Fox News

November 2026 Newsletter

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Principal: Amber Monteath

Associate Principal: Ria Young

Administrative Assistants

Lena Evans & Stacy Howse

Important Dates:

Nov. 1 - SAC Tea and Deherdts Fundraiser begins
Nov. 2 - Gr.6 Immunizations for students that missed
Nov. 3 - School Council Meeting 5:30 PM
- Basiles Pizza Hot Lunch
Nov. 6 - WES Apparel Order closes
Nov. 9 - Volleyball game @ Clyde 4PM
- Fluoride application WPrep, K-2
Nov.10 -Remembrance Day Assembley @ 10:45
- Fluoride application WPrep, K-2
Nov.11- Remembrance Day No School
Nov.12- Fall Break No School
Nov.13- Fall Break No School
Nov.18- Mini volleyball tournament
@ Spirit Center 12:00-3:00
- DQ Hot Lunch due
Nov.20- Fall Flannel Fun (Dress-up Day)
Nov.25- DQ Hot Lunch
Nov.30- Christmas Store

Please be sure to label your child's outwear and boots. Our lost and found bins are overflowing!

3/4B, 4B, 5K, and 5R visited the Pembina Lodge on Oct.30!






HALLOWEEN FUN!










Foxes Treats For Sale



$2 per treat (chips,chocolate,candy,popcorn etc)

NEW!

Foxes Treats punch cards are now available for purchase in your parent portal! They are $20, your child's teacher will hold onto the punch card.

Thank you for supporting the Gr. 6 Outdoor Ed trip to Camp Warwa!



School clothing on sale until Nov.6

School clothing will be available for purchase Oct.19 to Nov.6 from Heartstrings by Michelle. Orders will be delivered to the school before Christmas Break. To order click the link below or log into your parent portal account.

Password is: WES2026

CLick here to order

Hot Lunch- Order on Parent Portal

Click on "Food Sales" to find the order

Nov 3 (Due Oct 28)

Basiles Pizza



$3.00 per slice



Juice Box $1.00

Nov 25 (Due Nov 18)

DQ Hot Lunch

- Ranch Chicken Wrap $4.00
- Chesseburger $4.00
- Hamburger $4.00
- 3 Chicken Strips $4.00
- Dilly Bar $2.00

Busby Soccer Tournament Oct.8









Terry Fox Total!

Wow! Our combined T shirt sales, hot dog sales and online/cash donations raised a whopping $5209.12 for the Terry Fox Foundation! A big thank you for the continued support in making this another successful fundraising year!

We will be continuing with our spring musicals again this year. Division 1 will be on March 9 and 10. Division 2 will be held on April 13 and 14 (class and time schedule to follow).
Thank you to Mrs. Schmidt for all your hard work, planning and organizing once again!

FYI

For the safety of our students and staff, we continue to practice key procedures in the event of an emergency situation. We have had two fire drills, a hold and secure practice, and a lockdown practice.
We will continue to practice these throughout the school year.

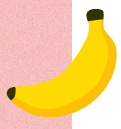




We want to extend a big thank you to the Westlock Community Thrift Shop for donating $1500 towards our breakfast program.
Thank you!















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DRINK FUNDRAISING

with FRIENDS OF WESTLOCK ELEMENTARY

NOV 9TH - NOV 22ND

ACCESS CODE

EWES26

- **ORGANIZATION:** École Westlock Elementary School
- **STUDENT:** Student's name
- **CLASS/GRADE:** If known

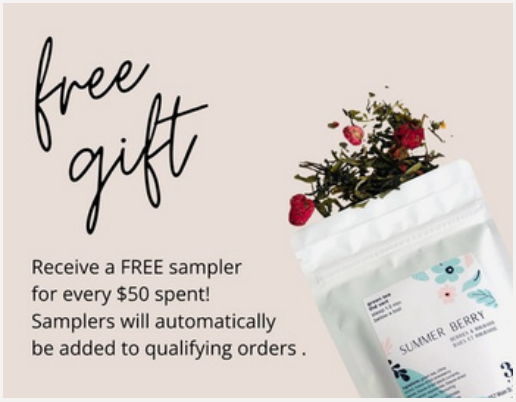
SELECT EITHER:

- SHIPPING TO ORGANIZATION

Orders wilbesentto theorganization attheend of the fundraiser for distribution, at no charge.

- SHIPPING WITHIN CANADA

Friends and families fromotherareascanhave orders sent directly to their home - $10 shipping.



FEATURING

50+ looseleaftea blends
Wellness blends
Bubble tea kits
Hot chocolate mixes
Steeping accessories
Matcha lattes & lemonades

questions?

204-481-7636
contact@threeandtea.com

www.teafundraising.com

Elieneke's Bake shop Fundraiser

Friends of Westlock Elementary

Please return forms by November 26

Order pick up date in December

All products are made from scratch in our bakeshop with natural ingredients and without the use of artificial flavors or preservatives. Please keep frozen until ready to use. Baking instructions will be included.

Croissants

Bake at home

Plain

Pack of 6

$30



Squares

Thaw and serve

Available in variety packs of 12

Dairy free, low sugar, vegan,

gluten friendly packs available

as well

$18



Cinnamon buns

Bake at home

Pack of 4

$13



Cheese stuffed dinner buns

Bake at home

Pack of 12

$6

Gift card

Can be used for the garden center, coffees, and bakeshop

$25

Order forms will be sent home on November 9

As cold and flu season is approaching, please use the guideline below to help answer any questions.

REMINDER

A friendly reminder that ALL medication for students must be brought to the school by a parent/guardian/adult. Thank you in advance!

HELP KEEP OUR SCHOOLS HEALTHY

When your child is sick, keeping them home helps protect classmates, staff and families. If your child isn't well enough to learn, participate and be around others, ***keep them home.***



FEVER

Keep your child home until

- they have been fever-free for 24 hours. **without** fever-reducing medication.
- their symptoms have improved.
- they feel well enough for normal activities.



VOMITTING OR DIARRHEA

Keep your child home until **48 hours after** the last episode of vomiting and/or diarrhea.



COLD & RESPIRATORY SYMPTOMS

Keep them home

- while symptoms are getting worse.
- if they're too unwell to participate normally.

Once symptoms are improving and they feel well enough for normal activities, they can return.



OTHER SIGNS OF ILLNESS

Keep them home if there is

- a new rash.
- eye infection.
- any other potentially contagious illness.

Follow your healthcare provider's guidance about when they can return.

What about head lice?

Head lice are *not* considered a communicable disease and is not a reason to keep your child home. If lice are found, begin treatment as soon as possible.

Not sure? Call Health Link at 8-1-1

Alberta Health Services Guide for Outbreak Prevention Control in Schools, 2025
PHSD Administrative Procedure 20-21 Health and Safety

Pembina Hills SCHOOL DIVISION



SCHOOLMESSENGER®

SafeArrival

Use SafeArrival to report your child's absences!

Three convenient methods:

- *SchoolMessenger app (Google Play or Apple Stores)*
- *SchoolMessenger website home.schoolmessenger.ca*
- *By phone 1-833-568-2538 (toll free)*

Visit pembinahills.ca/absence-reporting for more information

SafeArrival is an absence-reporting and notification system that allows parents to report and pre-report their child's absences **anytime.**

This system is a more efficient way for parentsto report their child's absences. It also uses the SchoolMessenger automated notification system to contact parents when their child is absent and their absence has not been reported.

****When a student is absent and it has not been explained, the system will attempt to contact parents at multiple contact points until a reason is provided for an absence.**

****If you have reported your childs absence to Safe Arrival you do not need to call the school.**

If you have any questions please call the office.