



RRM Principal's Report to School Council October, 2018

GRATITUDE:

- Thanks to YOU as volunteers for stepping up for School Council Positions
- Thanks to Council for starting Pizza Day Days, Milk Program AND funding Snack Program

UP-DATES:

- Classes are settling in well, especially as we did not have to reorganize
- Current Enrollment of 81 students (JK – 14 , SK– 9 , Gr. 1 – 7 , Gr. 2 – 5, Grade 3 – 12 , Grade 4 – 9, Grade 5 – 14 , Gr. 6 –11)
- We are small but mighty...so many positive things happening at RRM
- Open House/Meet the Teacher Night last Tuesday very was successful with a high percentage of families attending. Gratitude to the Council for their support of this event
- School Improvement Planning
- EQAO Results
- Holiday Concert – Scheduled for Thursday, December 20 6:30 – 7:30 PM

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- Snack Program – likely about \$100.00 per month

PAST EVENTS:

We thank our staff for being willing to take on Extra-curricular & Leadership opportunities (challenge at a small school with limited staff to take on all that is expected).

- Assemblies (Welcome Back Assembly, Terry Fox Assembly, Character Education Assembly)
- Terry Fox Run
- Professional Activity Day - Student Centered Intervention Conversations and Health & Safety focus
- Orange Shirt Day (Honouring Residential School Survivors with a focus on Truth & Reconciliation).
- Walk TO or AT School Day today
- Lots of PD Sessions for Staff being held (Kindergarten, Special Education, CCAT, Technology, Suicide Prevention Equity and Indigenous)

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Grade Six Trip to Wellington Safe Communities – Oct. 4
- Cross-Country Running Team – Coach Smith is bringing 12 students to the event – Oct. 5
- Dental Screening – Oct. 5
- Grade 3 Canadian Cognitive Abilities Testing (C.C.A.T) this month
- K – 2 Trip to new Hillsburgh Library – Oct. 19
- Spirit Days –Every Friday is Spirit Day...most are School Spirit (school clothing or blue/white)...some are special ones October 12 (Fan Favourite), Oct. 16 (Wear your Favourite Colour) and October 31 (Halloween Parade last block)
- Soccer Meet – Oct. 15 (Coach Gaides)
- Professional Activity Day Oct. 28
- Character Education Assembly – November 1

Together, may we give our children the roots to grow & the wings to fly!!!