ONANOLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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3/4: Micayla Krahn Ext: 474

5/6: Scott Stephenson Ext: 478

7/8: Nicole Wruth/Pam Ryznar

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Pam Ryznar

Guidance Counsellor:

Lisele Lindsay

Reminders for Parents:

<u>Planners:</u> Again this year we have added the school year calendar and handbook located at the front of the planners. The planners are used

every day and the location of this important information will be accessible to you at all times. (Gr K-6)





If your children are not going to be on the bus please let the driver know as soon as possible.

Thank you!



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Pamela Ryznar, Principal

OCTOBER 1ST, 2019

UPCOMING EVENTS:

<u>Wednesday</u>, <u>October 2nd</u>: <u>Lifetouch</u> School Picture Orders Due (If you ordered on line this reminder does not pertain to you.)

Friday, October 4th: Grade 6 Immunizations

Saturday, Oct 5th: Jr. High Soccer Tournament

Monday, Oct 14th: Thanksgiving ~No School~

<u>Friday, October 18th:</u> Vision and Hearing Screening K/1/3/5/7 (letter will be sent out to those families on October. 4th)

Friday, October 25th: SAGE~Inservice Day~no school

Mrs. Ryznar – Principals Message-

We have had a busy first month of school and the students are all getting used to their new classrooms and teachers.

When we honoured the International Day of Peace, students did some learning about what it means to be a UNESCO school. Our 4 themes of focus are sustainable development, the UN priorities, peace and human rights and intercultural learning. We work to embed these topics into our curricula throughout the school year. Our Dream makers group has started some planning to carry out some of our UNESCO initiatives throughout the year. The four pillars of UNESCO include: learning to know, learning to do, learning to be and learning to live together.

We had a successful Terry Fox run on Friday and just barely missed the snow this year! Thanks to everyone who supported our students participation in this event through sponsorship. Yesterday we honored Orange shirt day. We learned about the residential school system that was present in Canada up until 1996. We created braided bracelets as we taught students about the importance of the braid in indigenous culture. Our learning was based around the book "The Orange Shirt Story" by Phyllis Webstad.



We are collecting bags for Bag it Up Manitoba throughout the month of October. You can send in

your clean / garbage free plastics to the school anytime throughout the month. We will plan a count day toward the end of the month.

KINDERGARTEN

With Mrs. Lindsay

Goodbye September, hello Snoctober! Can you believe the snow? In Kindergarten we spend time learning about trees and the seasons. I think we skipped fall. Hopefully it comes back around so we can enjoy the beautiful colours and warmer weather. The kindergarten students have fallen nicely into their daily routines and are excellent participants. We will continue with our letter of the day and numbers of the day and will begin some guided reading to work on early literacy skills. You will begin to notice little black and white books coming home for your child to read to you. Please find a quiet space for them to share their book with you and celebrate their incredible growth with them.





Milk Program

Every year we have our wonderful Mrs. Shellborn delivering milk to our students who purchase milk cards.

Any **milk cards** left over from last year will be carried over to this year. Anyone wanting to purchase milk for this year please send \$13.00, either cash or cheque (made out to Onanole Parent Group), and send it with your child to the school.

Grade 1/2

It has been a busy few weeks in the grade 1/2 classroom!

In literacy the grade 2's have been working hard on their writing. We journal weekly and the grade 2's have been making their own stories with focus on the beginning, middle and end. Grade 1's have been working on letter sounds and formation. The grade 1's are also working on making sentences using "5 Star Writing".

In math, we count to 100 by 1's daily. We are finishing up counting to 100 by 10's and starting to count to 100 by 5's this week. We just finished up our unit on patterning and are now moving into numbers. Grade 1's have been working hard at recognizing and representing numbers to 20 through tally's, ten frames and drawings. Grade 2's have been working on how to add and subtract doubles through games and activities.

In our Social Science class we have been talking about culture. This week we will start talking about what we are thankful for. We will discuss what our family Thanksgiving traditions are and some of our favorite things to do with our family during the holiday!

Miss. Ushey



Grade 3/4

Hello Families!

Wow, I can't believe that it's already been one month of school! We have had a busy month of learning in Grade 3/4 and here are some of the themes/topics that we have covered.

In Science we are continuing to explore the properties of sound. We are currently showing what we know by designing a musical instrument that we are working on at school. Please send your child to school with the recyclable materials of their choice so that they can build their instruments during class time.

In Social Studies we are learning about Canadian Citizenship and what it means to be a citizens. Ask your child about our rights and responsibilities because they are experts!

In Math we are learning about Place Value and Skip counting, we will soon be switching units and will be working on our Graphing skills.

In ELA we are still reading Wishtree as a class, and we are learning important skills like summarizing chapters and making inferences. The students are also working on their Words Their Way spelling sorts, they will take home new spelling words each week. Please spend some time practicing their words.

Enjoy the rest of the week!! Thank you, *Micayla Krahn*

Grade 5/6

I hope everyone had a great weekend. We would like to thank the Dream Makers Group for organizing Hat Day as part of Whacky Wednesday last week, and everyone that supported out Terry Fox Run last Friday. The weather has cooled down. Please dress warmly. You can always take a layer off.

Here is what we are up to in class:

ELA – Literacy Choices & Reading Responses
Math – Estimation
Science – Lung Capacity & Circulatory
System
Social Studies – Ice Age Animals & First
Peoples in N.A.

Health – Safety Considerations Phys. Ed. – Soccer & Low Organized Games

REMINDERS –

Picture Orders Due – Wednesday Reading Response – Wednesday TUSC – October 7

Have a great week. S. Stephenson

Happy Thanksgiving!! Monday, October 14th!!!



Grade 7/8 News...

Hello to October!

ELA: daily reading responses, speakers' corner meeting every day 5, writing workshops focused on developing topic sentences, responding to articles. Choosing novels for upcoming Literary Circles and class read-alouds.

Math: Integers assessment coming this week. Will be starting new math units. Grade 7: Patterns and Relations, Grade 8: Square Roots and Pythagorean Theorem

Science: Earth's Crust (geology), monthly STEM activities

Social Studies: World Geography

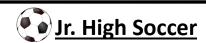
French: Grade 3/4's have been playing French games focused on school supply vocabulary, we will be moving onto a unit on animals. Grade 7/8 have been learning correct pronunciation, grammar, vocabulary through technology as well as a mini unit of Travel Vocab and grammar. Grade 5/6 has also been learning through technology, and will be starting an animal unit.

Art will be in second term.

Home-Ec is every Day 5, bus leaves 8:30am.

All the best, Ms.Nicole Wruth





Grade 7 & 8 Soccer practice

Practices this week are Monday and Wednesday.

The tournament is this Saturday, Oct 5th on our school field.

Our games are at 10:00 and 1:15. Hope to see you out cheering on the kids





Last Friday, Sept 27th
Onanole staff, students
and a few family
members, participated
in our Annual Terry Fox
Run. The weather held
out. It was cool but
tolerable. Big
difference from last
years cancellation and
run in the snow.

Mr. Stephens will be announcing how much money OES raised very soon. Thank you again to all who donated.



