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October 07, 2008 This is Fire Prevention Week!

Please take some time to **talk to your children** about how to **safely evacuate your home** in the event of a fire. Thank you! Don't forget, **change the batteries** in your **smoke detector!**

School News!

A **Valhalla Community School brochure** telling about the school and the programs has been attached to this newsletter. Please feel free to share it with your friends and neighbors.

The **registration package** information is included with this newsletter. This must be filled out for **each student** and placed in the **student cumulative record card**. Please fill them out and return them as soon as possible. Should you have any questions or need assistance, please contact the school 780-356-2370 and we would be very willing to assist you. Thank you.

The **October calendar** was sent home last **Thursday**, it is on goldenrod colored paper.

The school is sending a cheque for **\$427.20** to the **Terry Fox Foundation**. **Way to go!**

The first **meeting** of the newly elected **School Council** is **Tuesday, October 14th at 4:00pm**. If you have a child in school you are a member of School Council and are invited to attend.

A request; when giving you child a **mechanical pencil**, please check that it is a **#7 lead** and not a #5. The **#7** is a **thicker lead** and it is much stronger. We also have #7 lead here at school and do not always have #5. Thank you☺

If you are a **community member** and you **do not have students** in school and **wish to receive** the school newsletter please **contact the school** office. The newsletter may be faxed out or mailed out to you. The newsletter will also be available on the Valhalla Community School website.

Should **your student be absent** from school for a day or longer, we **appreciate** a **note** or a **phone call** to the **office**. Generally the office is open by 8:00am. 780-356-2370.

“Merv Crouse Coats For Kids” September 15th until October 15th. If you have **gently used** winter coats that you **no longer need** consider sending them along with your student to our collection bin. These will be taken in and donated on behalf of the Valhalla Community School.

Bus Drivers Corner!

Community News!

Message from Kathleen Turner- **Play School: Angie Tetrau** has accepted the offer to be **the playschool instructor** for Valhalla. We will start classes after Thanksgiving. First day is **registration and meeting October 15th at 1:00** at the school. Classes will start on Monday October 20th at 12:30. Classes are 12:30 to 3:00. As I understand it the parents are organizing themselves for supervision of kids until bus time.

Elections Canada will be using the **Valhalla Community School gym** on October 14th as their **polling station**. As a polling station, the school will be open from **7:30am to 7:30pm for voting**.

Valhalla Community Library: Regular library hours of operation: Tuesday 11 to 5, Wednesday 10 to 6 and Thursday 11 to 5.

Susan Thomson
Principal

“No person was ever honored for what he received. Honor has been the reward for what he gave.”
Calvin Coolidge