

## Northridge Family Update for...

**October 26-30, 2026**

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Dear Northridge Families,

Please remember that there is no school for students tomorrow because it is a province-wide, professional development day for staff. We will see you on Monday!

### Halloween at Northridge

On Friday, October 30, children are invited to wear black and orange to school for Halloween.

We ask that you save your Halloween costumes for the PAC's Halloween dance on Friday evening. Below are guidelines to follow to ensure Halloween costumes are fun and safe for everyone:

- No replica weapons (guns, swords, etc.) are allowed on school property
- When selecting a costume, please consider whether it appropriates an individual or group's identity based on race, colour, ancestry, place of origin, culture, religion, family status, physical or mental disability, gender identity, sexual orientation, or age.
- Please be mindful that some children are frightened by scary/gory costumes.

### The Week Ahead

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| <b>Monday</b>    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Deadline to order Grade 5 Hoodies</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Wednesday</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• October Recognition Assembly</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>Friday</b>    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Wear Black &amp; Orange Day at school (no costumes)</li><li>• PAC Halloween Dance (costumes welcome), 6:00-8:00 PM</li><li>• Deadline to order Northridge Spirit Wear (see PAC message)</li></ul> |

## Looking Further Ahead

- Wednesday, Nov. 4 – order deadline for school photos
- Wednesday, Nov. 4 – PAC meeting 6:30 PM
- Friday, Nov. 6 – Get Visible Day – wear your bright colours to be seen (see poster)

## Messages from the PAC Executive

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

We need help to make our Halloween Dance happen! Almost all set up, clean up, and concession shifts still need to be filled. If you have an hour to spare, please sign up [HERE](#). We appreciate the help!

### **HOT LUNCH COORDINATOR 2027**

Our school hot lunches are organized and run by parent volunteers. Our amazing Hot Lunch Coordinator, Michelle, will not be continuing in the role next school year, so we are starting the search for her replacement early! Our goal is to find someone who can shadow Michelle starting early 2027, so that they are ready to take over next school year. If you are interested, or would like more info, send us an email at [northridge.pac.info@gmail.com](mailto:northridge.pac.info@gmail.com)

### **NORTHRIDGE SPIRIT WEAR NOW ON SALE**

Looking for some Northridge swag? The Merch store is now [OPEN](#) until the end of the month. Orders will be delivered to the school in November.