



October 2024



KAWARTHA PINE RIDGE  
DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

# North Hope CENTRAL SCHOOL

**Mission Statement: ~ "TEAM - Together, Everyone Achieves More"**

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## Important Dates

### October:

- 1 School Council @ 6:00pm
- 9 Fire Safety Presentations
- 14 Thanksgiving – No School
- 15 – 18 Jungle Sport
- 18 Picture Day
- 25 P.A. Day – No School
- 29 Mathletes
- 31 Halloween

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome Fall! It is hard to believe that a month of school has already passed. Things have been running very smoothly, although we have had a busy month and are thankful for the continued beautiful weather. This month we had a lot of things happen at North Hope. Our junior girls and boys soccer teams had a great tournament, showing a lot of resilience and great sportsmanship. We are also getting ready for cross country this month, and at the Lucky 13 race we had several students place very well. We also had our Terry Fox run, book fair, and a very successful Open House.

This month we will have picture day on the 18<sup>th</sup>, and have our first school council meeting on October 1<sup>st</sup>. We will also have a visit from our local fire department, reminding us all of some important fire safety tips.

We are also very excited to have Jungle Sport coming for the week after Thanksgiving, as this will be a very unique opportunity for students in our gym each day. Thank you to the school council for organizing this!

This past month teachers have been focused on review of work from last year and getting to know the students and establish their routines and schedules. As I walk around the school each day I am encouraged by the hard work and how students are engaged in their learning.

Sincerely, S. Fisher, Principal

take a few weeks to process.

## Bell Schedule

<b>School Starts</b>	9:20 am
1st Outside Break	11:00 – 11:20 am
1st Eating Break	11:20 – 11:40 am
2nd Outside Break	1:20 – 1:40 pm
2nd Eating Break	1:40 – 2:00 pm
<b>End of School Day</b>	3:40 pm

## School Photo Day:

Our school will have a photographer here prepared to do pictures on Friday October 18th. These will be individual photos, and class photos will be taken in the spring.



Just a reminder that North Hope is a Nut Free school. Please make sure that all food sent to school is nut safe and help us keep all our students safe.



2024/25 North Hope Central School  
Staff:

JK/SK – A Tozer and M. Coreno  
SK/1 – K Gallagher  
1/2 - J. Coles / L. Mason  
3 – R. Nicholls  
4/5 – K McAllister  
5/6 – A. Simpkin  
French - L Mason  
Special Education/ Library – S. Day  
Educational Assistants: H Finnie, J Dillon  
Custodians: K Ibbotson & Z. Shields

### Volunteers:

We would like to remind you that police checks are needed to be in place before you can volunteer in the class or on a trip. Completed checks must be handed in to the office. Letters are available for you to take to the police station. Please be aware it can

Our first School Council Meeting is on October 1, 2024 at 6:00 pm in the Library. Everyone is welcome to join us at our meetings. At this first meeting we will be establishing out executive for the year, and any other voting members.

Check out our website: [northhope.kprdsb.ca](http://northhope.kprdsb.ca)



Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board has adopted a new media platform to help ease communication between school and home. This system allows us to send out phone calls, emails and now **text messages!** We plan on using this system regularly, especially the text message, as it is immediate and allows us to include links to important information and forms.

Many of you have already opted into the system, and may have already received a text message or two. **If you would like to receive this service, simply text the word Yes to the number 978338.**



Remember, our school newsletter is going paperless. You will be able to find our newsletter on Edsby, School website or via School Messenger.



**Our Character Trait for October is:**

**COURAGE**

**I face challenges directly.**

**I speak up for myself and others even when it might be unpopular.**

**I ask for help when necessary.**

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