

OAPIE'S NEWSLETTER

MAY 2025

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT OAP?

- **Swimming lessons**- May 5-20. Please ensure your child has a towel and swimsuit on their swimming days.
- **Red Dress Day**- Wear red on May 5.
- **Hats on for Mental Health**-Wear a hat on May 7 to spread awareness.
- **Moose Hide Campaign Day**- May 15
- **School Council Meeting**-May 8 at 7:00 PM

Reminders

- Drop off time JK-3: Doors open at 8:35, class starts at 8:45
- Pick-up time JK: Please have students picked up by 3:15
- Pick-up time K-3: Students will be brought to the front of the building at 3:15
- Please ensure your child is dressed for the weather. As it gets warmer, students engage in more outdoor activities. Please send a hat.

OAP WEBSITE

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To all our hot lunch volunteers and sponsors



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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Hello OAP School Families,

I hope you all had a wonderful Easter and enjoyed the long weekend spending time together as a family.

Looking Back

Over the past few weeks, we've had several exciting and meaningful events:

- During our recent Staff Planning and Development Day, teams met collaboratively to focus on how we can best support our students. We also explored the importance of fluency in learning and came away with some great strategies to support students in this area.
- Both schools celebrated the season with fun Easter Egg Hunts - a highlight for many of our students!
- Our Early Years Parent Evening was a great success. We welcomed families to an interactive event that provided valuable information and helped build connections between home and school.

Looking Ahead

- *Red Dress Day (May 5)* and *Moose Hide Campaign Day (May 16)* are both opportunities for students and staff to engage in learning and reflection around the importance of honouring Indigenous women and girls and taking a stand against gender-based violence. As schools, we will mark these days with age-appropriate discussions and activities.
- *Hats On for Mental Health* is coming up on **May 7** - students and staff are encouraged to wear a hat to raise awareness and show support for mental health.
- Teachers are busy planning end-of-year field trips. Stay tuned for details coming home soon from your child's classroom.
- *School Council Meetings*. Come join us if you are looking to have more involvement in your child's education:
 - April 30th ,7 p.m. - HGE
 - May 8th ,7 p.m. - OAP

Important Dates

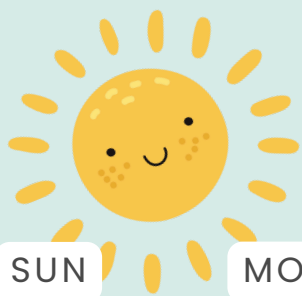
- **May 15** - Professional Development Day (No school for students)
- **May 16** - Day in Lieu (No school for students)
- **May 20** - Victoria Day (School Closed)

Thank you for your continued support in making our schools safe, inclusive, and engaging places for all students. If you have any questions or need more information, please don't hesitate to reach out to the school office.

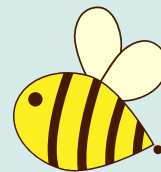
Sincerely,

Cheryl Gascoyne





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11	12 SWIMMING 1S,3L,2K.	13 SWIMMING 1R,2W,3W	14 SWIMMING 1S,3L,2K.	15 PD DAY- NO SCHOOL MOOSE HIDE DAY	16 DAY IN LIEU NO SCHOOL	17
18	19 VICTORIA DAY NO SCHOOL	20 SWIMMING 1R,2W,3W	21	22	23	24
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