

Basinview Drive Community School

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Well, it looks like a true Nova Scotia spring.... Rainy in the morning/sunny in the afternoon yesterday and snow is in the forecast for tomorrow.... who knows what next week will bring! We all hope that you, your friends, and your families were/are able to enjoy the important holidays that are being celebrated this time of year by families in our community, including Easter, Ramadan, and Passover.

It was once again, a joy to read about the great progress that our students have made this year; highlighted in our Term 2 report cards that were sent home last week. I know that our teachers are looking forward to meeting with families tomorrow to discuss students' progress on Parent-Teacher conference day. If you have not signed up for the conference time, and still wish to, please visit the school website to access the booking portal.

Over the next few months there will be a lot of exciting things happening here at Basinview Community School so be sure to read the newsletters and emails that we send home. We wouldn't want anyone to miss anything!

Information for Current Pre-Primary Parents

Parents of Pre-Primary students, please know that you do not need to re-register your child for Primary – Even if they will be attending Bedford South. Our Administrative Assistants will take care of the transfer of information.



Upcoming Events

April 3

Parent/Teacher Conferences –
No School for Students

April 6

Pizza Pick Up #1

April 8

PTA Meeting/SAC Meeting

April 12

Passover Begins

April 13

Pizza Pick Up #2

April 15

Grades 3-5 Spring Concerts

April 16

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April 18

Easter Weekend

April 30

PD Day for Staff – No School
for students.

More Important Information

PTA Pizza Pick Up Information

Please see below, information on pizza kit pick-up for our most recent Randy's Pizza kit fundraiser. *Note that these pick-up's are for families that have purchased kits by handing in their forms and money - no kits will be available for purchase at pick up.*

Pizza kits will be distributed on two separate dates; your family's pick-up will depend on the student's last name. Your student will pick up all the pizza kits from their order form and distribute to those that purchased them. Pizza kits will be picked up in the front bus loop at the school (273 Basinview Drive) on the date indicated below.

- Students with the last names starting with A-H will pick up Sunday April 6th between 3-4pm
- Students with the last name starting with I-Z, will pick up Sunday April 13th between 3-4pm

If you are unable to pick up your kits during this time, please coordinate with another family to pick up for you as we do not have fridge space to store pizza kits.

Grade 3-5 Spring Concerts

On April 15th and 16th Basinview Drive Community School will be presenting 'Spring Musical Showcases', highlighting our music programming for grades 3, 4 and 5. Our students have been working hard to prepare these performances!

Tuesday April 15th and Wednesday, April 16th

- Concert start time will be 12:45 pm:
- Performances by all students in Grades 3, 4 and 5

Parents/guardians, family members and friends are welcome to attend either/both of these shows!



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Please note: Our students have worked very hard to prepare for this concert, so we ask our audience to stay for the entire performance (approximately 45 minutes or so)

Staffing for 2025-2026 School Year:

I know that it is difficult to believe that we are already beginning to look ahead at our student enrollment and staffing for next year.

It is very important that we have accurate numbers so that we hire the correct number of teachers. If you, or anyone you know, have not yet registered their child for school next year, or if you know that your child or children will not be attending Basinview in the fall, please let us know by calling the school at 902-832-8450. Please note, if you have moved out of our catchment area, you will need to register your child in the catchment area in which you live. If you do not live in area, you will have to follow the Out of Area request process.

Basinview Leaving “X” (formerly Twitter)

You may have heard that the HRCE has made a change in our approach to X, and effective April 1, HRCE (@HRCE_NS) will no longer post on the platform. So too, has Basinview ([@Basinview_Drive](#))

Why is HRCE leaving X?

- Concerns about platform changes: Recent changes to X's terms of service and policies have led to uncertainty and dissatisfaction among users.
- Security and privacy issues: Accounts on X can be vulnerable to hacking, spam, and other security threats.
- Negative impact on staff and school communities: The prevalence of abusive behaviour and misinformation on X can cause harm.

While many are choosing to join alternatives to X, for now our school has not decided on a social media platform. As always, families will receive all important and information from our school and from HRCE through our website (bvc.hrce.ca) phone, and email.



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