News From The Bear Den

Dunstable School
November 2026



Important Dates

3	Flouride Treatment for K to 2
5	School Council Meeting 6:30
6	Dunstable Day- No School
10	Remembrance Cemetery Visit and Ceremony
10	Hot Dog Lunch
11	Remembrance Day- No School
12&13	Fall Break- No School
18	Volleyball @ Spirit Center
18	Dress in Sports Gear
19	Hot Lunch- Perogies and Sausage
20	Dunstable Day-No School
24	Dress as a School Staff
26	Gr.5&6 Volleyball Tournament @ Westlock Spirit Center
27	Alternate Operational Day- No School

Principal's Message

It's hard to believe that we are already 2 months into the school year! Students and staff have been busy both in and out of the classroom covering curriculum outcomes and participating in a variety of extra curricular activities. As we welcome November I want to take a moment to reflect on the wonderful learning and growth taking place throughout the school. In classrooms students are engaging in activities that support growth in both literacy and numeracy while promoting opportunities that foster lifelong learning. Virtues such as determination, responsibility, resilience, compassion, cooperation and many others are also being integrated into daily instruction both in the classroom and throughout the school. Through all of this we value the importance of structure, consistency and positive relationships in creating a safe and supportive environment where all students can succeed.

November also allows us time for reflection and remembrance. As we prepare for Remembrance Day, students will have opportunities to learn about the sacrifices made by those who served our country and to reflect on the importance of peace, courage, and gratitude. We will honor Remembrance Day on Tuesday, November 10th by visiting nearby cemeteries to pay respect to local veterans and we will also be hosting a Remembrance Day ceremony at 1:30pm. Please feel free to join us if you're available.

A reminder that November also unfortunately brings with it some cooler temperatures. Please ensure that students are coming to school dressed for the weather. Fresh air, plenty of movement and some outdoor fun and learning are important parts of our day here at Dunstable!

As always, thank you for your continued and unwavering support. You are a vital part of the success of students and are a valued part of our Dunstable Family! Thanks for all you do and please reach out at any time with any questions, ideas or concerns.

Kind regards,
Mr.D

Next Meeting

Thursday November 5 @ 6:30pm

Dunstable School

Your Voice Matters!

Your Involvment makes a Difference

Parent Council Meeting

All Parents and Guardians Welcome

Join Us!

- Learn what is happening at our school
- Share your ideas and suggestions
- Support our students, staff, and school community
- Help us build an even better Dunstable School

Meetings Start at 6:30PM

September
November
January
March
May

Thank You!

School Fundraising

For your support with the Deilman Fundraiser! We are pleased to report that, we raised about $1,300 in profit.

To The Pumpkin Walk Committee & Pembina West Coop for donating the pumpkins for our Students to Carve.

The Hijlkema Family for donating pumpkins to the Grade ½ class to paint

Mr. Scheideman for the fantastic planter boxes

Hot Dog Day
November 10

Please send your E-Transfer to duschoolcouncil@pembinahills.ca if you haven't paid for hot lunches yet

Perogies and sausage
November 19

Please look on your Powerschool account for New Permission Forms and Fees.

Volleyball

Grades 5&6
Mini Tournament
November 18 12:00-3:00 @ Westlock Spirit Center

Tournament
November 26 9:30am-5:30pm @ Westlock Spirit Center
Parent Pick-Up

http://www.dunstableschool.ca/

http://www.dunstable.ca/facebook-1/

School Council is looking for donations towards our annual Christmas Concert Raffle

Remembrance Day

- On November 10 Grades 1-6 will be taking a bus to 3 local cemeteries to pay tribute to our soldiers @ 9:30 am(Please sign your Permission Form on Powerschool.
- Remembrance Day Assembly @ 1:30pm
- Families are Welcome

Lifeguard Needed

We are in need of a lifeguard, the mornings of December 17, 2026 and January 15, 2026
Please reach out to Mrs. Message
C 780.674.4401
T 780.294.8179
crystal.message@pembinahills.ca

Student Council Spirit Days

- November 10- Dress Red & Black
- November 18- Sports Gear Day
- November 24- Dress as a School Staff

Winter is almost here!
Please send your students with warm clothing

Freedom to Grow – Opportunity to Learn