



THE MCNAIR WAAG

OCTOBER 10 – 14, 2022

Monday Oct 10	Tuesday Oct 11	Wednesday Oct 12	Thursday Oct 13	Friday Oct 14
Thanksgiving Day <i>(school closed)</i> 	Day 2 (Flex) Career Programs Assembly Gym A – 8:35am	Day 1	Day 2 (Flex)	Day 1 Semester 1 Interim Reports emailed home

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

School Photo

School photos were completed on Wednesday Sep 28th. All students received a card with a personalized QR code for photo viewing. Please visit https://artona.com/student_requests/digit_code for viewing and to order photos.

Interim Reports Emailed Home on Friday

Parents and students will receive interim reports by email on **Friday afternoon, Oct 14th**. These reports contain important information on learning progress and work habits. They are a good early indication of how your child is doing in their classes. Parents are asked to review their child's interim reports carefully and take the opportunity to discuss it with your child. Please see below for some suggestions on how to approach this.

Reviewing Interim Reports with Students

Reviewing interim reports is very important. Interims are an opportunity for students and parents to reflect on growth since the start of the year. All students, with the assistance of teachers/parents are asked to reflect on:

- What did I work hard at that I am proud of during this term?
- How did I use my strengths and push myself to grow?
- What are my stretches and how am I going to continue to improve in these areas?

PAC Meeting (Oct 20)

The next PAC Meeting will be held virtually on Zoom on Thursday **Oct 20th at 7:00pm**. New parents and guardians are welcome to join.

Meeting Link: [Click Here](#)

Meeting ID: **882 8018 6114** Passcode: **096317**

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Oct 10	Thanksgiving Day (school closed)
Oct 14	Interim Reports Emailed Home
Oct 20-23	Leadership Conference
Oct 20	PAC Meeting (7pm – Virtual)
Oct 21	Pro-D Day (school closed)
Oct 26	School Photo Retakes
Oct 28	Haunted House
Oct 31	Halloween
Oct 31-Nov 4	Grad Assessments
Nov 2	Collaboration Day (late start 9:55am)
Nov 2	Take Your Kids to Work Day (Gr. 9)

Career Programs Assembly – Oct 11 @ 8:35am

Staff from the SD38 Career Programs Office will be presenting the various district dual credit program offerings. This presentation will take place during Block A. The assembly presentation covers:

- Youth Train in Trades Programs
- Youth Work in Trades Program
- LinK38
- STRIVE Program (KPU course offered to BIPOC/under-represented students)
- Early Childhood Education Assistant Program
- RCMP Youth Academy

Dry Grad 2023 meeting

Dry Grad meeting is held after regular PAC meeting at **7:45pm to 8:15pm**. The next meeting will be on **Oct 20th**. Attached is the letter from McNair PAC Executive Board regarding Dry Grad 2023 preparation, FlipGive fundraiser, and request for parent volunteers.

IMPORTANT LINKS:

[MyEd Portal Login Info](#)
[Newsletter](#)
[Career Centre Information](#)

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