

ARGYLE ALTERNATIVE HIGH SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 2023 NEWSLETTER

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November Important Dates

Wednesday, November 1st
Student Assembly at 1:30 PM

Thursday, November 2nd
Camp
Morningstar Field Trip
Learning on the Land

Friday, November 3rd
Guidance Resource Teachers & Admin
Networking Breakfast
In the Library at 9:30–10:30 AM

Wednesday, November 8th
Indigenous Veterans Day

Friday, November 10th
Presentation:
Careers in Construction Industry
James Murphy - 9:15 – 10:15 AM

Friday, November 10th
Remembrance Day Service

Saturday, November 11th
Remembrance Day

Monday, November 13th
Grad Lunch

Wednesday, November 15th
Report Cards

Thursday, November 16th
Food Handlers Testing – All Day

Friday, November 17th
Non-Instructional – No Classes

Monday, November 20th – 24th
Addictions Awareness Week

Thursday, November 23rd
Parent Teacher Conference – Student
Led

Friday, November 24th
December Bus Pass Sign-Up

Tuesday, November 28th
Presentation:
Careers in Manufacturing
Mitchell DeFehr - 10:25 – 11:25

Thursday, November 30th
Thrifty Thursday

November Newsletter 2023

Greetings,

What an amazing two months of school we have had at Argyle Alternative High School! It appears the cold and snow is here to stay. Often, the colder weather makes it more challenging to show up to school every day. I want to take this opportunity to remind all students and caregivers about the importance of being here. Let's keep working as a team to support student attendance and learning.

October was once again a great month of learning at Argyle. One of the highlights was our Grad and Family Evening. We had an opportunity to share a meal with our potential grads and families. During the evening, they heard about the plans for Grad 2024. We also shared information about life after grad. Grads also shared information with us that will help staff support each student on their path to graduation.

November brings more learning and opportunities for us to gather. Please consider joining us as we take a school outing to learn on the land at Camp Morning Star on November 2nd. To confirm your attendance or get more information, please email or call the school.

November also brings the end of Quadmester one and the start of Quadmester two on November 14th. On November 23rd, students, caregivers and teachers will have the opportunity to reflect back on the learning that took place during the first Quad. Caregivers are invited to join us for parent teacher conferences during this evening. We look forward to connecting with families to celebrate student learning and plans for future success!

Keith Bousquet,

Principal

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STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

Anna-Maria C. – Guidance Counsellor

Lisa G. - CSS/Psychologist

Linda M. – Inclusive Education Resource Teacher

Rosetta T. - Substance Abuse Counsellor

ARGYLE BREAKFAST PROGRAM

Students are welcome to come to school early for a **free nutritious breakfast/snack**. Limited items are available from 8:30 am - 9:15 am in the cafeteria

BUS PASS SUBSIDY PROGRAM

Each month, students have the opportunity to purchase a monthly bus pass at a subsidized rate. This year, the cost will be **\$55.00**.

Approval is dependent on the last month's attendance.

Sign up in the office

BE THE INSPIRATION

Winnipeg School Division
is hiring:

- School clerks
- Educational Assistants
- 5th Class Power Engineers
- Bus Drivers



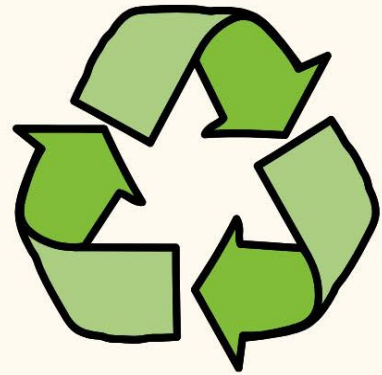
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WINNIPEG SCHOOL DIVISION

THRIFTY THURSDAY



Save our planet by enjoying a free shopping experience!

STUDENTS SHOP THURS NOV 30

FAMILIES WELCOME TO SHOP FRI DEC 1 (2:30-4PM)



FREE OPPORTUNITY!

FOOD HANDLERS TRAINING + CERTIFICATION!



**THURS, NOVEMBER 16 9AM-3PM,
IN THE SCHOOL!**



Take this course if you...

- ... want to work with food or serve food.
- .. are looking to expand your job opportunities.
- ... want to learn about safety and food preparation.
- .. are interested in microbiology, customer service, management or entrepreneurship.

See Rissa in the library or email
rhamlin@wsd1.org to sign up.

**LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE,
SIGN UP TODAY!**



ARGYLE ACCESS FAIR
THURSDAY, November 23rd
5:00 – 8:00 p.m.

"In collaboration with many local resource centres, Argyle is hosting an Access Fair on Thursday, November 23rd from 5-8pm. This is on the same night as Parent Teacher's Conference, so we welcome all students and guardians/loved ones to attend! This Access Fair will help to connect our students and community members to local resources such as community health care, housing assistance, employment preparation, mental health support and more. There will also be resources at the fair providing direct services, such as financial institutions (to help set up bank accounts, RESPs, Canada Learning Bond, etc.) income tax-filing help, and finally some organizations helping set us up with certain forms of identification. You can see the following letter to learn a bit more about the Canada Learning Bond, which is an important part of the Access Fair. This is a really great opportunity to make sure we are all aware of who in our community is here to help us and how we can access those resources; we encourage you all to attend!"



Dear Families,

Are you or your child born in or after 2004? Are you or your child coming from a low-moderate income family? You could be eligible to receive the Canada Learning Bond by opening a Registered Education Saving Plan (RESP)

You or your child can use this money to help pay for an apprenticeship program, university, trade school, or college. You can also use the Canada Learning Bond to pay for expenses like tuition, books, tools, rent, or transportation.

You do not have to pay any money into the RESP to receive the **Canada Learning Bond**.

Canada Learning Bond Sign-up Event

Thursday, November 23, 2023

5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Argyle Alternative High School

30 Argyle St, Winnipeg, MB

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Community Financial Counselling Services, Youth Employment Services, and SEED Winnipeg are hosting an RESP sign-up event at 30 Argyle St, Winnipeg. Open a free RESP and access the Canada Learning Bond for your child.

You will need a Social Insurance Number (SIN). If you need a SIN, Service Canada will be present at the event to print out your SIN.

Our services at the event:

- Helping you get your Social Insurance Number and birth certificate (at no cost)
- Helping you apply for a no-cost RESP for you or your child and access the Canada Learning Bond

If you open the RESP and apply for the Canada Learning Bond, you will receive a \$100 incentive from us! This incentive is for new RESPs opened prior to Dec. 31, 2023.

Visit **fundmyfuture.ca** or call **204-560-7143** for more information about the Canada Learning Bond and how to prepare for this event.



**Winnipeg School Division
Systems Navigator**

**Thursday: 11:30am-2pm
Friday: 11:30am-2pm**



**New
Hours!**

**Monday: 11am-7pm
Tuesday: 12pm-8pm
Wednesday: 11:30am-7:30pm
Thursday: Appointment Only
Friday: 12pm-8pm**

