

# JAWS Bits 'N' Bites

October 22-25, 2019.



## JAWS Athletics



Every year in the fall, JAWS hosts our long-running Wow Pow Volleyball tournament and we invite you to take in a few games this coming weekend at the Bold Center. This past weekend, our junior tourney - Mini Wow Pow - was an outstanding success! Thank you to the dedication of our athletic director Mr. Przybylski and all the coaches, referees, and volunteers that make events like this possible! We also had a terrific showing from our athletes at provincial cross-country competition! Congrats to Amy Kryvenchuk (24th), Garrison Wiebe (29th), Laura Toutant (38th), Kian Bishop (54th), Kali Kryvenchuk (55th), Kyle Juknies (84th), Deena Eludin (94th), Sarah Meyer (104th), and Gregory Wiebe (107th). #PrideRespectCommitment



### Important Dates

Oct 22 - WE Day

Oct - 22 - PAC Meeting

Oct 23/24 - Jostens Grad Rings Days

Oct 25/26 - Wow Pow

Nov 4 - ELAA at JAWS

Nov 5 - End of Term 1 for Grade 9s

Nov 11 - Remembrance Day

Nov 19/20- Parent Teacher Interviews

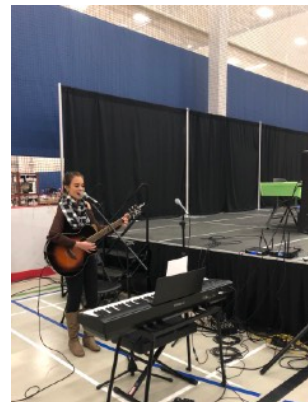
## Systems Day at JAWS



This past Monday, schools were closed so that staff could spend a day of professional learning, dedicated to improving the services we can provide for our kids. Keynote speaker Shelley Moore brought an impassioned perspective to NLPS staff about making inclusion work for everyone and how students benefit when our beliefs of learning can match our practice in meeting the needs of *every child* in our care. Check out <https://fivemooreminutes.com/> for some short

videos that will help facilitate understanding of why opportunity for everyone is a success for us all.

We were proud to have students performing for hundreds of NLPS employees, as well as volunteering their time to welcome and guide staff around JAWS and the Bold Center. Thank you to JAWS Music department, our Interact leadership club, as well as Students' Union!



## PAC Corner

What have you done to support your child's school lately? The JAWS Parents' Advisory Council recently sponsored the Citadel Theatre trip, are funding a new Art Club trip, as well as WE Day and have plans to provide Rock the Diploma services for our Grade 12s! On top of that, they've funded tens of thousands of dollars for new field equipment! These dedicated parents typically meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month; our next meeting will be Tuesday October 22 at 6:30pm! Come find out how you can help support student success! Stop by and hear how you can contribute to your child's safe and caring learning environment! Find out more about the incoming School Resource Officer (SRO) and learn more about how the parents can support the mental health and wellness of our teens! We still need volunteers to take over executive positions, such as treasurer! JAWS PAC needs volunteers! Earn **\$50** toward school fees by working a BINGO! Contact Bonnie @ 780 404 5454 for details!