

NIVERVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

## Here is the latest news from your Niverville Parent Advisory Council.

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NMS PAC UPDATE @	APRIL 6, 2020			
(Continue to) Be the Magic	Thank you to all parents and community members who continue to support NMS PAC initiatives in these unprecedented times. We are inspired by the continued MAGIC we see for NMS. Our teachers, students and families are strong models of the NMS CARES model! Keep steady in the weeks ahead!			
Did You Know?	<b>Picking a School</b> - Have you or someone you know wanted to hand pick the school a child attends for their own learning requirements? Did you know Hanover School division has a schools of choice policy? <u>https://hsd.ca/schools/schools-of-choice/</u>			
Meetings - 6pm	<b>Next Meeting Date :</b> May 4 Online Parent Council Meetings were held with Executives and Committee Leads on Monday, April 6 at 6pm. The next online Executive/Committee Meeting will follow as scheduled.			
	Meetings are held to continue annual planning for the 2020-2021 school year and to transition incoming Executive and Committee roles in preparation for September. PAC Meeting Minutes are reviewed and shared with School Administration keeping lines of communication open and current.			
Program Updates in COVID-19 times	In keeping with current physical distancing restrictions and MB school closures, the following PAC-supported events are considered cancelled until further notice or rescheduling:			
	<ul> <li>Staff Appreciation (April 23).</li> <li>We thank those parents who volunteered to donate supplies.</li> <li>Town Cleanup Supervision (May 1)</li> <li>Grade 5 &amp; 6 Tri-Track Canteen (Jun 3)</li> <li>Grade 4 Parent Welcome Night (June 2020)</li> <li>Grade 8 Farewell (June 23)</li> </ul>			
	Parent Council continues communication with NMS' Administration. Should school closures be lifted before the originally planned event date or the School plans to manage an event at a later date, the Parent Council is prepared to engage as needed.			
PAC 2020-2021	We are pleased to announce the following parent volunteers joining PAC for the 2020-2021 school year.			
	Chair - Katie Knet Secretary - Annie Past-Chair - Tany	Ross	Vice-Chair - Lisa Strom Treasurer - Denise Poettcker	
	Fundraising - Lor ALAGS - Lyndsay		Tri-Track Canteen - Lesley Giardino Communications - Ravi Misir	
	All parents are welcome to join in the final Annual Plan review in September 2020. Support your new PAC with continued fundraising and program support initiatives for NMS in the new school year.			



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Spring 50-50 Raffle JACKPOT @ \$852	NMS and NHS PAC continue to fundraise. While schools are closed and school fundraisers were cancelled, the Parent Council is permitted to continue the online 50/50 Raffle event for our schools. Join us in our continued support as we work towards raising \$5,000 to share between our two schools.
	Tickets are \$2 each for a chance to win up to \$5,000! Use the easy to share link with family and friends. https://www.fundingchange.ca/nmsnhspac
	In keeping with current physical distancing restrictions, the draw will be streamed live to the public, through the event page found at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/events/1116447188722145/">https://www.facebook.com/events/1116447188722145/</a>
Active Learning and Green Space Committee (ALAGS)	Want to see improvements to our outdoor active play space? Interested in design, estimate research, grant research, grant writing? Our Committee members are working hard and waiting on confirmation for a few updates to our green space. Want to learn more? Join us in September!

Thanks for taking the time to read this update. Please contact us any time!