

Dear Parents and Guardians of NDSS Students,

Here is the weekly information update for Wednesday November 3, 2021,

REMEMBRANCE DAY

- NDSS leadership & music students are preparing a virtual Remembrance Day assembly to be broadcasted live, via TEAMS, during Block D (9:45-10:55am) on Wed, Nov 10th. The entire school will participate in this important day.
- Prior to the assembly, leadership students will visit each classroom to distribute Poppy's. Donations to the [Royal Canadian Legion Poppy Campaign](#) can via your [SchoolCash Online](#) account by selecting amounts ranging from \$2-\$20.
- There is no school next Thurs, Nov 11, 2021 to honor Remembrance Day. Next week, we will share the total donation NDSS made to the [Poppy Campaign](#) as contributions directly support Canada's Veterans and their families.

MYED PORTAL ACCESS

- NDSS Teachers are currently writing term 1 report card comments and inputting marks. As such, MyEd portal access for parents/students to view marks/transcripts has temporarily been suspended as of this morning. This is our regular protocol.
- Electronic report cards will be released in MyEd to parents/students @ 2pm on Fri, Nov 19th and full access to the portal will also be restored. Hard copies are not sent home, so please verify that [your account](#) is accessible prior to Nov 19.
- If a teacher has insufficient data to assess progress for a gr.8/9 student, then the [proficiency scale](#) space may be blank and you will receive an 'incomplete (i) report' via email. Gr. 10-12's in similar situations receive a mark and an emailed "" report.

STUDENT SPORTS

- On Monday, considering upcoming games here this week, a letter was emailed to NDSS parents and students with details as to how adults can determine if they are eligible to attend a game or tournament held at an NLPS school site.
- Each Athlete involved in a game or tournament can have one adult attend, *however* this is only possible when schools are able to pull their bleachers out to accommodate social distance seating. This will be communicated by the coach to families.
- Keep up to date with this sports related news in this week's [NDSS Athletic Newsletter](#) and student athletes can stay organized as to the dates and times of their upcoming practices and games by checking [2021 NDSS Gym Schedule](#).

PHOTO RE-TAKES

- Student photo proofs from Oct 21st re-take day are now uploaded at: <https://online2.edgeimaging.ca/single/webcode>. The NDSS school code for the Edge Imaging website is: **DPV**
- To access photo proofs, the [Edge Imaging website](#) generates a 'Portrait & Pass Code' by asking for parent/guardian info as well as a 'Student Number' which refers to their 7- or 8-digit **Pupil #** (not their PEN) found in your [MyEd account](#).
- There is no deadline to order 2021/2022 student photos and parents/guardians can choose to have the photos shipped to their home or delivered to NDSS. If you select the 'ship to school option', photos will be given to their Block A teacher.

OTHER INFORMATION

- Students whose parents have not yet signed/returned their [Cloud Consent Form](#) are now locked out of NLPS approved cloud applications. Many teachers use these applications daily. The form is on [our website](#) to print at home & return signed.
- **PAC is meeting tonight, Wed., Nov. 3 @ 7:00pm in our NDSS Learning Commons Library** and the agenda is posted on the [school website](#). All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Next months meeting is on Wed., Dec 3rd from 7-8:30pm.
- Our **Outdoor Gear Sale** is this **Sat., Nov 6th from 8:30-2:00pm** in our lg. & sm. gyms. This is a fundraiser for our NDSS Wilderness course. Proof of vaccination is required for vendors & customers. School washrooms are closed to the public.