Calluses for Comfort Cancer Run/Walk in Support of the

Bonnyville Community Cancer Centre

Fundraising Goals...ACHIEVED:

- \Rightarrow If students raise \$500 ~ Mrs. Draycott will wear a funny costume for a day.
- If students raise \$1000 ~ Mrs. Draycott will buy treats for the whole school. >
- ⇒ If students raise \$2000 ~ Mrs. Draycott, and any other staff who would like to participate, will dye their hair pink for a month!
- ⇒ If students raise OVER \$2000 ~ Mrs. Draycott will do all three! 🗸 🗸

TOTAL DONATIONS = \$2040.00

Thank you on behalf of the staff and patients of the Bonnyville Community Cancer Centre for raising \$2,040.00 this year for a total of \$35,154.46 over the past fourteen years!





ORDER DEADLINE Thursday, Nov. 19

Order forms were sent home with students. If you need more blue order forms, they are ... OR ... available at the office. To place an online order, go to

www.momspantry.ca add items to your cart, and check out using these numbers:

> Order Number: 320298 **Group Passcode: 33251**

NB: To qualify for Free Shipping we need to collect \$1500 in total orders.

> Thank you for supporting this school fundraiser!



*View ALL items and the order form on our school website Order forms were given to each ı family

With enthusiasm and support we challenge learners to achieve their highest potential and develop into responsible and caring citizens.

- Mission Statement



School Phone: 780-826-5617 **School Fax:** 780-826-7503 Email: ironriver@nlsd.ab.ca Principal: K. Draycott Secretary: D. MacGillivray Librarian: L. Procinsky (Tu & Th)

Websites:

Iron River School: https://www.ironriverschool.ca/ Parent Portal: https://powerschool.nlsd.ab.ca/public/ School Cash Online: https://nlsd.schoolcashonline.com

N.L.P.S.: https://www.nlpsab.ca

Transportation: https://nlpsab.ca/Transportation.php https://www.facebook.com/Iron-River-School-518678098342885/

November 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Time Change "Fall Back" 1 hour 2:00 am	2 NO SCHOOL for Iron River, Ardmore & Caslan Students ~ Collaboration Day	3 School Council / PAC Meeting 6:30 pm	4 Lifetouch Picture Re- takes 12:00 pm	5	6 School Spirit & Hat Day	7
8	9 AR Stay-On-Track 50% Goal	10 Virtual Remembrance Day Ceremony	11 NO SCHOOL ~ Remembrance Day	12	13 School Spirit & Hat Day	14
15	16	17	18	19 IRS Clothing Orders Due Mom's Pantry Orders Due	20 NO SCHOOL - Family Friday	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 School Spirit & Hat Day	28
29	30					

<u>Do you know</u> that if you go to the school website calendar https://ironriverschool.ca/about/calendar, you can add the Iron River School Calendar to your Google Calendar, subscribe to the calendar or download it to iCal? You can even add individual items to iCal! Check it out!

December 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
IRON RIVER SCHOOL		1 Report Cards Sent Home 3:24 pm School Council / PAC Meeting 6:30 pm	2	3 Parent/Teacher Interview Phone Calls (book time online) 3:30 pm	4 NO SCHOOL ~ Family Friday	5 Annual Christmas Auction - NEW Online Bids OPEN 9:00 am
6 Online Christmas Auction	7 Online Christmas Auction	8 Online Christmas Auction	9 Online Christmas Auction	10 Online Christmas Auction	11 Online Christmas Auction School Spirit & Hat Day	12 Online Christmas Auction
13 Annual Christmas Auction - Bids CLOSE 9:00 pm	14 AR Stay-On-Track 75% Goal	15	16	17 Virtual Christmas Concert	18 Breakfast & Pajama Day School Spirit & Hat Day	19 NO SCHOOL ~ Winter Break
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Iron River School Dragon of the Month

For the month of October was awarded to

DANE HANSEN

In recognition of the following:

• Dane has proven time and time again, to be an amazing young man. He constantly is lending a helping hand, using his manners, being respectful, and making Iron River School a better place. A role model that every other student, young and old, could look to for an example of how to be a Dragon. Whether he is on the volleyball court, ringing tone chimes, or rocking Social Studies, he is an exceptional student that is always willing to learn. Congratulations Dane!





Mrs. Webb has been busy going into the Kindergarten to Grade 3 Classrooms since the beginning of the school year and working with students on problem solving using Kelso's Choice. This program helps students to identify "Small Problems" vs. "Big Problems", and how to use Kelso's Choices to solve their small problems on their own. Kelso offers 9 choices to help students solve their small problems, and they have to try at least 2 of the choices before seeking an adult for help if they have not worked. If they have a big problem, something that is scary or dangerous, they automatically need to go to an adult they trust for help. Ask your child what choices they used today to solve their small problems.



You can find more resources about this program on their website https://kelsoschoice.com/ or by contacting Mrs. Webb at the school.

FOR YOUR SAFETY AND OURS MASKS REQUIRED

It's Colder ... Inside & Outside! Please dress warmly!

FOR ALL ADULTS AND STUDENTS

IN GRADE 4 AND UP

Northern Lights

Students and staff have been colder INSIDE since the temperature dropped outside. This is because NLPS, in accordance with Alberta Government's General Relaunch Guidance, has been running the air circulation systems in all of their buildings 24/7 to bring in fresh air from outside. This is to assist in removing airborne virus

"Our goal is to balance the air circulation strategy with keeping our buildings warm. Our intent is to heat buildings to 20 degrees Celsius and then run the air circulation until the ambient air temperature drops to 17 degrees Celsius."

NLPS Division Update-Issue #07-Nov. 3/20

Remembrance Day Video is on Google Classroom







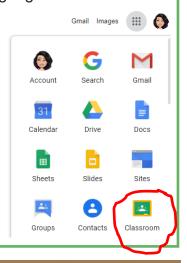
get more pictures, updates and reminders!

Google Classroom

Due to copyright restrictions, and a lot of our ceremonies and performances being online this year, we have created a google classroom for

Iron River Families to join. You will be using the google app google classroom, which can be accessed on the top right side of your computer screen, or you can enter google classroom into the search engine.

The **class code** to enter is: **puz7qkt**



Register NOW for 2020-2021 school year

Care to Learn Preschool



Play-Based Learning for Children Ages 3 & 4!
Classes are Mon. and Wed. 8:30-11:30 am
Register online at nlpsab.ca/programs/early-learning/preschool



Please go to <u>m.elevateauctions.com/IRONRIVER</u> to **get registered** for the auction **before Dec. 4th**.

If you have **any questions** please visit the FAQ's section of the website.

If you have **further questions** please contact the PAC at <u>ironriverassociation@gmail.com</u>

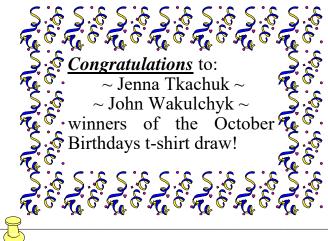
If you have an **item to donate**, please email the PAC using the above email address or contact Alisha Kunec @ 780-937-7857.



<u>WANTED</u>: Donations of Dinosaur toys and items that we can put into our Kindergarten "house centre" (dramatic play). We are going to change

it into a dinosaur museum - statues, stuffies, fossils and little things for the "gift store" would be great.

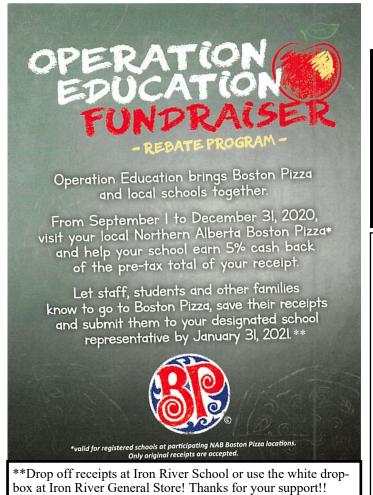
NB: items will NOT be returned.



Report Cards and Parent/Teacher Interviews

Report cards will be sent home with students Tuesday, Dec. 1st.

Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held Thursday, Dec. 3rd **BY PHONE**. Parents are asked to go to the school website and click on the "Bookings" tab to book an interview time. Your child's teacher will then call you at the selected time to discuss your child's progress this year. https://www.ironriverschool.ca/



Concession:

If you do not want to send money with your children, you can purchase a pre-paid tab through SchoolCash Online! You must print off the receipt and send it to the school so Miss. Jess can put it in the concession. We are not always able to check whether or not you have purchased a pre-paid tab. The receipt can also be emailed to the school ironriver@nlsd.ab.ca, but that can cause a delay in accessing the pre-paid tab.

Pizza with the Principal

There were several Dragon scales with positive behaviours read during morning announcements last month. Jenelle Kardash, Laurel Graves, Ashlyn Tkachuk & Kaylee Graves were the four lucky October winners whose scales were drawn to have "Pizza with the Principal"!

Congratulations to all the Dragons who continue to show positive behaviours.

