



# Willow Park School

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## News Update October 1, 2019

### **Student Enrolment Verification Forms**

Please be advised that the enrolment verification forms are now past due. These are the forms required to confirm your child's registration as well as give permission for certain school activities. If you have not yet completed this, go on to PowerSchool and to the very bottom tab - Student Enrollment Verification. Please review and update the information.

### **Early Dismissal - Wednesday, October 2**

Our first Early Dismissal Day is tomorrow, Wednesday, October 2 at 2:15 pm. The first Wednesday of each month is Early Dismissal Day - please mark your calendars. Just a reminder that there are **NO KINDERGARTEN** classes on Early Dismissal Days.

### **Terry Fox Run**

The Terry Fox Run has been rescheduled to Wednesday, October 2 at 1:30 pm. Students will be running and walking to help realize Terry Fox's dream of running across Canada. Donations will be accepted until Thursday, October 3. Help us reach our goal of \$2000 by sending in a Toonie for Terry!

### **DFS Fundraiser Orders due tomorrow**

The DFS Fundraiser is winding down. Please have your orders in by tomorrow, Wednesday, October 2. Thanks to PAWS for organizing this fundraiser to help purchase materials for the school!

### **School Spirit Day**

This Friday, October 4, will be Jersey Day! Wear your favourite team or sport jersey, t-shirt or colours as we celebrate teamwork.

### **School Photos**

Individual school photos will be taken on Wednesday and Thursday, October 9 & 10. A schedule will be sent by your child's teacher so that you know what day your child's pictures will be.

### **LRC Pass**

We now have an LRC Pass available in our school library. Students can check out the pass to use to access the LRC for a week for their whole family.

***"Where Students Count and People Care"***

### **Fall Food Drive - Drive Away Hunger**

Bags were sent home today for our annual Food Bank Drive. Donations of non-perishable food items may be sent to the school until Wednesday, October 16. Thanks for your support!

### **School Council/PAWS - October 23**

On Wednesday October 23rd there will be a PAWS/Council Meeting at 6:00 pm in the Staff Room. This will be our Annual General Meeting to elect all positions. All parents are welcome to attend. PAWS meetings are a great opportunity to connect with other parents and find out what is happening at the school this year before the newsletters come home. We look forward to new faces and fresh ideas for the 2019/2020 school year.

### **Help us out!**

- Bring in your LRC wristbands for a chance to win a free pass!
- Send in your Boston Pizza receipts! BPs gives 5% back to the school for all purchases through their Operation Education Program.
- If you are at Cobs Bakery, mention Willow Park School and help earn money for our school.

### **Important Dates:**

- October 1 - 16 - Fall Food Drive
- October 7 - December 16 - Mondays - Gr 2 & 5 Swimming lessons
- October 9 & 10 - School Photos
- October 11 - Hot Lunch - Chopped Leaf; Orders due Oct. 3 on [hotlunches.net](http://hotlunches.net)
- October 21- PD Day - No School
- October 22 - Pizza by the Slice - \$2
- October 22 - First Jr ATB Banking Day
- October 23 - PAWS & School Council Annual General Meeting - 6 pm
- October 24 - Pumpkin Carving Night - 6 - 7:30 pm
- October 31 - Halloween Carnival

**\*\*\*Keep up to date on all the things happening at our school by visiting the school website at [wps.blackgold.ca](http://wps.blackgold.ca). You can also subscribe for updates to the online weekly update and calendar.**