



Deroche Elementary Bear Nation Weekly Bulletin

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BULLETIN #1



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE: Dear Parents, Grandparents, Guardians and Supporters of Deroche Elementary Students: Welcome Back! We have had a great start to the school year, missing our grade 6's but with a large group of Kindergartens, and an extra division! What a wonderful difference being able to see the beautiful smiles of our children and of all the adults in our school community. I do not miss the masks! We hope our healthy start can continue for our school and the rest of our Province!

As you can see, we are very fortunate to have Mrs. MacMillan back, and we have Miss Sadie and Ms. T both here 3 days a week which is a great boost to our reading, music and outdoor education programs. Next Bulletin we will introduce our new staff to you but in the meantime, if you see any new teacher or parent, please welcome them to the Deroche Bear family!

Mike Abercrombie - Principal

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

StrongStart: will resume on Sept 19th with a regular drop-in schedule of Mon/Wed/Fri from 8:30 – 11:30. You do not need to pre-register to attend. We welcome Ms. Laura as our new StrongStart Facilitator, as Ms. Julie has started a new position as a Youth Care Worker.

Student Verification Forms: will be sent home today. Please verify that the information on the form is correct & return it to the school. It's important that we have current information on file for your child.

Club Kids: is up and running as an after school child care option for families. There are still spots left if interested and subsidies available to help with the cost if eligible. Inquires can be made through the District of Mission website or at the school office.

September Events: Watch for more info next week on events such as the Terry Fox Run, Cross Country, Orange Shirt Day and more!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sept 19	K's begin Full Time
Sept 19	StrongStart begins
Sept 23	PRO-D: No School
Sept 29	Orange Shirt Day
Sept 30	STAT – Truth & Reconciliation
Oct 10	STAT - Thanksgiving
Oct 21	PRO-D: No School
Nov 1	Student Photos (am)
Nov 10	Half Day – 11:00 Dismissal
Nov 11	STAT – Remembrance Day
Nov 21	Report Cards Sent Home
Nov 24	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Nov 25	Non-Instructional Day
Nov 30	Gr 6 Immunizations
Dec 1	Photo Retake Day

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