



McNab Public School

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 PJ Day	2
3	4	5 Hot Lunch M&C	6	7 Pizza Day	8 	9
10	11 Remembrance Day	12 Progress Reports Go Home	13 World Kindness Day Book Fair	14 Pizza Day Book Fair Parent/Guardian - Educator Interviews	15 PA Day Book Fair Parent/Guardian - Educator Interviews	16
17 Spirit Week	18 Plaid/Camo Day	19 Decades Day Gr 8 Boys Volleyball Tournament	20 Dress as your Favourite Character Day	21 Pizza Day Wacky Socks Day Gr 8 Girls Volleyball Tournament	22 Anything But a Backpack Day	23
24	25	26	27 Gr 7 Girls Volleyball Tournament	28 Pizza Day Gr 7 Boys Volleyball Tournament	29	30

December Dates to Note:

Dec. 10 - Holiday Shopping Day

Dec. 17 - Holiday Concert (performances will likely be around 10 am & 2 pm)

Appreciation

A sincere thank you from all the McNab Staff to families for finding ways to ensure your children were able to get to school when the buses weren't running. We know how difficult the absence of busing was on so many families. We appreciate everyone adhering to our drop off and pick up protocols to ensure student safety during that time. There was a great community atmosphere out front at the end of each day and it was wonderful to see so many families connecting.

Remembrance Day Assembly

We will have our Remembrance Day assembly on November 11th. Ms. Watson is requesting a photo and some information related to any family member that has or is currently serving in our military. If you have provided this information in the past, it will



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already be included in our Wall of Remembrance display so you do not need to send in another photo or information. Digital submissions can be emailed to watsonke@rcdsb.on.ca.

Parent/Guardian - Educator Interviews

Last week, students were sent home with parent/guardian - teacher interview forms. Please fill these out (one per child) and return to your child's teacher as soon as possible so that we can start scheduling them. You will receive a confirmation notice for your time closer to the interview dates. Interviews will take place on Thursday, November 14th from 3:50 - 7:00 pm and on Friday, November 15th from 9:15 a.m. - 12:25 pm. A reminder that November 15th is a PA Day.

Scholastic Book Fair:

Nov. 13 & 14: classroom visits and purchasing

Nov. 14: open for parents in the evening 3:35 pm - 7:00 pm

Nov. 15: open for families 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

We are still looking for volunteers for November 13th or 14th. If you are available and have your background check completed, please email Joanne Chartier chartierj@rcdsb.on.ca.

Payment methods include cash, Interac, Credit Card and cheques (made payable to McNab Public School).

Class visit schedule:

Wednesday, November 13th:

Mrs. Neville/Mrs. Hill (Kinder), Ms Teri (gr 1), Mrs. Watson (gr 2), Miss Cooper (gr 2/3), Mrs. Hill (gr 3/4), Mrs. McGregor (gr 5/6)

Thursday, November 14th:

Ms. Ray/Mrs. Campbell (Kinder), Mrs. Simons (gr 1/2), Mrs. Miller (gr 3), Ms. Watson (gr 4/5), Ms. Prins (gr 6/7), Mr. Denomy (gr 8)

Inclement Weather Days

Winter weather is on its way! If the weather looks like it may create hazardous road conditions, please refer to the Transportation Consortium's website at www.rcjtc.on.ca, on their social media, or on their app to see if there are any bus cancellations. When school buses are cancelled in the morning, they will not run for the remainder of the day. The school will be open for any students whose family can transport them that day. Students must not be dropped off before 9:00 a.m. and must be picked up at 3:35 p.m on those days. If there is a school closure, there will be notifications on the transportation website, as well as the RCDSB's social media sites.



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School Council Update / The Holiday Shop

The McNab Family Halloween Dance was a great success! Almost \$2000 was raised and will go towards the purchase of new playground equipment. They have now switched their focus to their annual Holiday Shop. The Holiday Shopping Day will take place on December 10th and will be an opportunity for all of our students to go shopping for their loved ones. School Council members rely on quality (new or like new) donations to help make this a success. They are requesting that any donations be dropped off at the school by December 1st. Some suggestions of items to donate would be stuffies, small toys, games, pet toys, jewelry, ornaments, mugs, tools, and anything else that might be a great gift for a loved one from a child. They would also welcome donations of tissue paper, gift bags, and name tag stickers.

Attendance

As part of our safe arrival program, please make sure that you notify the office if your child is going to be late or absent from school. You can call the office at (613) 623-5746 or email mcnattendance@rcdsb.on.ca for any attendance related communication. Any child leaving school during the day must have a note or be signed out by parents/guardians at the office. If there is a change to your child's end of day dismissal plans (e.g., who is picking up), please write a note in your child's agenda or let the office know before 2:00 pm that day.

School Cash Online

All school fundraising purchases can be made using the following link [School Cash Online](#) *Please register to ensure you receive notifications as fundraisers become available.*

Ongoing Fundraisers

Please ensure that you are signed up for [School Cash Online](#) so that you get the notifications when fundraising items are available to order/purchase.

Domino's Pizza

We will be selling Domino's Cheese Pizza each Thursday for the month of November. The cost of the pizza is \$2.25 per slice and is now available to purchase online. The order deadline will always be the Monday before pizza day. If your child is absent, please consider it a donation to the school. If there is inclement weather, we will reschedule our pizza day.



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We DO NOT order extra slices for sale purposes. You must pre-purchase to guarantee a slice.

Domino's Pizza Cards

Our Domino's Peel-a-Deal Card School Council fundraiser is now active and available on School Cash Online. The cards can be purchased for \$10 each. Each card provides 6 coupons, with one being a free medium 1-topping pizza. When you purchase a card, we will place it in your child's agenda pocket to go home to you. The cards are redeemable at Renfrew, Arnprior, Pembroke and Petawawa locations. Profits from the sale of these cards will go towards new playground equipment.

Papa Jack's Popcorn

Popcorn tickets are available to purchase online for \$17.50.

Each ticket is good for ten bags (22g) of Papa Jack's flavored popcorn.

Popcorn will usually be available to our students twice a week. This will now be changing to Wednesdays & Fridays.

Proceeds raised will support our McNab playground/school furniture upgrades.

Mabels Labels

We are fundraising with Mabel's Labels throughout the 24-25 school year. Twenty percent of your purchases will be donated back to McNab's Snack Program! Please click the link below. Happy Shopping! [Mabel's Labels](#)

Daily Covid-19 Screening

Please continue to screen your child for COVID19 symptoms prior to school entry each day. Please use the following link: <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/>

At the end of this screening you will find next step procedures that will guide you on when your child can return to school after they have been ill.

Volunteers

Your contributions to our school community in the form of volunteer time and supporting school activities are invaluable. All volunteers are required to submit a current Criminal Record Check (VSC) to the school before volunteering. Please ensure with the office that we have your up-to-date Check on file.

If you are interested in volunteering and need to apply for a Criminal Record Check (VSC), please contact the school office as a school letter is required for your application.