

CORRELIEU NEWS

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Important Dates:

September 18 - Photo Day
October 7 - 11 - Grad Photos
October 11 - Photo Re-takes
October 14 - Thanksgiving
October 25 - Pro-Day
October 29 and 30 - Early Closure Days

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Principal's Message

Dennis Hawkins-Bogle

At the start of every school year we are required by law to share certain information with parents and students. Attached to the newsletter you will find 2 such pieces of information: Fair Notice and Family Accident Reimbursement Plan.

Fair Notice was provided to all of students at our opening assemblies last week. Fair Notice provides a brief outline of the duty we have as a public school in the event of violence, threats and other risks. In the event of a serious risk at Correlieu we will follow our protocol. Please have a look at the attached statement and if you have any questions please contact Mr. Hawkins-Bogle at 250-992-7007.

Thanksgiving Food Drive

Correlieu will be collecting food products for a local food drive. Please bring non-perishable food items to the box outside the office. All food donated will be given to our local food bank. We are collecting until September 20. Thank you.

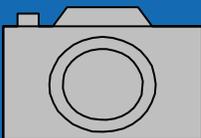


Career Prep

Our Career Prep teachers are busy planning a range of activities, assignments and learning experiences. The first set of out of school learning experiences include: Gibraltar Mine, We for She, and West Fraser Mill tour (harvesting field trip). This course takes place outside of the regular timetable (afterschool). It is a great way for students to explore various career options while in high school.

Picture Days

Individual Student Photos – Wednesday, September 18
Grad Photos – October 7-13
Individual Re-take Photos – Friday, October 11



Register by September 18th for Indoor Youth Soccer www.gysa.ca. Season starts September 30th.



Correlieu PAC

The Correlieu PAC meets the last Monday of each month (September 30) at 6:30 in the school library. New parents are welcome to join our PAC. Our PAC does not engage in fund raising activities but offers the school advice and allocates the PAC Gaming money provided by the government.

Student Hardship Funds – we are aware that paying school fees can present a hardship for some families. Please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Hawkins-Bogle to request hardship funds to help pay your child's school fees (250-992-7007). Please note this does not include optional fees such as student photo packages and year-books.



Notice to our Students and Parents/Guardians/Caregivers

Quesnel School District Threat Assessment Protocol

The Quesnel School District and our community partners are committed to having safe, caring and inclusive schools. In the event that a student makes a threat of violence or harm to other students, staff or the school community, the school will initiate the Quesnel School District threat assessment protocol.

Violence, Threat and Risk Assessment Protocol

In the event of a serious threat to the wellbeing of students or staff, A Violence, Threat and Risk Assessment Protocol will be initiated.

A threat is an expression of intent to do harm or act out violently against someone or something. They may be verbal, written, drawn, posted on the internet or made by gesture. Threats must be taken seriously, investigated and responded to.

What is the purpose of a threat assessment?

- to ensure the safety of all students, staff, parents and others
- to ensure a full understanding of the context of the threat
- to understand factors contributing to the threat makers' behaviour
- to be proactive in developing an intervention plan that addresses the emotional and physical safety of the threat maker
- to promote the emotional and physical safety of all

What behaviours initiate a VTRA?

A VTRA will be initiated when behaviours include, but are not limited to, serious violence with intent to harm or kill, verbal/written threats to harm/kill others, Internet website/social media threats to harm/kill others, possession of weapons (including replicas), bomb threats, and fire setting.

Duty to report

Staff, parents, students and community members have a duty to report all threat-related behaviours to keep our school community safe.

VTRA Team

Our school has a multi-disciplinary threat assessment team. The team includes principal, vice-principal, district staff, school counsellors and police.

What happens in a student threat assessment?

After a report, the principal will activate the protocol for initial response. The team is activated and interviews may be held with the student(s), the threat maker, parents and staff to determine the level of risk and develop an appropriate response to the incident. Intervention plans will be developed and shared with parents, staff and students as required.

Can someone refuse to participate in a threat assessment process?

It is important for all parties to participate. If someone is reluctant to participate for some reason, the threat assessment process will continue in order to keep our school safe.

Family Accident Reimbursement Plan **Voluntary Insurance**

Our insurance partner, iA Financial Group, is now offering a new comprehensive accident insurance plan with a critical illness component designed for the whole family.

The Family Accident Reimbursement Plan is ideal for supplementing costs not covered by your provincial health insurance or existing employer extended health and dental plans. Regardless of the size of your family, all eligible family members – one adult, one spouse and any number of dependent children – can be insured under the one low monthly rate of \$39.95.

Your coverage also includes a critical illness component, which pays out a lump-sum amount if any of the covered individuals are diagnosed with one of the covered conditions. Plus, the money can be spent however you need. Use it to pay medical expenses, take care of bills or cover income lost due to recovery. That's one less thing to worry about while you, or someone in your family, recovers from a serious illness.

Key Benefits

Accident Insurance Benefits

Accident Insurance Benefits are payable if an injury from an accident results in a loss, treatment, or expenses not covered by any existing health plans. Specific benefits covered include:

- A Permanent Total Disability Benefit of \$100,000
- An Accidental Death Benefit of \$20,000

Expense Reimbursement Benefits

- Dental Benefits – should any of your children require dental treatment resulting from an accident, they can receive coverage for dental work done within 7 years after the accident
- Hospital Stay Benefits – covers hospital services (including hospital room and other necessary hospital services such as a registered nurse, wheelchairs, casts and prescription drugs)
- Funeral Expense Benefit – up to a maximum of \$5,000

Critical Illness Insurance Benefits

Critical illness insurance provides a tax-free lump-sum payment to spend any way you need.

- All insureds are eligible for coverage of 4 critical illness conditions:
 - Cancer (Life-Threatening)
 - Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery
 - Heart Attack
 - Stroke
- On top of these 4 covered conditions, Dependent Children will also have coverage for 6 child-specific illnesses:
 - Cerebral Palsy
 - Congenital Heart Disease
 - Cystic Fibrosis
 - Down Syndrome
 - Muscular Dystrophy
 - Type 1 Diabetes

To apply for the Family Accident Reimbursement Plan or to find out more, visit solutionsinsurance.com/aonbc

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Sept 11 @ 6 PM @ 1490 Beryl St (The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints) we will be attaching flyers to the bags.

Sept 16-18 delivering bags to assigned houses

Sept 21 in AM picking up the filled bags

Contact Anita for more info at 250-255-3989

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PHARMACY

WE NEED YOUR HELP IN SUPPORT OF FOOD BANKS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Local food banks in B.C. help feed more than 100,000 people each month from the generosity of neighbors like you. Your support will fill people with hope during this Thanksgiving season.

We are requesting that you place unopened, nonperishable food items in this box. We will continue to collect the items until –

SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 21st

Unfortunately, EXPIRED food is NOT accepted at the food bank. Please ensure your items are not expired.

Thank you!