

NIJI MAHKWA TIMES

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Administrator's Message

Dear Niji Mahkwa Families,

The month of September has been a busy one, and it has been amazing to meet our new students and to reconnect with our returning students!

Our Biindigen feast was a successful beginning to the year and we thank all of those families who came. If you weren't able to come, but would like to meet or talk to your child's teacher, reach out to the school at any time.

The whole school attended the Winnipeg School Division Dagwaagin (Fall) Pow Wow at Naawi-Oodena on September 24th and many of our students and some staff were among the dancers. It was a beautiful and powerful way to come together as a school and as a school division community.

On September 29th, we held an Orange Shirt Day walk in the neighbourhood to honor and to recognize the National Day of Truth and Reconciliation.

We are looking forward to another great month of learning at Niji Mahkwa School!

Theme: Pipe Ceremony
Teaching: Bravery
Moon: Migrating
Medicine: Sage
Song: Helper Song
Animal Spirit: Buffalo
Colour: Red
Doorway: Western Doorway

Thank you, Miigwech, Ekosani

Mr. Reuben Boulette, Principal
&
Ms. Adrienne Perreault, Vice-Principal



Moccasin Making Workshop/Instruction

Wednesday, October 7th, 1 PM

Family Room 108

Parents & Caregivers Welcome

Snacks & Refreshments will be provided

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***Niji Mahkwa
School Calendar***



Sun	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		NO SCHOOL STAFF INSERVICE	1 MONTH CELEBRATION PIZZA DAY		DENTAL SCREENING	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	NO SCHOOL THANKSGIVING					
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
				CAREER EXPO AT R.B. RUSSELL SCHOOL - GRADES 7 & 8	NO SCHOOL STAFF INSERVICE	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	BUS RIDERSHIP		PICTURE DAY			HALLOWEEN