



BACS Bulletin September 2024



Upcoming Events

Sept. 2nd-Labour Day (no school)

Sept. 3rd-First day of classes for grades 1-4

Sept. 9th-Breakfast program begins

Sept. 10th-Picture Day (KT and grades 1-3)

Sept. 11th-Picture Day (KM, Pre K and grade 4)

Sept. 16th-PD Day (no school)

Sept 19th-Meet the staff night 5-6:30pm

Sept. 23rd-Sept. 27th-Truth and Reconciliation Week

Sept. 27th-Orange Shirt Day

Sept 30th-National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (no school)

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From the Principal

Dear Parents and Guardians,

I hope this letter finds you and your family well after what I'm sure was a well-deserved summer break. It is with great pride and excitement that I introduce myself as the newly appointed Acting Principal of Bon Accord Community School. Many of you may know me from my time as the vice principal, and I am honored to step into this new role, continuing to serve the school and community I have grown to care for so deeply.

Over the past 2 years as vice principal, I've had the privilege of working closely with your children, our dedicated staff, and many of you. I have witnessed firsthand the extraordinary commitment of our parents and the tremendous potential of our students. I am eager to build on those strong foundations and continue our journey toward even greater success.

As we begin this new school year, my focus remains on:

- **Maintaining High Academic Standards:** I will work closely with our outstanding teachers to ensure that every student is challenged and supported, fostering a love of learning that will serve them throughout their lives.
- **Strengthening the Home-School Connection:** I truly believe that education is a partnership, and I am committed to maintaining open, honest communication with you. I welcome your input and look forward to working with you to create the best possible experience for your children.
- **Creating a Safe, Inclusive Environment:** The well-being of your children is my top priority. We will continue to focus on creating a positive and supportive atmosphere where every student feels safe, respected, and encouraged to be their best self.

I am excited to work alongside you as we take on this new school year together. Your involvement and support are essential, and I encourage you to participate in school events, stay in close contact with our teachers and staff, and share your thoughts with me directly.

I look forward to seeing familiar faces and meeting new ones as we embark on this new chapter. Let's make it a great year for our students!

Warm regards,

Jerome Chabot
Acting Principal
Bon Accord Community School



From the Vice Principal

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As the new Acting Vice Principal of BACS, it is with great excitement and anticipation that I welcome you back to another school year! I am truly honored to join such a dynamic and supportive community of educators, parents and most importantly students. I am thrilled to be back in the community I started in many years ago when I started teaching at Lilian Schick School. I already feel like I am “home”.

This year promises to be filled with wonderful opportunities for growth and learning. My goal is to work closely with all of you to ensure that every child feels supported, inspired, and ready to embrace the joy of learning. Together, we will continue to build on the strong foundation of excellence and care that defines our school.

I look forward to meeting each of you and working together to make this school year a memorable and successful one. Here’s to a fantastic start to the year!

With gratitude,

Ms. Danielle Goeree
Acting Vice Principal
Bon Accord Community School





Wanting to Volunteer?

Get Involved!

Help out Mrs. Mercer with Breakfasts

Contact our front office for more information!

School Council and PSS

School Council Executive Members

Chair - Jared Thompson

Vice Chair - Carmen Siemens

Secretary - Katelyn Fleury

Officers - Jessica Kampjes

Program Support Society Executive Members

Chair - Carly Rigler

Vice Chair - Christy Condin

Secretary - Krysta Hinchey

Treasurer - Brittany Zilinski

Fundraising - Carmen Siemens and
Jessica Kampjes

Directors: Carmen Siemens, Katelyne
Fleury and Kailey Marshall

Meetings are the 4th Tuesday of every month starting at
6:30pm.

All our Meeting Agendas and Minutes can be found [here](#).

BACS SCHOOL CLOTHING IS HERE!

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Shop by item, style, brand, or category!

We have partnered with Entripy.com, Canada's leader in custom apparel, and set up an online spirit wearshop to help students show their school spirit!

Our school's online shop features dozens of items-from t-shirts, to hooded sweatshirts, jackets, toques and even bags from name brands. Shopping is easy and convenient. You can order as few as one item, choose from a selection of pre-approved school logos, and even personalize with your child's name.

Entripy provides a 10% REBATE on Bon Accord Community School shop sales back to our school.

You can order at any time and the clothing is shipped directly to your door!

Stay Informed!

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Excellence in Teaching

Shared Responsibility

Mutual Respect

Belonging

Learning Choices

Communication

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