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# November 2018

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## Cyril Varney P.S.

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### CONGRATULATIONS!

The following students were recognized for showing **RESPONSIBILITY** for the month of **OCTOBER**:

**Ms. Pigeon & Ms. Boileau – JK/SK \* Eden A. & Emily J.**

**Ms. Cryderman & Ms. Bruyere – JK/SK \* Terrence S. & Lena L.**

**Ms. Brooks – 1 \* Ryan L. & Jane V.**

**Ms. Dumont – 1/2 \* Starley K. & Zoey T.**

**Ms. Marsh – 2 \* Blake S. & Hayley H.**

**Ms. Miller – 2/3 \* Mason J. & Bailey S.**

**Ms. Robinson – 3 \* Grant T.L. & Jaelyn T.L.**

**Ms. Hollohan – 3/4 \* Ava D.R. & Dhir P.**

**Mr. Markwick – 4 \* Isaac M. & Jennifer K.**

**Ms. Moure – 5 \* Morgan W. & Hunter D.**

**Ms. Hocking – 5/6 \* Landon D. & Denica S.**

**Ms. Flood – 6 \* Hannah L.R. & Matthew G.**

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### Important Dates for November

November 1 – Parent / Teacher Interviews

November 2 – Ms. Cryderman's & Ms. Bruyere's class to the Gym Zone

November 3 – Churchill's Christmas Craft Show from 10am-4pm

November 5-9 – Treaties Recognition Week

November 6 – Girls Basketball Tournament @ Confederation

November 7 – Ms. Brooks', Ms. Dumont's, Ms. Marsh's, Ms. Miller's & Ms. Robinson's classes to the Sudbury Theatre Centre to watch Little Witch and School Council Meeting @ 6pm

November 8 – Mr. Markwick's & Ms. Hollohan's classes to Dynamic Earth

November 9 – Remembrance Day Ceremony

November 11 – Remembrance Day

November 13 – World Kindness Day

November 15 – Rock Your Macs, Girls Basketball Tournament @ Northeastern and Boys Basketball Tournament @ MacLeod

November 18-24 – Anti-Bullying Awareness Week

November 19 – Ms. Moure's class to Dynamic Earth

November 20 – Ms. Moure's & Ms. Miller's classes to Science North

November 21 – Mr. Markwick's & Ms. Hollohan's classes to Science North

November 22 – Boys Basketball Tournament @ Northeastern

November 23 – Ms. Cryderman's & Ms. Bruyere's and Ms. Pigeon's & Ms. Boileau's classes to Science North

November 26-29 – Dental Screening

November 29 – Cookie Dough Order Pick-Up 2pm-5pm

November 30 – PD Day (no school)

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## Progress Reports

Your child's progress report was sent home on Tuesday October 30, 2018. It is designed to show the development of your child's learning and work habits during the fall months of the school year, as well as his/her general progress in working towards the achievement of the curriculum expectations in all subject areas.

The first page indicates skills that represent your child's work habits: responsibility, organization, independent work, collaboration, initiative and self-regulation. The second page will indicate your child's progress in each subject area.

Interviews were held on November 1, 2018. If you were unable to attend at the specified time, please contact the school at 705-566-2424 or send a note to your child's teacher.

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## 2018-2019 Report Card Dates

**Progress Report** - October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018

**Provincial Report Card** - February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019

**Provincial Report Card** - June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019

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**Please feel free to call us at (705)566-2424 anytime. Communication of issues, events, etc. will help to solve and especially prevent potential problems.**

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## Remembrance Day

Our Remembrance Day Ceremony will take place in the gym on Friday November 9<sup>th</sup>. Students will stop to remember those brave individuals who served their country and gave their lives in times of war during 2 minutes of silence at 11am.

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# November Character Trait

## Courage

## Le Courage

## Zoongode-i-win

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### Anti-Bullying Awareness Week November 18-24

- \* Bullying is wrong and harmful.
- \* Bullying is a relationship problem (bullying cannot be addressed with simple solutions. Bullying requires relationship strategies that encourage respect and empathy for others.)
- \* Bullying is a community issue and we all need to play a part in addressing it.
- \* Youth involvement and leadership is very important.
- \* We need to challenge and support potential bystanders or the "silent majority" to not accept bullying behavior as normal.
- \* Everyone has the right to be respected and the responsibility to respect others, in person and online.

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## Cyril Varney Bingos

If you feel you can help out, please don't hesitate to call  
(705)566-2424.

By working at Delta Bingo and Gaming Sudbury, you support Cyril Varney Public School. Delta Bingo and Gaming Sudbury supports our students by providing monies used to enhance our learning environment.

### Become a Bingo Volunteer for Cyril Varney

The upcoming training sessions are:

Tuesday November 13, 2018 at 6pm at the Sudbury Food Bank

Wednesday December 12, 2018 at 9am at Delta Bingo and Gaming Sudbury

Sessions are just over an hour long and no appointment is needed. For more information, call Richard.

(705)560-4243 Ext. 225

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### Cyril Varney Needs You!

If you are interested in being a Varney Volunteer, please contact the school (705-566-2424). We are always looking for volunteers to help with our Breakfast Program, as well as many other areas of the school. Volunteers do require a current police record check.

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World Kindness Day is Tuesday November 13, 2018.

To celebrate World Kindness Day, you may wish to try some of these acts of kindness:

Say hello to someone new, say "thank you", read a story to a friend or to your little brother or sister, offer to help with the dishes, help fold laundry at home, clean your room without being asked, do the right thing, play a game with your little brother or sister, make breakfast for your family, open the door for someone, give a compliment, include everyone in your games, tell your parents you love them, hug someone, lend a classmate a pencil, or make a kindness poster.

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### Daily School Schedule

8:30am – Breakfast Program

8:45am – Classes begin

10:45am – 1<sup>st</sup> Nutrition Break begins

11:25am – 1<sup>st</sup> Nutrition Break ends

11:25am – Classes begin

1:25pm – 2<sup>nd</sup> Nutrition Break begins

2:05pm – 2<sup>nd</sup> Nutrition Break ends

2:05pm – Classes begin

3:00pm – Walkers leave (out the side door of the building)  
**Please meet you child outside the side doors.**

3:05pm – Bussers meet in their designated areas.

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### COOKIE DOUGH ORDERS

Please pick-up your orders on November 29<sup>th</sup> between 2pm and 5pm!

## Safe Arrival and Dismissal

If your child will be late for school or is absent, please call the school to let us know. You can **call at any time** to leave a message on our answering machine.

Our number is (705) 566-2424.

If you or someone else is picking up your child, we ask that you sign your child out at the office. This will help in case of an emergency.

When picking up a child at the end of the day, **please wait outside** as it is very busy at the end of the day and the halls are full.

Please report to the office whenever entering the school. There you will be asked to sign our guest book and wear a visitor's pass.

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## Winter Clothing Drive

A tremendous thank you goes out to everyone who helped Cyril Varney give back to our community by donating warm winter clothing to our Winter Clothing Drive!

We were able to collect 200 winter clothing items for the drive.

If you know of any families in need of winter clothing, items will be available at 955 Cambrian Heights (in back of the Reliance Building) on the following days:

- Saturday November 3 – 12pm to 4pm
- Sunday November 4 – 12pm to 4pm
- Monday November 5 – 11am to 7pm
- Tuesday November 6 – 11am to 7pm
- Wednesday November 7 – 11am to 7pm

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Thursday November 15<sup>th</sup> is  
“**Rock Your Mocs**” day  
at Cyril Varney!

Students are invited to wear their moccasins to honour cultural roots and the importance of identity, as well as to celebrate harmony through unity.

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## Save the Date - Holiday Concert

Our annual Holiday Concert will take place on Tuesday, December 18<sup>th</sup>. In order to comply with Fire Code Regulations, we will be hosting two concerts during the school day. We will divide our classes into 2 groups, with the first concert being performed at 1:00 p.m. and the second concert taking place at 2:15 p.m.

Should you have children performing in both concerts, you will be invited for Coffee and Cookies in our library while you wait. Stay tuned for more information, but mark this date on your calendars.



Character Trait

Courage  
 Le Courage  
 Zoongode-i-win

Hot Lunches

Fridays – Pizza \$2.00

November 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Parent / Teacher Interviews	2 Ms. Crydeman's & Ms. Bruyere's class to the Gym Zone	3 Churchill's Christmas Craft Show 10am-4pm
4	5 Treaties Recognition Week (Nov 5-9)	6 Girls Basketball Tournament @ Confederation	7 Ms. Brooks', Ms. Dumont's, Ms. Marsh's, Ms. Miller's & Ms. Robinson's classes to STC (Little Witch)  School Council Meeting 6pm	8 Mr. Markwick's & Ms. Hollohan's classes to Dynamic Earth	9 Remembrance Day Ceremony	10
11 Remembrance Day	12	13 World Kindness Day	14	15 Rock Your Mocs!  Girls Basketball Tournament @ Northeastern  Boys Basketball Tournament @ McLeod	16	17
18 Anti-Bullying Awareness Week (Nov 18-24)	19 Ms. Mourre's class to Dynamic Earth	20 Ms. Mourre's & Ms. Miller's classes to Science North	21 Mr. Markwick's & Ms. Hollohan's classes to Science North	22 Boys Basketball Tournament @ Northeastern	23 Ms. Crydeman's & Ms. Bruyere's and Ms. Pigeon's & Ms. Boileau's classes to Science North	24
25	26 Dental Screening (Nov 26-29)	27	28	29 Cookie Dough Orders Arrive Pick-up between 2pm and 5pm	30 PD Day (no school)	



# **Churchill Christmas Craft Show**

**Saturday, November 3, 2018**

**10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.**

**Churchill Public School Gym**

**\$3.00 admission**

Get a jump on all of your holiday  
shopping!

More than 30 vendors, Penny Table  
Items and a Door Prize.

**Mark your calendars and be sure to  
join us!**



# A Parent's Guide to the Fundamentals of Math

## Grades 1 to 8

Making sure that students have a strong understanding of the fundamentals of math is one of the best ways to prepare them for success, now and in the future. What students learn today will help best position them to solve everyday problems and to increase their employability in tomorrow's economy.

As students progress through elementary school, they will develop their ability to think mathematically, learn about different concepts and relationships, and to apply their knowledge. Key concepts include addition, subtraction, division, and multiplication, which will help to set the stage for more advanced skills, including algebra, and working with integers and decimals, among others.

By developing a strong understanding of numbers, students will be able to perform mathematical calculations quickly and accurately – whether they do so mentally, on paper, or by using a calculator. The ultimate goal is for them to be able to perform mathematical procedures with ease. This skill will also support students as they develop their skills in critical thinking and problem solving.

Ontario's publicly funded schools are focusing on the fundamentals of math. This is an overview of what Ontario students in Grades 1-8 are learning in math, and how you can support your children's math learning at home.

### Fundamental math skills from Grades 1 to 8

Most students learn math facts gradually over a number of years as they build their knowledge and confidence in their own ability to do math. The chart below provides examples of some fundamental math concepts and skills that students are expected to learn in elementary school by the end of primary grades (1-3), junior grades (4-6), and intermediate grades (7-8).

#### By the end of Grade 3, students will:

- Show understanding of and the use of whole numbers to 1000, i.e., 0, 1, 2, 3... 1000,
- Count forwards and backwards from 1000
- Use coins and bills to count and make change up to \$10
- Add and subtract numbers to 1000
- Recall and use multiplication facts to  $7 \times 7$ , and related division facts, e.g.,  $49 \div 7$
- Understand the relationship between 1 whole and parts of 1 whole as fractions

#### By the end of Grade 6, students will:

- Show understanding of and the use of whole numbers to 1 000 000 and decimal numbers to thousandths (e.g., 0.001)
- Count by tenths, hundredths, and fractional amounts
- Read money up to \$1000 and represent it using bills and coins

SKI EQUIPMENT FOR EVERY STAGE AND LEVEL

# Annual Ski Swap

## Walden Cross Country Fitness Club



**Saturday November 10th**  
**9am-3pm**



All proceeds support  
Walden Youth  
Ski Development  
Programs

### SELL YOUR EQUIPMENT!



Bring your 'gently used' x-country ski equipment and clothing to the chalet on Friday 5-8pm, or Saturday 8-9am.

### IN THE MARKET FOR SOME GREAT GEAR?



Great deals on new and used ski equipment and clothing. We have gear for every level from beginner to racer, age 2 and up. Let our experienced volunteers ensure your equipment is properly fitted.

### LET US TUNE UP YOUR SKIS!



Drop off your skis for a pre-season wax, cost is \$20.

### MEMBERSHIPS AND SKI PROGRAMS!



Club memberships will be for sale as well as Bunny & Jackrabbit registration, our JR Coordinator will be on-site to answer questions. Ask about our adult and youth adventure and racing programs.

*we only accept cash or cheque*

for more information, contact Brenda at [parksdw5@gmail.com](mailto:parksdw5@gmail.com)



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