

Joseph K. Lumsden Bahweting Anishnabe P.S.A.



April 7, 2023

Dear Parents,

Today, April 7, 2023 is Good Friday and a half-day for students with a noon dismissal following lunch. April 10, 2023 is a holiday for all students and staff. School resumes on April 11, 2023 at the regular time.

Please mark your calendars for upcoming Parent/Teacher conferences in the afternoon on April 13th and 14th. Your child's teacher will be sending out additional information on these conferences at which time they will provide parents/guardians with strategies for supporting your child's learning at home.

The April Opening on Honesty (Gweyakwaadizowin) took place this week.. Miigwech to Dr. Gordon, Ms. Clow's 5th grade class and our Culture Department for organizing this inspiring cultural event. Our 5th grade students did a great job writing the play on Honesty and how this Grandfather Teaching connected to the other six Teachings. It was great to see so many members of our community there!

Middle school presented a play for middle school students and parents, "Alienated" on April 6, 2023. It was wonderful to see our students exhibit such talent! Miigwech to Mr. Donaldson and the other middle school staff who helped to make this possible.

Our next PAC meeting is coming up in the JKL cafeteria beginning at 5:15 PM with dinner on April 18, 2023. PAC meetings provide parents with the opportunity to share ideas regarding our school. Hope to see you there!

Please mark your calendars for the end-of-quarter Drum Dance Social that will be held in our gym on April 19, 2023 beginning at 1:30 PM. Students and staff will sing and dance to the Drum to celebrate all of the accomplishments of our third quarter. Please join us for this important cultural celebration!

Have a great week—we appreciate your continued support!

Sincerely,

Theresa Kallstrom

JKL Bahweting Anishnabe PSA Superintendent