



Entwistle School Newsletter

October 1st, 2019



Home of the Entwistle
Eagles

Our Vision:

Our students possess the confidence, resilience, insight and skills required to thrive in, and positively impact, the world.

Entwistle Students show:

P- purposefulness

R- resilience

I- independence

D- dignity

E- empathy



Luck from the Playground - picture by Mrs. Lecuyer

Principals Message

What a great start to the year. In September, we had some great fun together including a magician, field trips, Terry Fox Run and School Spirit Day. There are pictures at the end of the Newsletter showing some moments from the month. We have Parent Teacher Interviews on October 2 and 3 from 4-7pm. We look forward to having you come in and see the progress your children have made so far this year.

Book Fair

The Book fair will be Oct 2-3, open to students during the day and from 4-7 during Parent Teacher interviews. Please come and support the love of reading with us and support this great event for students.

Bus Safety

If you require your child to ride a different bus, please send a note to the teacher and contact transportation at 780-963-8452, as stated in the parent responsibilities: "Contact



Transportation Services a minimum of 24 hours in advance to request your student(s) ride a different school bus (i.e. to go home with a friend). Approval will be based on space and availability. *Students will not be permitted on the bus without prior permission.* An email will be sent by transportation to confirm the change. Let's work to ensure everyone has a safe and happy ride home.

School Spirit Day

Our first School Spirit day was September 24th. Students showed their school spirit by wearing the school colours. It was great to see the red, white and black worn with PRIDE around the school.

River Watch

Grade 8/9 students attended the River Watch field trip on September 11, including rafting on the North Saskatchewan River. They learned topics from the water systems and environmental chemistry curriculum outcomes. Students had a fun day out of school, filled with hands-on learning.

Terry Fox Run

Our Terry Fox run was a great success. We are proud to support this important event and have students learn about the importance of Terry Fox's legacy. The weather held out until after the run, making for nice cool (but dry) conditions. Students returned to the school for a small popsicle treat. It was great to see students putting their all into the run!

Orange Shirt Day

Orange Shirt Day was September 30, October 1 for kindergarten. This event is designed to remember the impact of the residential school experience and honour the survivors and their families. For more information on the Orange Shirt Day, visit the website: www.orangeshirtday.org/



Important Reminders


- ✓ Parent Teacher Interviews are Oct 2nd and 3rd, from 4-7pm. Please book at time to see your child's teacher using Breeze, on the school website.
- ✓ As the weather gets colder, please make sure students are wearing proper outdoor clothing so they can play outside comfortably.
- ✓ It is important to sign in at the office when you arrive, every time.
- ✓ School doors open at 8:15, please do not drop your children off before this time as there is no supervision. If a situation arises in which your child must come to school early, please contact the office so we can make an arrangement for that day.
- ✓ Students are to be picked up and dropped off either on 51 Street, using the marked crosswalk, or in the visitor parking lot. When dropping off your child in the morning, please use these areas as the bus lane is needed for our busses and we want to ensure the safety of our students. Too many vehicles in front of the school can be very dangerous, as drivers have a difficult time seeing the pedestrians. Please do not drive into the school entrance or staff parking lot. Thank you for helping us all have a safe way to school.

FOELS Meeting

The next FOELS meeting of the 2019/2020 school year, will be on Monday, October 21st at 3:30 in the Learning Commons. Please consider joining FOELS, they sponsor many clubs, sporting events, activities, equipment, and busing that benefits all the students of Entwistle.



Events

- Oct 1 – ECS Orange Shirt Day
 - Oct 2-3: Scholastic Book Fair
 - Oct 2 – Parent Teacher Interviews 4-7pm
 - Oct 2 - Grade 7 Take Charge
 - Oct 3 – Parent Teacher Interviews 4-7pm
 - Oct 4 - Community Breakfast at 8:15
 - Oct 4 – Thursday Schedule
 - Oct 7-10 Summative Exams
 - Oct 11 - PD Day
 - Oct 14 –Thanksgiving
 - Oct 18 – Monday Schedule
 - Oct 22 – WE Day
 - Oct 25 – MSD Day #1
 - Oct 26 – FOELS Halloween Dance
 - Oct 28 – Immunizations
 - Oct 29 Picture Retakes
 - Oct 31- School Spirit Day (Halloween)
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Sports

Cross Country

Cross Country Running Club has been going very well and practices will continue on Tuesdays from 3:25 to 4:05. Thank you Parents and Guardians for picking up your children up, on time, after practices and transporting them to and from each race. We are in need of a minimum of 6 volunteers to help with the Entwistle Cross Country Run on October 17th. If you are interested, please call the school or email kjensen@psd70.ab.ca

Volleyball

The Entwistle Eagles Volleyball season for students in Grades 6 to 9 is underway! Miss Williams and our parent volunteer coach Charlene Anderson are working hard. The volleyball season includes weekly practices and games (both at home and away). Schedules for practices and games have been sent out. The Senior team won their first home game showing the effort they have put into practicing their skills. Keep up the great effort. Go Eagles!!

Dates of Note:

Oct 1- Volleyball home game and Cross Country Practice 3:25

Oct 3- Cross country run at Woodhaven 4pm

Oct 7 – Volleyball Practice 3:25pm

Oct 8 -Cross Country Practice 3:25pm

Oct 8 -Volleyball home game

Oct 10 – Cross Country Race at Living Waters

Oct 15- Volleyball away game

Oct 17 – Cross Country run at Entwistle

Oct 21- Volleyball practice

Oct 28- Volleyball practice

Oct 29-30- Volleyball championships



Ms. C. Blair
Principal



Please review your Grade 1 student's immunization records. If your child has not received their "preschool boosters" (given between 4 – 6 years of age) of Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus and Polio (DTaP-IPV) and Measles, Mumps, Rubella & Varicella (MMR-Var) please make an appointment by calling Health Link (811). If you have any questions or concerns please contact your school nurse Sophie Beniuk RN at 780-727-2288 press #3. For tips on preparing your child for immunizations, please refer to <https://www.immunize.ca/pain-management-children> Thank you!



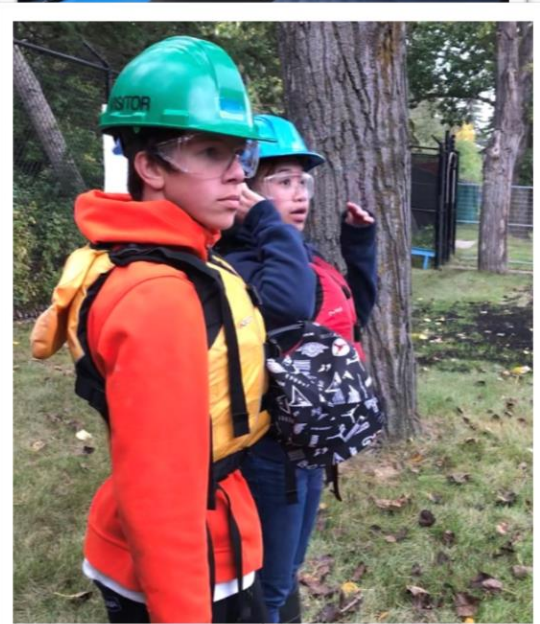
September at Entwistle!

**Welcome
Back!**





RIVER WATCH





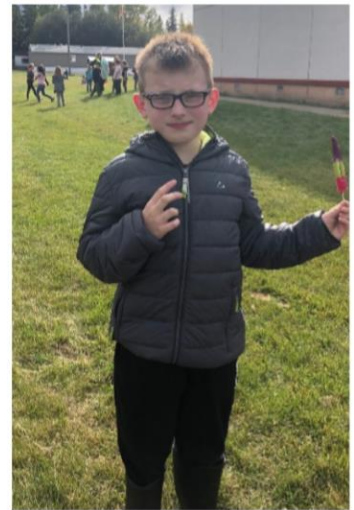
SENIOR VOLLEYBALL HOME GAME





Terry Fox Run







Around The School

