

November 18, 2022

Dear Parents,

1 There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens:

2 a time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot,

3 a time to kill and a time to heal, a time to tear down and a time to build,

4 a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance,

5 a time to scatter stones and a time to gather them, a time to embrace and a time to refrain from embracing,

6 a time to search and a time to give up, a time to keep and a time to throw away,
7 a time to tear and a time to mend, a time to be silent and a time to speak,
8 a time to love and a time to hate, a time for war and a time for peace.

Ecclesiastes 3-8

Life is indeed a series of events. There are times and seasons. Some are long and some are short. This week was the time to say Goodbye to Sandi Evjenth. She has been our face in the office for many years. I want to publicly thank Sandi for all of the hard work and sacrifice she has given to our school. While Sandi may be absent from NCCS, her imprint will continue to be felt.

It is exciting to know that when God moves one person out, He always provides our needs and so we are so pleased that Shana Braun will be stepping in as our full time Office Administrator.





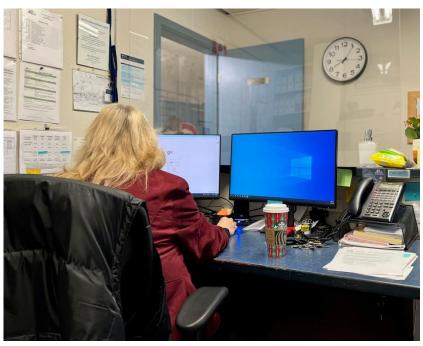














Blessings on your retirement and may God bless you in the days ahead!

At the same time that we say farewell to Sandi, we are also welcoming a new Principal to NCCS. However, in reality Pieter van Jaarsveld is not really new to NCCS but has been here for 2 years. He knows the culture, the children, the staff, and has already been a blessing to our NCCS family.

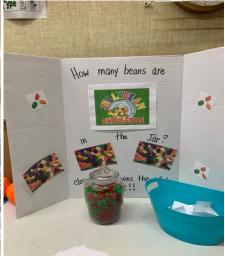
Pieter will be new to the position of Principal and yet I know in my heart that he will be a wonderful person to fill this position and will lead NCCS into new levels of greatness and breakthrough. At the same time, I also know (from personal experience) that he will need some time to learn the position and all that it entails. Let us all agree to support him (as the staff is excited to do) and offer grace as he learns. He is not me, just as I was not Mr. Martin. But he is the man chosen by God to fill this office. As such, let us honour him and give him the gift of submission to his leadership of NCCS.



What's Been Happening...

Last Week's Fun Fair.











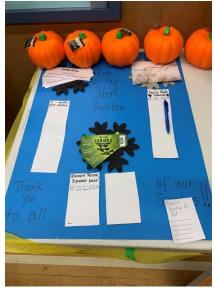


























This past Monday, Mrs. Giesbrecht took the Grade 9 class and two of our High School students to Northstar Church to cook 150 Meals for the North Cariboo Senior's Council as part of their ADST curriculum and as an service outreach. Well done students.



We had two presentations from Creation Ministries International Presentation on Dinosaurs by Thomas Bailey: one for the Primary students and one for the Intermediate students.





Here's a Glance at some upcoming Dates:

November

24 Swimming Grades 3-6 **25** NI Day (no school)

December

14 is our LIVE Christmas Concert at NCCS Gym at 1:00 and 6:30!!

16 Term 1 Assembly @ 1:00 pm Report Cards Distributed Last day of School before Christmas Break

Christmas Break (Dec17-Jan 2)

January

3 First Day back at school 9, 12, 13 Downhill Skiing @ Troll (Grades 4-12)

Until next week, God bless, Bruce Birch