
The Third Academy Beacon

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There is lots of excitement in the air. On Thursday students will be sorted into their houses, and will join their house mates in our first ThirdWarts and All House activity; designing their House Crest. You should be in for a magical conversation tomorrow at dinner time ☺.

Literacy and Numeracy groups are starting on Monday. Teachers are busy preparing for interesting and fun learning activities.

With the nice weather, students are enjoying having Physical Literacy in the Park on Fridays. Daily activity outside promotes a healthy lifestyle. Take advantage of the nice weather and play outside!

We are starting to encourage our students to come home and share at least three things they were excited about learning. I encourage you to ask your child daily and check their agendas as well.

I wish you all a great week!

Rehana Mattu
Elementary Principal

"Working hard is important. But there is something that matters even more, believing in yourself." Harry Potter

Elementary Motto

Be Good, Be Safe, Be Helpful



Upcoming Events

October 27 Picture Day



Thursday, October 15th at morning recess and lunch break.

Popcorn, slushies and baked goods

News from E1

Last week we enjoyed our hike and we shared what we know about heroes. Mr. G dressed us up like pirates in drama. Next week we will learn about the super hero qualities we each have.

News from E2

E2 enjoyed the hike at Glenmore Park. We played at the playground and had a snack before setting out on our hike. We followed a path that led us to the meadows where we had our picnic lunch. We especially enjoyed looking for big branches to make a fort.

This week we are really diving into our Pirate unit. In the coming weeks, we will be making our own pirate ships out of household materials. Before beginning construction, we must conduct experiments with some of the materials to determine which ones float or sink. We will make predictions and see if our predictions are accurate. These experiments are important to ensure that our pirate ships are seaworthy!

News from E3

Hi from the E3 class! We wanted to say a big thank you for coming to the IPP meetings. It was great to meet all of the parents and learn more about your child last week. We also had an amazing time on our hike, exploring nature and had lots of fun on the playground! This week we are learning about fractions, using the correct terminology. We will also be learning more about the weather and may even try some experiments. We will be continuing to read Harry Potter in class, learning about First Nations and are working hard on our writing in our writing groups. Literacy and numeracy groups will be starting very soon!

News from E4

We hope that you had a great Thanksgiving with Family and Friends. Thank you to all who took time to come to our IPP interviews. It was great to meet new parents and see familiar faces. The IPP process is lengthy but it is a great way for us to really get to know our students and their families. We are happy to meet with any parents who would still like to review their child's IPP. Our Glenmore hike was a success as the weather cooperated and TEAM AMAZON foraged through the wilderness to set up camp (ask your child).

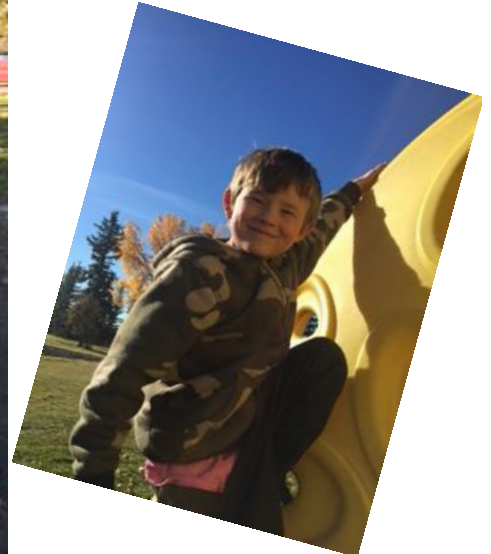
This week we are so looking forward to our Bake Sale. The students are so excited about this event. They have made signs, they are advertising and many students have helped with the baking. It really is a leadership opportunity for the E4s. Please support us!

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A few memories from our hike





HOT LUNCH



THURSDAY October 22nd is HOT DOG lunch! Forms must be submitted to

Ms. Commet by Wednesday October 21st.

_____ # of Hotdogs (\$1.50 each)

_____ Chips and Rice Krispie treats (\$1.50)

_____ Pop (\$1.00)

- Orange
- 7up
- Cream soda
- Grape
- Caffeine Free Rootbeer

_____ Juice box (\$1.00)

- Apple
- Orange
- Grape
- Wildberry
- Apple/Orange/Peach

TOTAL \$ _____

NAME _____

CLASS _____

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