



Angus Morrison ES

Week At A Glance

October 9, 2023

WEEKLY NEWS AND REMINDERS

Halloween Simcoe County District School Board schools are spaces where we value student inclusion and diversity every day of the year. Halloween is a time when we all need to remember that “Culture is not a costume!” [#IAmNotACostume](#). At AMES, students are permitted to wear costumes that are sensitive, with no props or violent themes. Staff and students are alternatively encouraged to wear orange and black. We ask that you please keep Halloween treats at home.

After School ASD Skills Programs (fall sessions) This Fall, the SCDSB is offering in-person and virtual After School Social Skills Development Programs to support students with a developmental profile consistent with autism spectrum disorder (ASD). The programs will focus on using recreation, problem solving, coding, music, and play skills to support social skills development. Program information and online applications for the above programs are available at <http://www.scdsb.on.ca/inclusiverecreationprograms> . Applications for these sessions must be submitted by October 16, 2023 at 4 p.m.

Picture Day 2023/24 Individual school pictures will take place this year on October, 12th. Photo retakes and class photos will take place November 27th.

AMES Terry Fox Run The staff and students of Angus Morrison Elementary School will be participating in the 43rd Anniversary Terry Fox Run School Event on Friday, October 13th. This will be a rain or shine event so please make sure your child(ren) are dressed appropriately. Students are also encouraged to wear red and white or Canada clothing. In the past 22 years Angus Morrison has raised an incredible \$50,229.86! This year, we are reaching beyond our community and offering our fundraising amount to support the Million Dollar Man, Barrie resident Will Dwyer, who raised over \$1.2 million in 41 years for Terry. Will Dwyer passed away at 96 years of age and we're one of many Simcoe County schools trying to help make him the Two Million Dollar Man! Where possible, we are asking everyone to donate a toonie for Terry. Family members are invited to join us for our run, please sign in at the office. We can't wait to see all your Terry Fox spirit! Please check in at the front office AND let your child's classroom teacher know you will be joining us. We will be starting the event at 11:45am, led by our Grade 7 classes and ending around 12:45pm. Kindergarten classes will be walking **within** our Primary fenced yard.

Weekly Schedule

Monday 9 Day	Thanksgiving (No School)
Tuesday 10 Day 4	World Mental Health Day Intr Boys Volleyball 8:00am Flag Football 3:45pm - 5pm Junior Girls Volleyball 1:15pm
Wednesday 11 Day 5	National Coming Out Day International Day Of The Girl Child Intr Girls Basketball 10:55am Junior Girls Volleyball 1:15pm
Thursday 12 Day 1	Picture Day AREA Cross Country Meet Flag Football 3:45pm - 5pm Meet The Teacher Open House 5:30 - 7pm
Friday 13 Day 2	AMES Terry Fox Run Rain Or Shine Junior Girls Volleyball 1:15pm Intr Girls Basketball 3:45pm-4:45pm
UPCOMING EVENTS October 18 - Grade 7 Vaccination Clinic October 18 - AMES McDonald's Night October 20 - PA Day (No School) November 27 - Photo Retakes And Class photos	

Days of Celebration

October 15-23 Sharad Navratri (Hinduism)
October 16 Birth of the Báb (Bahá'í)

Quote Of The Week:

