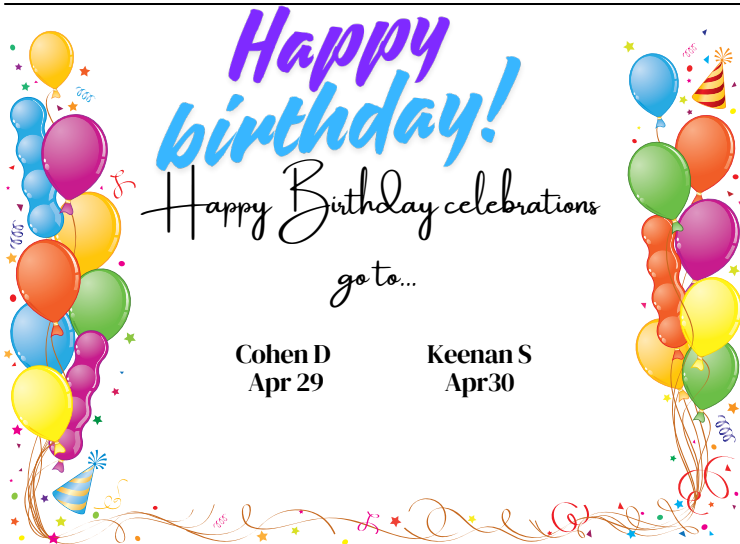
### THEME VERSE

The earth is the lord's  
and everything in it, the  
world, and all who live  
in it.

Psalm 24:1



# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Prayer & Thanksgiving

Please keep the following items in your prayers over the next week

- Praying for the plans as they unfold for the upcoming Musical, Christian Education Week and Grandparent's Day.
- Rejoicing with the Streicher family for the safe arrival of baby Poppy
- Rejoicing with Kelly Koersen and her family with the safe arrival of baby Marlee, God gives joy in the midst of pain.
- pray for the O'Boyle twins as they have eye surgery today.
- Pray for Mrs. Vander Meer as she recovers from knee replacement surgery;

## Huron-Perth Christian High

You may or may not have heard some rumblings in the community about the new Edvance-affiliated Huron-Perth Christian High in Mitchell – we're excited to tell you that it's true! We're getting ready for a September 2026 launch and we are pleased to invite you to an information/brainstorming session. These sessions are open to all supporters of Christian education. Whether your children are already in high school, are starting high school soon or are starting in a few years or whether it's your grandchildren that will be blessed by this, all are invited to share their input.

We will be holding three Open Houses at area Christian elementary schools where we will invite your feedback on the Mission/Values/Goal Statement and where we will have a small group discussion to gather your ideas and suggestions. No RSVP required. The Open House dates and locations are:

Huron Christian School – Wed May 7 7:30-9  
Stratford Christian School – Thurs May 8 7:30-9  
Listowel Christian School – Thurs May 15 7:30-9

If you have any questions in advance, feel free to call Chris Huizinga at 519-955-2513, Jeff Bylsma at 519-525-5815, or Becky Bosma at 519-525-5096 or e-mail [hpchristianhigh@gmail.com](mailto:hpchristianhigh@gmail.com)

Looking forward to seeing you there!

## Grandparents Day Lunch

Grandparents Day is approaching, on **May 8<sup>th</sup>**.

Part of the day is set aside for Grandparents to enjoy lunch with their grandchildren.

We ask that students bring a "bagged" lunch for their grandparents. This can include something similar to what you would provide for your students lunch - i.e.: a Sandwich, some fruit, a little treat.

The students bring this lunch with them to provide to their Grandparents and enjoy some time of lunch and fellowship.

Coffee, tea and water will be provided for the Grandparents throughout the day.

If you have any questions surrounding lunch, please reach out to the office.

## Staffing for the coming school year

We are looking forward to sharing details about our staffing for next year at the membership meeting. You will have an opportunity to meet the new staff members and our new principal.

ANYONE WITH  
A JERSEY...  
RETURN IT TO  
THE OFFICE  
PLEASE!

## SPORTS NEWS

**Baseball:** Baseball tryouts will take place soon. The tournament is scheduled for June 3. Cam Oegema will be coaching the boys' team with Janelle Vogel as staff rep and Brittany Heitkamp will be coaching the girls' team.

**Track & Field** will be starting shortly. A sign up for our Track & Field event will be released shortly as well. Please consider volunteering for this exciting day!

**The Membership Meeting** will take place on **April 30<sup>th</sup>** at **7:30pm** here at the school. Please arrange to attend.

Membership packages and the proposed Budget for 2025/26 was emailed out to the Membership last week.



Thank you also to the auction team for all the hard work you put into this event!

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## JONAH'S DRUTHERS

### Musical Rehearsal Schedule

Tuesday, April 22  
Lunch Recess - ALL SCENES  
ALL ACTORS

Wednesday, April 23  
After School - ALL SCENES  
ALL ACTORS

Monday, April 28  
Lunch Recess - ALL SCENES  
ALL ACTORS

Wednesday, April 30  
After School - ALL SCENES  
ALL ACTORS

**MONDAY, MAY 5TH  
FINAL FULL REHEARSAL**

## JONAH'S DRUTHERS

### Musical Choreography!

**Choreography Team A practice:**  
Tuesdays at lunch recess in  
Grade 1 classroom

**Choreography Team B practice:**  
Wednesdays at lunch recess in  
Grade 1 classroom

See you there!

### Choir Lyrics

Students in Grades 1 - 8  
continue practicing the lyrics  
for the songs provided last  
week! The lyrics will be sent  
home via email again this  
week!



### Costumes for the Musical

If your child is in the choir they are required to wear jeans and a plaid shirt or jeans and a white shirt with a red or blue bandana to tie around his/her neck. Girls may wear long jean skirts or long calico dresses or skirts. If your child has cowboy boots they should wear them otherwise dark closed toed shoes are fine. If your child has a role in the play, Mrs. Veenstra will email you regarding his/her costume.

## Effective Giving

Everyone needs a plan.  
We'll help you get started.

Join us for a complimentary Dessert Social and Seminar to learn about:

- + Effective and simple giving tools
- + How to support the charities you love now and in your Will

Featuring partners from:



Listowel Christian School  
305 Binning St W, Listowel, ON N4W 1G4  
Monday, June 2nd at 7:30pm

RSVP to [boardsecretary@listowelchristianschool.ca](mailto:boardsecretary@listowelchristianschool.ca)

Can't make it out?  
We can arrange a visit to your home at your convenience by contacting  
Christian Stewardship Services at [info@christianstewardship.ca](mailto:info@christianstewardship.ca) or 1.800.367.8890

## Listowel Christian School Effective Giving Seminar

*Got an Idea of How You'd Like to Leave Your Mark?* Many of us sense that God is calling us to help shape the world to His glory – even after we have passed away. But what is the most effective way to do this in our specific situation? Learn about ways you can make a positive difference through the charities you love.

*Give Generously AND Effectively:* Your Will can – and should – first make provision for your loved ones. But many of us are in a position to do much more than this, and if we consider how to most effectively give to charities, we might be surprised at what is possible. How would you like to help shape God's world through gifts left in your Will?

Join us for a one-hour "Effective Giving Seminar"  
at 7:30pm at Listowel Christian School on Monday, June 2nd

Email [boardsecretary@listowelchristianschool.ca](mailto:boardsecretary@listowelchristianschool.ca)  
to confirm your attendance.

**BONUS: A Delicious Desserts Social!**

# Classroom News

## JR Kindergarten

### Junior Kindergarten – Mrs. Baarda

It is the last week of April! We will be wrapping up our spring unit this week. We will be making some bird themed art using geometric shapes. Next week is Christian Education week, so there will be a few extra things going on at school.

The musical "Jonah's Druthers" is this week. The JK and SK students will be singing a song that we have learned about Jonah at the beginning of the program. Students can wear their "Sunday best" for the performances. There will be two performances, one on Tuesday evening, and one on Thursday afternoon during Grandparents Day. On Tuesday evening JK and SK students will go to sit with their parents after our song is finished. On Thursday afternoon we will return to our classrooms.

**Thursday is Grandparents Day.** Grandparents will come and visit the classrooms, have lunch with their grandchildren and watch the musical. Students are to bring in lunch for themselves and their grandparents. If grandparents are planning to take their grandchildren home with them after the program, please let the office know in advance if possible. Friday there will be a carnival in the afternoon. Students can make a donation to EduDeo and then we will take part in the different events. The carnival is planned to be outdoors. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the events planned for next week.

This week in **language** we will be producing rhyming words, listening for beginning and ending sounds, blending and segmenting by first letter, and counting words in sentences. Our final mystery letter was letter **Xx**. We learned the letter X Jolly Phonics song, and talked about how we can hear the letter x sound at the beginning and ending of words. We will now be focusing on reviewing the letter names and sounds. Most students have completed their "First Lowercase Book"! We will begin reviewing how to print upper and lowercase letters using some alphabet worksheets.

In **math** we will continue to practice counting and printing numbers one through ten. As a fun way to review colours we will be having "colour days" in JK. On **Tuesday** in JK this week it will be **Red Day**. Students can wear something red to school.

In **Bible** we are learning about the New Testament church. This week we will read more about Peter, and also about Rhoda and Dorcas. Our **memory verse** for the next couple of weeks will be **Psalm 24:1** "The earth is the Lord's and everything in it, the world, and all who dwell in it." We also continue to practice our "Jonah" song for the play and Grandparents Day.

In **health** we will learn about the last of our five senses, our sense of touch. We will complete our Five Senses Book by drawing something that we can touch.

**Tuesday is library day.** Please remember to send in last week's books, as well as any outstanding books from other weeks. Have a great week!

## Senior Kindergarten

### Senior Kindergarten – Mrs. Heida

This week we will be working on our Mother Day surprises. I hope we can keep a secret!

We will be listening to the sound of the letter **K** at the beginning and the end of words. We are working on reading our heart words and blending sounds together to read words.

In **Handwriting Without Tears** we are working on printing diver letter lowercase "r". The language we use is dive down, swim up, over, stop. We will work on printing words and sentences as we review some important parts of a sentence.

In **math**, we are counting to 90, counting backwards from 20 and adding numbers between 1 and 10 using a ten frame and then a number line. We continue to work on printing numbers so that we have less reversals. Practice makes perfect.

For **science**, we are going to be looking at spring bulb plants such as daffodils, hyacinth and tulips.

We will be on the stage practicing for the **Spring Program**. Students will be performing Tuesday May 6th, 2025 at 7pm. Please bring them to the classroom dressed in their best clothes by 6:45 pm. Perhaps stop by the washroom before coming to the class. The students will also want to show you their art work that will be displayed throughout the school. You can take some time to do that at your convenience. After our performance, the students will be coming to sit with you to watch the performance of Jonah Druthers.

On **Grandparents / Grandfriends Day**, the students will get to perform for their guests after they have had lunch with them. Students are to provide lunch for their grandparents and grandfriends. Please label as much as possible in case items get left behind. If your child is going home with their grandparents/friends, Mrs. VanderMeer will need to know in the office prior to the program just to avoid congestion and confusion. Email her at [LCS Office](#) or call the school office at 519-291-3086.

Please read the Weekly Messenger for more details about Christian Education Week.

Please return all **library books by Tuesday**.

The May and June calendar have been sent electronically. If you want a paper copy, please let me know and I will send it home in the envelopes.

Have a great week!



# Classroom News

## Grade 1

### Grade 1 - Ms. Denhartog:

**Math:** This week in math we will work on estimation as well as continuing our practice of addition and subtraction.

**Language:** In our UFLI program this week we will work on words that are long VCC words as well as words that end in y but says the long I sound.

**Heart word practice:** both, four, fourth

**Science:** We will be looking at sources of energy. The sun will be our first source. At the end of last week, we started our first science experiment for this unit and we put masking tape onto black construction paper in different designs. We taped our "solar art" to the window with our designs facing the sun. We hypothesized what we think will happen and we can't wait to find out if what we thought would happen really happens!

**Bible:** This week we will start our new unit on King David. Our unit focuses on David and how he learned to depend on God even as Saul tried to kill him. David learned to humbly wait for God's direction. God kept his promise to make David king over Israel and give him a kingdom that would last forever.

**Wednesday:** Library- please try and search for those long-lost missing books! And don't forget to bring them back in the plastic bag- it helps to keep the books safe.

**Friday Show and Tell:** For the month of May our show and tell theme is something special your mom owned as a child or something very colourful.

**Friday May 2:** Olivia, Addison, Aria, Adalie

**Friday:** Spelling test

## Grade 2

### Grade 2 - Mrs. Grundlingh:

**Math** - Number sense: We are working on using tens and ones to add.

**Phonics, spelling and reading:** This week we will look at words ending on -er / -est and -ly.

**Social studies:** We will be looking at life in Ontario.

**Bible:** We continue our unit on the Miracles of Jesus. Our Bible verse for April is: "The earth is the Lord's and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it." - Psalm 24:1

**Health:** In health we will be working on our Zones of regulation.

**Library:** We have library day tomorrow. Please remember to send their library books back in their ziplock bag to keep our library books from getting wet.

## Grade 2

### Grade 2 - Mrs. Kuipers:

#### **Important Dates for Grade 2:**

**May 9** - Mother's Day Tea from 11-12. Thank you to so many of you who have replied. It is going to be such a special time together. RSVP before May 2 to Mrs. Kuipers.

**May 22** - Class Field trip to Saugeen Conservation Area Safety Village. Looks like we will be taking a bus with grade 3, but please let Mrs. Kuipers know if you are interested in joining us for the afternoon (11-3). We currently have 2 parents available.

**Science** - We began a new unit on movement last week.

**Math** - We are in the middle of a mini unit on fractions. Students will name, identify, and compare fractions as part of a whole using models and concrete materials. We will also regroup fractions into wholes.

**Gym** - We will be practicing for Track & Field for the next month. Please send your child in running shoes on Wednesdays and Thursdays for outdoor gym.  
**Writing** - We continue writing poetry. We have done concrete poems, Haikus, and Acrostic poems so far!

**Spelling:** Last week was a tricky week! Keep practicing your words at home throughout the week to master them AND to get ballots to possibly win the weekly prize!

**Red / Yellow** - louder newer fastest tallest sadly quickly widely slowly

**Blue** - greater clearer brightest highest strangely quickly wrongly humbly

**Heart** - honest about honour again

# Classroom News

## Grade 3

### Grade 3 - Mrs. Claus

The beautiful weather is upon us (possibly). Please remember to send layers of clothing for your children, or remind them to bring layers along.

This month is particularly busy with Christian Education week, including the musical and Grandfriends Day; and Track and Field Day. We are busy getting ready for both!

**Math:** We are working hard on division.

**Bible:** Our unit on Joseph is finishing this week. We will have a unit test at the end of this week.

**Social Studies:** We finished our unit on Ontario with a quiz last week. Students did well. We will do a science unit next. It is called "Strong and Stable Structures".

**Language:** We are busy working on "Charlotte's Web".

**Health:** We are working on our mental health unit.

## Grade 4

### Grade 4 - Mrs. Delleman:

**I Know It / Memory Work** - NO assignments or memory work this week.

**Spelling** - The final spelling teams and their lists are below and also on [spellingcity.com/tdelleman](https://spellingcity.com/tdelleman) if students would like to practice their words online. Students will need to know all their spelling words, but only 10 are chosen for dictation. Dictation will be NEXT FRIDAY.

- **Golden Pencils** - might, quick, why, white, high, night, twice, quite, cry, bright, sky, quit, fight, quiz, eye, sight, fine, try, live, write, sigh, shy, right
- **Super Spellers** - write, writing, dream, dreaming, close, moan, wave, using, eating, looking, eat, skate, closing, trading, cleaning, clean, use, moaning, trade, skating, waving, look, mail, mailing
- **Three Girls and Those Guys** - frighten, capitalize, classify, civilize, straighten, analyze, diversify, symbolize, dampen, sweeten, falsify, idolize, visualize, lengthen, beautify, simplify, energize, purify, harmonize, sharpen, memorize, summarize, apologize, paralyze

## Grade 5

### Grade 5 - Mrs. Tenorio:

I am thankful to God for the beautiful weather that we have been having; I can't believe that this week we enter the month of May!

**Bible** - This week, we will be learning about the continuation of Jesus' ministry. The next memory work will be due on Thursday, May 1st, 2025.

**Memory Work:** "He said to them, 'Go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned.'" Mark 16:5-6

**Language** - We received letters from our pen pals in Mexico, and will be working on responses to them this week. Students have been working on their book reports for the Magician's Nephew and will be presenting them this Wednesday. For spelling, we are working on a new sort and will have a spelling test on Thursday. Additionally, please remember to bring your plastic bag for your library books to protect them from any potential damage, as we've had issues with leaking water bottles. Library day is on Wednesday!

**The Final Spellers** - IR, IRE Owen, Gerrit

Girl, third, bird, birth, shirt, fir, whirl, swirl, thirst, chirp, skirt, twirl, dirt, first, sir, firm, fire, tire, hire, spire, wire, liar, fur

**The Spelling Burger Bombs** - Unaccented Final Syllables Blair, Kiley, Daniel, Ria, Jasmine, Henrik

Broken, eleven, hidden, heaven, chosen, stolen, mitten, rotten, mountain, captain, bargain, dragon, cotton, carton, ribbon, prison, bacon, cousin, cabin, napkin, penguin, muffin, human, slogan

**The Spelling Legend Strawberries** - Bella, Dayna, Peter

Shock, quick, attack, chicken, pocket, nickel, pickle, buckle, ticket, magic, attic, traffic, topic, picnic, panic, frantic, fabric, mimic, plastic, relax, index, reflex, complex, stomach

**The Spelling Duo** - Greek word parts: light, sound, write and distance (phon, photo, graph, tele) Kirsten, Pacey

Phonics, phonograph, headphones, homophone, microphone, symphony, photograph, photocopier, photographer, photosynthesis, graphic, autograph, telegraph, calligraphy, television, telegraph, telegram, telephoto, telephone

**Creation Studies** - Last week, the students presented their equipment design projects and many were successful; I was impressed with their hard work and their different designs. This week, on Monday, we will review concepts for our Forces Unit and have a Unit Quiz on Tuesday. We will start a new unit on Human Health on Wednesday!

### Grade 5 - Math - Mr. Tenorio:

We are currently learning about perimeter and area. This week, we will also review decimals and fractions to prepare for a test on Friday

# Classroom News



## 4e Niveau: Madame Van Kampen:

\*New Unit: Les Parties du Corps (The Parts of the Body). \*we will begin learning the basic [external] parts of the human body, employing the song "Tête, Épaules, Genoux, Pieds" and a diagram to which we will apply labels. \*Worksheets and activities will build vocabulary skills.

## 5e Niveau: Madame Van Kampen:

\*New Unit: Les Parties du Corps (The Parts of the Body). \*we will begin learning the basic [external] parts of the human body, employing the song "Tête, Épaules, Genoux, Pieds" and a diagram to which we will apply labels. \*Worksheets and activities will build vocabulary skills.

## 6e/7e Niveaux: Madame Van Kampen:

\*New Unit: Les Passe-Temps, Loisirs, et Métiers (Hobbies, Leisure Activities, and Occupations). →Plans: \*review of this unit's vocabulary as introduced last week Thursday. \*conjugations of the -er verb AIMER (=to like, to love) and using it in double verb constructions to create expressions of what one likes to do wrt a hobby. \***assessment Wednesday** on the unit vocabulary and the verb AIMER. \*completing sentences in the affirmative and negative wrt whether one pursues/prefers one type of hobby over another.

## 7e/8e Niveaux: Madame Van Kampen:

\*New Unit: Les Passe-Temps, Loisirs, et Métiers (Hobbies, Leisure Activities, and Occupations). →Plans: \*assessment today on the unit vocabulary introduced last week Wednesday as well as the verb AIMER (=to like, to love) and its conjugations. \*completing sentences in the affirmative and negative wrt whether one pursues/prefers one type of hobby over another. \*students will be interviewing a fellow classmate and create a short presentation to describe his/her hobbies as well as two things he/she does not like to do. \*irregular verbs POUVOIR (=to be able/can) and VOULOIR (=to want) and their respective conjugations.

## Grade 7 and 8 UN Debate Pictures





# Classroom News

## Grade 6 & 7

### Grade 6 & 7 - Mrs. O'Boyle:

#### **Weekly Highlights:**

Here are some of the highlights from last week...

#### **1. Worship in the Throne Room**

Students reflected on Revelation 4-5, creatively responding to John's vision of heaven and deepening their understanding of worship.

#### **2. Electricity Journal Project**

Grade 6 students began tracking their daily electricity use to connect science concepts to real life and prepare for upcoming conservation projects.

#### **3. Earth-Keeping Infographics**

Students started designing infographics to promote energy-saving habits at school, combining research, creativity, and environmental stewardship.

#### **4. Health and Safety Lessons**

Through hands-on activities, students learned strategies for preventing sports injuries and responding to dental emergencies.

#### **5. Art: Charcoal and Printmaking**

Students explored charcoal techniques and printmaking, building confidence and creativity through new artistic challenges.

**Language** - In reading, we will conclude the Chronicles of Narnia. There will be a comprehension test on the novel on Friday. In writing, we will continue to work on poetry. In grammar we will look at consistency in point of view. Watch for spelling activities coming home this week in your child's agenda.

#### **Spelling Test - May 12th**

**The Bills - Sort 36** - cook, soon, cool, roost, fool, noon, groom, root, troop, crook, brook, good, proof, stool, stood, hoop, hoof, hook, gloom, smooth, shook, would, should, could, route

**Grimace Spellers - Sort 24** - voyage, shower, loyal, poison, drowsy, county, counter, thousand, coward, powder, country, trouble, double, southern, noisy, tower, destroy, appoint, avoid, annoy, employ, about, amount, around

**The Goats - Sort 54** - graceful, colourful, faithful, painful, fearful, plentiful, dreadful, thoughtful, darkness, goodness, weakness, illness, kindness, happiness, homeless, restless, harmless, worthless, penniless, carelessness, thankfulness, helplessness

**The Doorknobz - Sort 59** - appendage, adhesive, advertise, approach, adjoining, accompany, accumulate, accelerate, approximate, additional, appoint, accommodate, administer, attempt, addictive, assignment, apprentice, appreciate, attentive, advice, assertive, associate, attribute, accumulate, attract

## Grade 6 & 7

### Grade 6 & 7 - Mrs. O'Boyle:

**Cursive Snack** - Remember to finish up any unfinished cursive snack pages. Cursive snack books are due Wednesday.

**Bible** - We will conclude our unit on Revelations. Unit test will be on Thursday.

**Memory Work** - The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world and all who live in it. Psalm 24:1

**Science** - This week in science we will be working on designing a board game that showcases key concepts from our Electricity unit. Final projects will be due: May 13<sup>th</sup>.

**Health** - We will continue our unit on Personal Safety and Injury Prevention. We will continue to look at sports injuries and dental emergencies this week.

**Art** - In art, we will be working on balance through print making.

Students are asked to pick one of the May sketch prompts or come up with their own idea to complete this week. They may complete it on any piece of paper. Their sketch is due **Thursday**. Sketch prompts are posted to Google classroom.

Art quiz on material covered on the April sketch prompt pages will be on May 29th.

**Library** - We will have library every week on Wednesdays. Please remind your child to pack their books.

### Grade 6 & 7 - Mr. Tenorio:

We are learning about integers and how to add and subtract negative numbers. We will also review area and volume in preparation for a test on Thursday.

### Grade 6 & 7 - Mrs. Vogel:

**Geography:** We will review what we were learning before the election took over and finish that unit in the next week or so. We also had our federal election vote today. Stay tuned on the Parent Facebook Page for the results of our school vote.

**Band:** We continue to practice for our performances next week Tuesday evening before the musical performance and Thursday before the musical performance for Grandparents Day. Encourage your students to keep practicing "Shoo Fly", and "Frog's Song".



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## Grade 7/8

### Grade 7/8 - Mrs. Vogel:

**Special Note:** The grade 7/8 band will be performing at Bethel CRC in Listowel on May 4. Students have been asked to have a parent email or send a note if they will NOT be able to be there so I have an understanding of numbers and parts. To have the best performance we can, it is important that all students able to come do come. We sound better together. Please arrive at the church by 9:00 in the fellowship hall to warm up, set up and practice. Thank you!  
W.W.W.: New units will come out tomorrow. All groups have a quiz on Friday.

**Writing:** Keep practicing typing when possible and remember to use the Home Row position. Slow start but will help in the long run. Students can practice on Typing Club or NitroType, both of which they have a school account they can use to practice at home as well.

**Guided Reading:** We started another short story unit with a theme that runs through all the short stories we'll be reading. Students will have to use their knowledge of the stories to try to figure out that theme by the end of the unit.

**Geography:** We will review what we were learning before the election took over and finish that unit in the next week or so. We also had our federal election vote today. Stay tuned on the Parent Facebook Page for the results of our school vote.

**Band:** Keep practicing "Procession" and "Holy, Holy, Holy" for performances on Sunday, May 4, Tuesday, May 6 (evening), and Thursday, May 8 (during school day). Practice "When the Saints" for class next week.

## Grade 7/8

### Grade 7 & 8 - Mrs. O'Boyle:

**Health -** We will continue our unit on Personal Safety and Injury Prevention. We will look at concussions this week.

**Art -** In art, we will continue working on balance through our collaborative printmaking project. Students are asked to pick one of the May sketch prompts or come up with their own idea to complete this week. They may complete it on any piece of paper. Their sketch is due Thursday. Sketch prompts are posted to Google classroom. Art quiz on material covered on the April sketch prompt pages will be on May 29th.

### Grade 7 & 8 - Mr. Tenorio:

#### **Grade 7/8 Math:**

We are continuing our study of integers, focusing on multiplying, dividing, adding, and subtracting negative numbers. A test on these skills will take place on Friday.

#### **Grade 7/8 Science:**

We are finishing our reforestation project this week. Each student has been working on an initiative to help the environment over the past three weeks and will present their final work.

#### **Grade 7/8 Bible:**

This week, we will continue exploring Literary Genres. Students will dive deeper into the various types of writing found in the Bible and how they shape our understanding of Scripture.

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