

# Killarney School Newsletter

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## CAN WE BE OF SERVICE?

**Community Service Day**  
*Killarney School*  
*Grade 9 to 12 Students*  
*Thursday, October 10, 2019*

Members of the community are encouraged to utilize the services of students in their work-places or homes in exchange for a donation of \$30, which goes toward Student Activities. Each year, Community Service Day is our major high school fundraiser. We want to provide services in exchange for a financial contribution. All High School Students have the necessary contract information and can be contacted directly.

If you are interested in acquiring services from one of our students and have not been approached please contact the school at (204)523-4696 between 8am and 4pm, Monday to Friday.

Thank you for your donations and support of Community Service Day!



## IMPORTANT DATES

- October 3 - Cross Country Race (K-6)
- October 8 - Undergrad Awards & Honour Roll 1pm
- October 9 - Strive to Thrive (Grade 9)
- October 9 - Grade 6 Immunizations
- October 10 - Community Service Day (Grade 9 - 12)
- October 14 - Thanksgiving Day (School Closed)
- October 16 - FCC Food Drive Pick Up 11am
- October 25 - PD Day (No School)
- October 30 - Early Dismissal 2pm

## OCTOBER HAT & JEAN DAYS

Hat & Jean Days this month will be in support of:



October 4, 11, 18 & 24

Bring a donation, wear your hat!

## LIBRARY UPDATE

There have been quite a few updates to our library and only more changes to come!

We have our new furniture – a chair, small sectional, and couch added to the one corner of our library where the desktop computers were. We have painted the walls in that corner to give a cleaner feel. I have been rearranging shelving and will continue on this adventure with the help of students who are helping me shift the books around. I have continued to put up displays and hoping to be able to put some artwork in the future. I will hopefully be able to add some programming to the library in the near future. Once things are bit more organized I plan to give every student and staff member a library orientation. This will include the use of our online catalogue that I have made available. This online catalogue gives the staff and students a chance to look at what the library has to offer and they can even place holds on books through this catalogue.



We are having another Book Fair this fall just in time for Christmas shopping! What better way to get some early Christmas shopping done and help support your school library! Our theme this year is Arctic Adventure but there will be a wide variety of books for all ages and all different topics! We will have the fair going on from November 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> from 8:30am to 4:30 pm as well as opening it up to one evening on Thursday November 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:30pm to 8:30pm. This evening will give parents, grandparents, and public a better chance to do some Christmas shopping as well as those who are busy during the day! Hope to see you there! There is a wide variety of price ranges for the books. There will also be little trinkets available which are great stocking stuffers! More information to come by email or notes!

Hope you all are having a good fall!

Your Friendly School Librarian,  
Mrs. McGill

## GRADE 5/6 VOLLEYBALL

The Grade 5/6 Girls volleyball team practices on Tuesdays at 3:30, Thursdays at 12:05 and Sundays at 5!

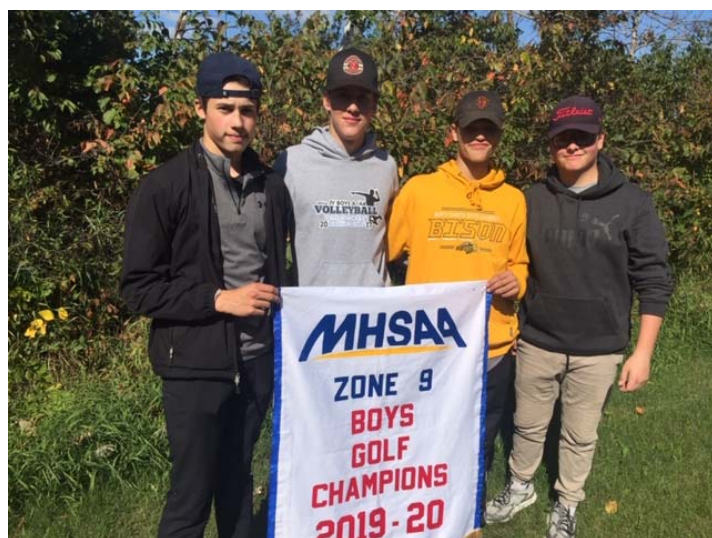
## HIGH SCHOOL GOLF

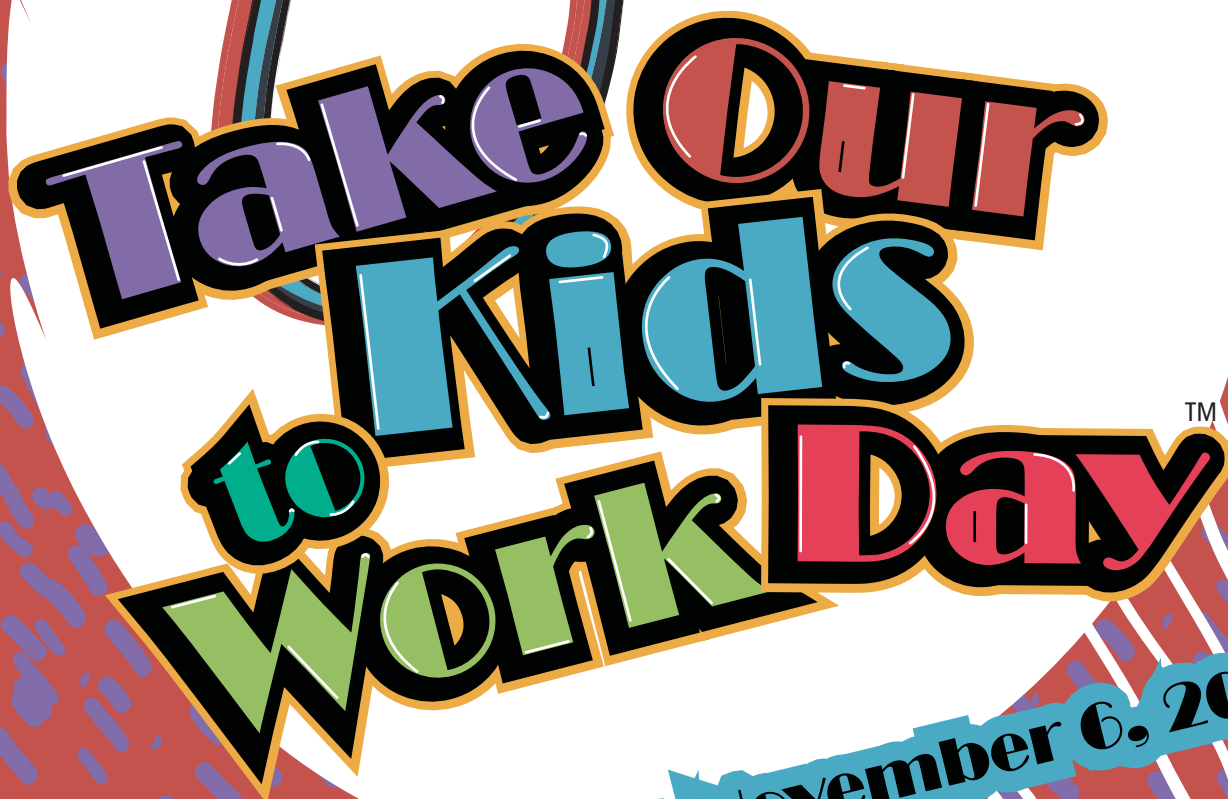


Congratulations to our Boys and Girls High School Golf Teams for winning their Zone Championships at the Glenboro Golf Course in September! The boys went on to compete in the provincial tournament in Swan River where they shot a team total of 256, just missing the podium. Great job Raiders!!

Girls Team: Abby B, Emily D,  
Cala K.

Boys Team: Parker K, Cody G,  
Drew H, Ethan B.





# Take Our Kids to Work Day™

Wednesday, November 6, 2019

Family Guide

**CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF #KIDSTOWORK**

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### What is Take Our Kids to Work Day?


Launched in 1994, Take Our Kids to Work Day is the most recognized career exploration event in Canada. Developed by The Learning Partnership, the annual event occurs in November each year. It is an opportunity for students to explore career options and navigate their interests in a fun and engaging way.

On Wednesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019, Grade 9, Senior 1 (Manitoba), and Secondary III (Quebec) students across Canada will spend the day at the workplace of a parent, relative, friend or volunteer host.

### How do I ensure my child's safety?


It is essential that both students and parents receive information about health and safety prior to their workplace visit. Parents need to be aware of the work that their children are engaging in on this day and ask questions about the health and safety provisions.

Consult with your organization's health and safety committee to advise in preparation for November 6<sup>th</sup>. Information on workplace health and safety can be accessed on The Learning Partnership's website.




### Where can students go for the day?

Parents/guardians are encouraged to invite their children to join them at work, but if this is not possible, there are other ways for your child to participate:

- Ask a relative, neighbour or family friend to take your child to work.
  - Ask another parent who is taking their child to work, if your child can join them for the day.
  - Contact your child's school and inquire if they can assist you with finding a suitable placement.
  - Contact local businesses and ask if they are participating in Take Our Kids to Work Day.
- Inquire if someone within their organization would be willing to host your child, providing you make the necessary transportation arrangements.
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### About The Learning Partnership

The Learning Partnership is a Canadian charity that prepares students to thrive in a diverse, connected and changing world. We celebrate excellence, leveraging the best thinking from educators, business and government to deliver experiential programs for students that cultivate entrepreneurial thinking and innovation, and support social-emotional learning. Since 1993, we have been helping build the foundations for students to solve tomorrow's challenges.




### RBC Future Launch

Our youth are full of potential. With the world of work changing, we need to help ensure that they're prepared for what's next. That's why RBC created Future Launch, a program that increases access to skill development, networking opportunities, work experience and mental wellbeing empowering the youth of today for the jobs of tomorrow.

[rbc.com/futurelaunch](http://rbc.com/futurelaunch)

### What happens after November 6<sup>th</sup>?

- Encourage your child to write thank you notes to those they worked with.
  - Look for opportunities that may further build on what students have learned.
  - Follow-up on whether the experience sparked future career plans.
  - Complete some of the activities on the Take Our Kids to Work Day website.
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### Are there any other resources my child can use?

**Real Talk** - Real Talk is designed to help students make better choices about their post-secondary options by offering them peer-to-peer perspectives, tips and advice from young people who have recently made the school-to-work transition - visit [realtalk.careers](http://realtalk.careers)

**Virtual reality workplace experiences** - These videos let students explore a range of work environments and meet employees who share insights on their jobs. They are available for free on YouTube and compatible with most virtual reality headsets - visit [vworkplaces.ca](http://vworkplaces.ca)





Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
	1 Day 3 <i>Chicken Caesar Wrap</i> \$5.00	2 Day 4 <i>Sloppy Joe</i> \$4.50	3 Day 1 <i>Grilled Cheese</i> \$4.00	4 Day 2 <i>Hot Pizza Sub</i> \$4.00
7 Day 3 <i>Cheese Quesadilla</i> \$4.00	8 Day 4 <i>Pasta with Alfredo Sauce &amp; Garlic Bread</i> Small \$4.00 Large \$5.00	9 Day 1 <i>Chicken Fingers &amp; Fries</i> Small \$4.50 Large \$5.50	10 Day 2 <i>BBQ Meatball Sub</i> \$4.50	11 Day 3 <i>Chicken Burger</i> \$4.50
14 <i>Thanksgiving</i>	15 Day 4 <i>Chicken Caesar Wrap</i> \$5.00	16 Day 1 <i>Cheese Burger</i> \$4.50	17 Day 2 <i>Taco in a Bag</i> \$5.00	18 Day 3 <i>Lasagna &amp; Garlic Toast</i> \$5.00
21 Day 4 <i>Grilled Cheese</i> \$4.00	22 Day 1 <i>BBQ Meatball Sub</i> \$4.50	23 Day 2 <i>Cheese Quesadilla</i> \$4.00	24 Day 3 <i>Chicken Fingers &amp; Fries</i> Small \$4.50 Large \$5.50	25 <i>PD Day</i>
28 Day 4 <i>Chicken Burger</i> \$4.50	29 Day 1 <i>Sloppy Joe</i> \$4.50	30 Day 2 <i>Taco in a Bag</i> \$5.00	31 Day 3 <i>Lasagna &amp; Garlic Toast</i> \$5.00	