

# Dr. Kearney Middle School Newsletter

## October 2016



Congratulations to the boys' volleyball team for their 3rd place finish at the Dawson Creek Volleyball Tournament.



**Picture. Front (left): Tim Stobbe, Devon Lee, -----, Jayden Bueckert. Back (left): Ethyn Lang, Liam Petersen, Tristan Hynes, Taran Jainpuri**

### **Purdy's**

Once again, DKMS is selling chocolates from the Purdy's Christmas catalogue. The order forms were sent home before Thanksgiving and need to be submitted by this Tuesday. Purdy's fundraising is how we fund all the fun things we do throughout the year - school lunches, Winter Activity Day, Summer Fun Day, and so on. Each order gets it's own form - if you need more than one, please ask. As well, people are able to order online themselves and pay via a credit card. Our customer number for the Purdy's website is #15932.

**Scholastic Book Fair** - coming to Kearney October 24-28!! It will be set up in the library - great opportunity to come purchase some Christmas presents. It will be open this Tuesday for you to shop after stopping in for the gradeless electives meeting.

[www.prn.bc.ca](http://www.prn.bc.ca) - on the prn website there is now an archaeological gopher (named Digmore) on the left hand side. Digmore will help you find loads of resources for students and parents.

Dr. Kearney Musical Theatre is working hard on our presentation of **Alice in Wonderland Jr.** If there are any parents who are able to help with costumes, makeup, or supervision backstage, please contact Katie Matthews at [kmatthews@prn.bc.ca](mailto:kmatthews@prn.bc.ca). The show won't be until January, but we hope to see you there!

**Kearney Craft Club** will be Thursdays at Lunch in Room 101 (the Drama room). Some supplies will be available, but if a student is interested in a particular craft, bringing their own supplies is encouraged. See Ms. Matthews for more information.

**Diversity Club** runs Tuesday at Lunch in Room 101. Everyone is welcome to attend! We hope to see you there. See Ms. Matthews for more information.

Moms, if your **fabric stash** is starting to take over your house, Mrs. Telizyn's textiles class is currently learning how to make rag quilts and would love to use any of your extra or unused fabric. Fabric donations can be dropped off at the office. Thank you in advance

### **Halloween Sock Hop**

The Thursday before Halloween we will be hosting a fundraising dance during the last hour and 40 minutes of the day. We will run a slightly altered schedule so that while classes will be a bit shorter, none will be missed. Students will be asked to pay \$1 if in costume or \$2 if not in costume. Other activities will be available for students who do not wish to go to the dance.

Interim reports, emails or phone calls were done last week for students who may be struggling or falling behind in any of his or her courses. If you didn't hear from anyone you are still encouraged to contact your child's teachers anytime to check on his or her progress. Staff emails are on the school's website or you can call the school at 785-8378.

