



News Letter

General

Our school continues to support The Power of YET, Growth vs. Fixed Mindset with students as we did last year. Research shows that individuals who have a Growth Mind Set will succeed when faced with obstacles and overcome adversity much easier than those who have a FIXED Mindset.

As a school – we are also adopting the Mind-Up Curriculum to support students in understanding the brain and how it works.

<http://teacher.scholastic.com/products/mindup/>

We would like to kindly remind you that we are a **NUT FREE** school. Please do not send any nut products in lunches, this includes Nutella.

Edsby

Edsby is a data collection tool that links what teachers do in the classroom with parents. Edsby is also a communication tool where teachers can communicate to parents and students. You would all have access to Edsby to communicate with your child's classroom teacher.

Student Leadership Group

Dave Innis will be working with our students as a mentor for our leadership group this year. The leadership group has chosen to focus on "Gratitude / Being Thankful" for the month of October. They have worked hard to plan a couple of activities for the students in the school. During the next couple of weeks, the Leaders will go into classes to read the story, "The Gratitude Tree" by Stacey Peters. They will then lead the students in a short activity, which will remind them of all that we have to be thankful for. The leaders will display the results in our very own, "M.T. Davidson Gratitude Tree." The leaders also have another fun idea, "cooking" up, but you will have to wait until the end of October to see what it is!

I trust you will enjoy your holiday weekend with friends and family.

Upcoming Events

October 11 - The ELK class is having class Thanksgiving Dinner on Friday

Junior Boys Soccer Oct 9th at Fricker

Junior Girls Soccer Oct. 10th

Announcements

We will have an **Orange and Black** day to celebrate Halloween on Thursday October 31. This is a reminder that students are not to bring masks or dress up for Halloween at the school.

M.T. Davidson Terry Fox

I wanted to thank everyone for their support of the Terry Fox Run this year.

We raised \$1,000 for a great cause and the students loved watching me get my head shaved. Many of us have been touched by Cancer and it was an emotional time for many during our assembly as students shared stories of Mr. Burrows and Mr. Campbell.

We had a very emotional assembly to celebrate the students' accomplishments.