



South Hull School October 2020 Newsletter # 2



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Dear Parents/Guardians:

September was a challenging month for all at South Hull, as we were forced to close three classrooms due to positive cases of COVID-19 at our school. While these events were unfortunate, we are very proud of how our staff rose to the occasion to meet the various challenges presented head-on.

With the Thanksgiving holiday upon us, it allows us time to pause and reflect on all the things we are thankful for at South Hull. Our students continue to provide us with their outstanding effort and smiling faces. Despite a pandemic, the laughter and energy of our young ones is un-fazed.

From all of us in the office, we wish you a safe and healthy month of October full of giving thanks, tricks and hopefully treats.

Celine Sevigny and Mark Keeping

Upcoming Events

Governing Board Meeting - October 13 6:00 p.m.
Home and School Meeting - October 19 at 6:30 p.m.
Home and School Subway Day - October 23
Picture Day - November 3 and 4 (information to follow)
Grade 4 Vaccinations - Postponed (information to follow)

Holiday/PD Day

October 12 is a Holiday and there will not be any classes or daycare for children on this day.

October 15 and 16 are PD days and there will not be any classes for children on these days. If you require daycare for these P.D. days, please contact Daycare before October 9.

Mozaik/Parent Portal Account

For parents who have not created their Parent Portal account, please do so at parentportal.ca, in order to access your report cards online. Please note that unless requested, paper report cards will not be given to students. Should you have any question, please contact Lucie at 819-684-6565 ext 1.

Progress Report and 1st Report Card

The **progress report** will be available on the parent portal on October 15.
The **1st Report Card** will be available on the parent portal on November 24.
Parent/Teacher interviews will be held virtually on November 26 and 27.
Information regarding the parent/teacher interviews will follow.



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School Fee Payments

School fee payments have been postponed. Information regarding school fee payments will follow.

Lunches

Please be advised that packed lunches are to be "ready to eat". We do not supply microwave services for students' lunches.

Lady Bug Cafeteria Online Ordering - Lunches

Every child should come to school with ample snacks, beverages and a lunch. If you want to order a LUNCH ONLY, please consult the Home and School website for online ordering at www.southhulls.ca/ladybug-cafeteria.html#.

Please note that orders will not be taken at school, all orders must be submitted online by 7pm the night before. Orders after 7pm will not be processed. **Please ensure that all the information is filled-in correctly on the order form. Do not indicate your order in the email money transfer itself.**

NOTE --- Due to time constraints, morning snacks will not be available. PLEASE ensure that your child comes to school with a morning snack. Thank you.

End of Day Changes

Please note that due to a busy end of day schedule, phones will not be answered between 2:15 and 2:45. Please ensure your end of day changes are phoned in or sent by email to southhull@wqsb.qc.ca as early as possible on that day and before 2:00 p.m.

Hallowe'en

Hallowe'en here at school is on Friday, October 30, and will be a regular school day. Non-cumbersome costumes are acceptable. We will not call home if a child comes without a costume and will not be responsible for any lost articles. Please keep costume accessories, including Hallowe'en masks, at home. ***Please be advised that candy and/or any outside food is not permitted at school.***

Lice

Unfortunately, this is a popular time of year for head lice. We are asking all parents to be vigilant and closely check their children for head lice. Should any be found, removal procedures must be completed immediately. Please inform the school if your child has lice.

2020-2021 Governing Board Committee

This year's Governing Board Executive is:

Chair - Tania Lambert

Vice Chair - will be elected at the October meeting

Parent Representatives - Daniel Martimbeault - Aaron Dolan

Home and School Representative - Chloé O'Shaughnessy

Community Members - Will be elected at the October meeting



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2020-2021 Home and School Committee

This year's Home and School Executive is:

President - Nick Giannakoulis
Vice President - Chloé O'Shaughnessy
Treasurer - Catherine Poch
Secretary - Ahmed Hassan
Membership - Deborah Driver
Communications - Kathleen Emberson

Home and School Subway Days will be held on October 23, November 6 & 20, December 4 & 18. Online order deadline for this month is the October 16, www.southhullhs.ca.

Terry Fox

On October 6, Simon Roy, one of our students, ran a personal Terry Fox run in hopes of breaking the school's running record of 20km. He has also raised \$1,285 in online donations thus far. Supported by staff members, parents and students cheering him on, Simon reached his goal by running 22km in 1 hour, 56 minutes. Congratulations Simon! Thank you for keeping South Hull's Terry Fox Spirit alive!