ARGYLE ALTERNATIVE HIGH SCHOOL OCTOBER 2023 NEWSLETTER

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October Important Dates to Remember

Tuesday, October 3rd Non- Instructional - No Classes

> Thursday & Friday, October 5th & 6th Thrifty Thursday

Monday, October 9th Thanksgiving - No Classes

Wednesday, October 11th
Quad 1 / Block 3
Bus Ridership

Monday, October 16th Grad Lunch

Friday, October 20th Non-Instructional - No Classes

Wednesday, October 25th `
Women's Group
Gathering
November Bus Pass
Sign-up / Deadline

Thursday, October 26th Quad 1 / Block 4

Tuesday, October 31st November Bus Pass Pick-Up October Newsletter 2023

Greetings Argyle Community,

It is hard to believe that one month of school has already passed and we are into October. We hope that the first month of school has been successful and positive for students and families. I have been impressed with how responsible and respectful students have been. It has made for a great start!

In October we will continue to focus on creating student success and building a vibrant community. Teachers have been working hard to provide engaging learning experiences for all students. For this reason, it is important that students attend class every day.

We have some exciting events and learning opportunities this month. In October, Argyle staff and students will continue our learning journey for Truth and Reconciliation. The whole school will attend the National Residential School Museum in Portage La Prairie. We invite parents and caregivers to join us for this learning opportunity. Exact date to be announced. On October 19th, we will host a dinner for all grads and their families. This is an opportunity to hear about grad plans, ensure students are on track and start planning for life after high school.

I would once again like to invite all parents/caregivers to join us for our monthly Argyle community gatherings. This is an opportunity to meet (virtually or in person), hear about what is happening in the school and share your voice. We currently have a very small group signed up to take part, please consider joining this community of caregivers to listen and share your voice.

Please feel free to reach out to me at any point throughout the school year.

Keith Bousquet

Principal

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 MPR

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!

Winnipeg School Division Student Accident Insurance

Information regarding Voluntary Student Accident Insurance from Old Republic Insurance Company of Canada are now available. Those parents/guardians with an active email address will receive the information via School Messenger. Printed copies of the brochure are available through the school office. For more information visit: https://manitobastudentinsurance.ca/ or by calling 1-800-463-5437.

SAVE THE DATE

What: Argyle Alternative's Vision For Graduating Students & Their Families

<u>Why:</u> We NEED to prepare for your child's Graduation this upcoming June 2024

Where: Argyle Alternative High School

What: Dinner will be provided, guest speakers and resources will be shared

When: Thursday, October 19th- 5-7:00pm

Child Care Provided!

Things to consider:

What are your child's goals after graduation?

Do they intend to join the workforce?

Do they have a resume?

Have they ever had a job interview?

Is there volunteer experience on their resume?

Entering a Skilled Trade?

Are they considering post-secondary education or post-high options?

Post-Secondary education costs money, how will they pay for it?

Scholarships and Bursaries are great options; do they know how to write a Biography?

Do they know how to fill out a scholarship or

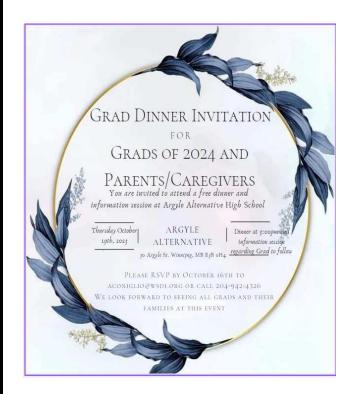
bursary application?

Youth Tuition Waivers are available at many postsecondary institutions, what are they?

Do they have the correct courses to attend postsecondary?

RSVP: argyle@wsd1.org or 204-942-4326

Please RSVP by October 16, 2023 to aconiglio@wsd1.org or call 204-942-4326 for attendance and dietary restrictions. Free childcare upon request





THURSDAY OCTOBER 5TH

Save our planet by enjoying a free shopping experience!

All students welcome in the Argyle MPR



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

Huddle

