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# Queen Mary Public School A School Where "Everyone is Important!" 2017

School Hours: 9:00 – 12:05 am 12:05 – 12:50 Lunch Break 12:50– 3:20 pm



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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1	2	3
		PJ Day	Crazy Hair Day	Wacky Hat Day
6	7	8	9	10
Picture Orders/Payment due			Remembrance Day Assembly	No School
13	14	15	16	17
No School	Picture Retakes & class photos Prek-B & D and K-B			
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	
Book Fair	Book Fair	Book Fair	Book Fair	

## Make time to read aloud with your child

Reading aloud "exposes children to a positive reading role model, new information, the pleasures of reading, rich vocabulary, good grammar, a broader variety of books than they'd choose on their own, richly textured lives outside their own experience. At the same time the child's imagination is stimulated, attention span stretched, listening comprehension improved, emotional development nurtured, the reading-writing connection established, and, where they exist, negative attitudes reshaped to positive. Outside of all that, reading aloud doesn't do much." (Source: Jim Trelease, The Read-Aloud Handbook)



### Remembrance Day Assembly

Please join us for our Remembrance Day Assembly on Thursday, Nov. 9th at 9:30am



Remembrance Day Saturday, Nov. 11th
The peaceful society we enjoy has been created by
the efforts and sacrifices of generations of
Canadians who have put their lives on the line in the
cause of peace and freedom around the world.
Remembering all that they have done during times of
war, military conflict and peace helps us to better
understand our nation's history and its future.
www.veterans.gc.ca

#### **Library News**

The Scholastic Book Fair is coming to our school! What better way to promote reading to our students than by supporting this important literary event. We invite your entire family to participate by purchasing the latest and greatest in children's books. Your support of this vital literary event is a key part of helping us obtain new books and resources for our library and classrooms. Don't forget to mark the Book Fair dates, Nov. 27 - Dec. 1, on your calendar. We look forward to seeing you during our Scholastic Book Fair and thank you, in advance, for supporting this great literary event. Thank you for believing in books and the impact of reading on your child's future.

#### Picture Retakes

Picture retakes will be Tues, Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>. This will also be picture day for our Homerooms: PreK-B & PreK-D, and K-B.





Thank you to all students and families who donated to the food bank last month during our food drive. We collected over 1500 food items!

Homeroom 4L brought in the most items & won a pizza party.

#### Cell Phone and Other Device Policy

Cellular phones, iPods, mp3 players, and other personal communication devices are not to be used at Queen Mary Public School. Students who use them at school will be asked to give them to the teacher who will send the device to the office. The student will be given the device back at the end of the day. If it happens a second time, the device will be brought to the office and kept here for three days with parent notification and the third time parents will need to pick the device up. **Our students have been very respectful of our requests.** 

Colder weather is here – please ensure your child is dressed warmer so they can enjoy outside recess play!

#### **Attendance**

Parents can help their children be successful by encouraging regular attendance. Please call the school if your child is going to be away due to appointments, illness, an explained absence, or will be late. Call 306 763-7672 or 306 763-3351.

