## **Buchanan School Parent Council**

## Principal's Report

## Monday, Oct. 16, 2017

- 1. Final September Enrollment = 252 students
- 2. Winnipeg Jets Hockey Academy 26 student-athletes will be involved in this year's program. On-ice sessions run on Tuesdays from 11:30 12:30 at the Iceplex. All equipment and ice-time is provided by The Winnipeg Jets True North Foundation. On-ice sessions start on Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>. There is an After School Floorball component to the Program which runs on Mondays from 3:50 5:50 here at Buchanan School.
- 3. Bus Ridership K-5 All students will participate in our Fall Bus Ridership Program on Wed. Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> p.m. Vital Transit will be providing the training this year.
- 4. Gr. 3 Swimming wraps up Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>.
- 5. Gr. 3 Learn to Play Hockey Program will be running starting in January. This program is offered to Gr. 3 students not already registered in hockey. Equipment and ice-time is provided by The Winnipeg Jets NHL Player's Association.
- 6. Parent/Trustee Forum Saturday, November 18th 1:00-3:30

We have been asked to invite 5 or 6 parents to participate in this Forum at the Victoria Inn.

Parents are asked to provide feedback on the following questions:

Do you feel children are being prepared for the world beyond school?

What are the challenges of parent voices being heard in the public education system?

How do schools make a difference locally and globally?

Please provide 3 stars and a wish regarding the current school system.

If you are interested and willing to attend this Forum, please let me know!

- 7. Oct. Assembly Friday, Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> at 9:10 Parents and family members are always welcome to join us!
- 8. Halloween Assembly and Parade Tues. Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> 1:30 Parents and family members are again welcome to join us!
- 9. Subway Day Thursday, Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Thank you to Sandra, Kim, and Jordan for organizing!

Respectfully submitted,

H. Hoch