Atlantic Memorial Terence Bay Elementary

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Message to Atlantic Memorial Terence Bay Families:

We are excited that one of AMTB's biggest events of the year, our Holiday Market and Fair, is coming soon! This special event is a wonderful opportunity for our school community to come together, have fun, and show our support for the school.

We have also held our first Monthly Assembly, and our student announcement, assembly, lunch, and milk delivery crews are now running smoothly. This is all thanks to the hard work, dedication, and teamwork of our students and teachers. A big thank you to our staff for creating these opportunities for our Grade 4 and 5 students. It's shaping up to be a fantastic year, and we look forward to all the exciting moments still to come!

Carrie McBay Nancy Smith
Principal Vice Principal

AMTB Holiday Market and Fair Donations:
We are excited to be having the AMTB Holiday Market and Fair on Saturday, November 21st from 10am-1pm. If you are available to volunteer for a shift that day please email amtb@hrce.ca. Any help and support is greatly appreciated.

School Picture Retakes:
Retakes will be held on Monday, November 9th. If you wish to have retakes, please ensure your child brings the photo card/proof back on that day. If you have any questions, please contact our school photographer at schools@adamsphotography.ca or 902-434-0558.



Remembrance Day Ceremony:
Our ceremony will take place on November 9 at 11:15 am. We invite families to submit digital photos of family members who have served in the Canadian or allied forces for our ceremony slideshow. Please email photos to **nancy.smith@gnspes.ca by November 6 at 3:00 pm**, including the name of the person who served and the name(s) of the student(s) attending our school.

Thank you for helping us honour those who served and celebrate the importance of peace.



Lost and Found Items:
We have lots of items that have lost their way and need to find their homes again. If you want to come look at our Lost and Found racks please drop by the main office and we can provide you access to search through them.

Upcoming Dates

November 3
SAC Meeting at 6pm

November 9
School Picture Retake Day (must have photo/proof card) and Remembrance Day Ceremony at 11:15am

November 11
Remembrance Day (no classes)

November 20
Assessment and Evaluation Day (no classes)

November 21
AMTB Holiday Market and Fair 10am-1pm

November 30
Report Cards go home

Dates Coming Up:
December 3
Progress Conferences 5:30pm-7:30pm

December 4
TPP (morning) and Progress Conferences 1pm-3pm (no classes all day)

December 9 and 10
Holiday Concerts (see details)

December 18
Last day before break

School Hours P-5
8:40 Playground Supervision Begins
8:55 Students enter
9:00 Classes Begin
10:35-10:50 Recess
12:00-12:55 Lunch
3:00 Dismissal

Winter Clothing:
With November comes colder weather, and the need to bundle up. We remind all students to dress for the cooler temperatures. Some students may need an extra set of mitts or other clothing just in case.



Holiday Concert:
Save the dates! We are excited for our students at AMTB to provide a Holiday Concert again this year to spotlight all of the musical talents of our P-5 students. The dates for the Holiday Concerts are December 9th (1:20pm) and December 10th (9:30am and 1:20pm). More information to come about tickets the beginning of December.



Planning for Inclement Weather:
Did you know? HRCE takes great care when making the decision to alter the regular operations of schools and school buses in the event of severe or inclement weather.

It is HRCE's goal to communicate any changes to the regular operations of schools and/or buses as close to 6:00 a.m. as possible. **A 6:00 a.m. announcement could be:**

- All schools are delayed in opening by two hours and bus pickups are delayed by two hours; or
- All schools are open, but some or all busses are not operating for the day; or
- Some schools (either individually or by family) are closed for the day; or
- All schools are closed for the day.

If weather deteriorates, or is forecasted to worsen throughout the morning, **an 11:00 a.m. announcement could be:**

- Bussed students will be picked up two hours earlier than their regular dismissal time; and
- Non-bussed students will be dismissed at their regularly scheduled lunch hour.
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How will I find out?

- By email to the addresses in PowerSchool
- By text message, **if you have opted-in**. If you aren't sure if you have opted-in, text Y to the following number: **978338**
- On the HRCE website
- On Instagram
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It's important to always have a plan in place for childcare in the event of any cancellation. Please remember: As a parent or guardian you always have the choice of whether or not to send your child to school.

For more information on how HRCE manages during inclement weather, visit hrce.ca/families/cancellations.

