



DRAGON TALES

First Five Weeks Have Been Great

These first five weeks of school have really been packed with lots of activities and great instruction.

All of our McNeil students spent last Thursday down at Bishop's Beach and the Spit picking up trash and recording the items collected for our participation in the Coast Walk. All students have a unique button to remember their involvement in that community service project.

We also had a great Harvest Fair with lots of wonderful entries and a virtual Open House. We hope you were able to attend.

We are looking forward to the end of the First Quarter in just three weeks.

We are also looking forward to Sharlene Cline coming for two weeks in November as our Artist

In School this year. Sharlene will be working with all of our students on art work with an emphasis in watercolors

This is shaping up to be another great year of school at McNeil Canyon. Please stay tuned for all the great activities and events that will be available throughout the year and remember that it is your direct involvement that makes this such an amazing school. All of these activities represent a lot of work from teachers, students and parents. We would not be able to provide or accomplish these without your support. Keep up the great work!!

Thank you for choosing to have your child attend McNeil Canyon School.

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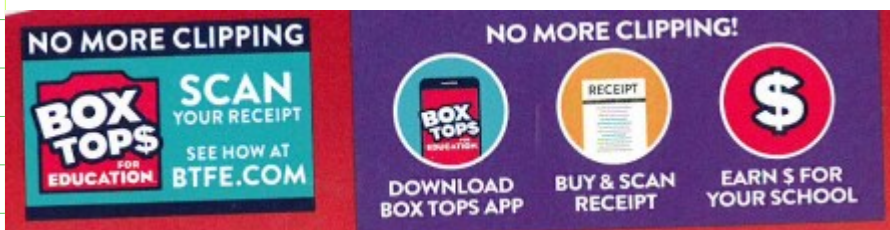
Special points of interest:

- End of 1st Quarter/ No School
- P/T Conferences

Dates to Note:

Comm. Council Mtg.	9 Oct
No School for Students	16 Oct
Famous Person Day	23 Oct
P/T Conferences	1 & 4 Nov

Box Top Change





Community Council

The McNeil Community Council will meet on Friday, October 9th at 1:00 pm in the Staff Lounge. All parents are invited to attend.

School Shirts & Hoodies

Attached to this newsletter is an order form for school shirts & hoodies. We only order these once a year so if you would like a school shirt or hoodie, please complete and return the order form by October 15th.



First Quarter Ends/In-service Day

First Quarter will be ending on Friday, October 16th. This is an in-service day for staff so there will be NO SCHOOL for students that day.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held on Thursday and Friday, October 29th & 30th from 8:00 am to 3:30 pm. Notices with your child's scheduled conference date and time will be sent home with them on Thursday, Oct. 15th. If you are unable to attend at the scheduled time, please contact the school office to reschedule as soon as possible or no later than Oct. 26th. Conferences are an important communication time for parents and teachers. We hope to see you here!

No Early Release

Just a reminder that there are no early release days during the first semester of school. Disregard the 21st on your school magnet calendar.





Scholastic News Fee Reminder

Scholastic News is a publication that many teachers find very informative for students. Due to budget cuts, we are asking parents to please pay \$5.00 (for students in Grades K, 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 only), so we can continue to receive this publication. This fee was included on the supply list and many students have paid. We would like to remind those who have not had a chance to pay yet to please do so. Thank you.

Famous Person Day


Student Council is sponsoring Famous Person Day on Friday, October 23th. Join the fun!



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Coast Walk Update



Students collected a total of 260 pounds of trash from our local beaches on Thursday when we participated in the Coast Walk organized by the Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies. All Coast Walk envelopes are due in the school office on Monday, September 28th. You must turn in your envelope whether you collected any pledges or not. Call the office if you have any questions. Great job everyone. Thanks for making our community a better place.



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Next

Site Council Meeting

12 Nov 20

3:30 p.m.

Agenda:

- Budget

Spotlight Students

The following students have been selected as Spotlight Students for the month of October: Ezekiel Lyon, Ramona McFarlin, Vivian Baker, Loida Basargin, Haddie Fisher, Tobias Porter, Dylan Deakins, Salem Geysbeek, Jace Nordstrom, Ames Kincaid and Leya Johnson. Parents are invited to join their child and the principal for lunch on Thursday, October 22nd at 11:45 am.

Spotlight Student forms are being sent home with these children today. Please return them as soon as possible so they can be placed on our Spotlight Student bulletin board. Thank you!!

IT'S
A Free
Country!
By Alex

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a possum suit
in Public

Its a Free country

(So BOOM)
possum suit
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you cant cosplay
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Uwu

I'm proud
lil Bro
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Say i'm weird

-Boi

I May be weird
But i'm weirder
Than All of you
So I'm Beating
You at something
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