

École T. M. Roberts Elementary
School

The Twister



Weekly Newsletter
Thursday, February 9, 2017

PAC Hot Lunches: The next hot lunch will be February 17th DQ/Arby's. Order deadline for the February hot lunch is February 9th. Parents can sign up to help deliver lunches to their children's classrooms by contacting Kari Pidskalny at: tmrspac@gmail.com.

PAC Meeting: The next PAC meeting is Wednesday, March 1st 6:30 pm.

Pink the Rink: Pink the rink is on February 17th during Kraft Hockeyville, the Kootenay Ice vs. Saskatoon Blades. Tickets are \$10 and must be ordered and paid for by February 14th at 3:00 pm at the office.

There is a chance to WIN the tickets by bringing in non-perishable food items to your classroom. For every item you bring in, you get a chance to win 1 of 5 pairs of tickets for you and a "buddy". The draw has been held over until Tuesday February 14th due to weather.

Soup Day: On February 22nd our PAC is making chicken and rice soup for the entire school! We will need a crockpot for each class for that day to keep the soup warm. PAC will have an online signup for the crockpots. Food donations for the local Food Bank would be greatly appreciated!

Valentine's Day: February 14th we are having a red, pink and purple day. Some classrooms are exchanging Valentines while others are trying something new and exchanging old books.

Concours d'art oratoire: Our French language speech contest is coming up Thursday, March 2nd for our grades 4 - 6 students. We need timers for the event. We are looking for volunteers to bring in snacks and refreshments for the 6 judges and 3 timers. If you can help out, please contact shandaf@shaw.ca

CPF: The next CPF meeting is Tuesday, March 7th at 7:00- 8:00 pm.

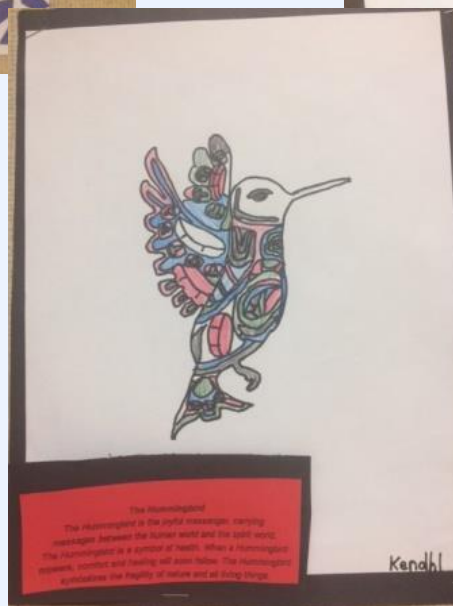
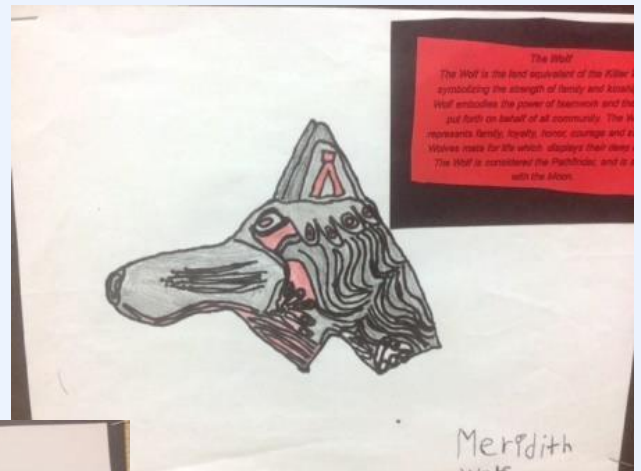
Jump Rope for Heart: Our school is participating in the 35th anniversary of Jump Rope for Heart. There is an option to fundraise and win some prizes but it is not the focus. Our goal is to get kids more active and interested in physical activity. If you would like to fundraise, register at jumpropeforheart.ca and "register". When you register online you will earn a free skipping rope and \$5 towards your fundraising goal. Our jump date is March 3rd.

Winter Clothing: The students have been enjoying all of this snow we've received. They are up and down snow piles and running around in deep snow - even our grade 6's! Please continue to talk with your students about wearing winter clothing in this weather as the students play outside every day.

Next Year Information: If you are considering changing programs, schools, or are moving can you please contact the office. It is very important as we begin to look forward to next year. Thank you!

Kindergarten Immunization: Immunizations are safe, free, and effective in providing protection against serious illnesses. If you have a child who will be attending kindergarten in September 2017, please call the health unit at 250-420-2207 for more information and to book an appointment. Your child can receive their kindergarten booster any time after their 4th birthday, ideally before school entry.

Book Bites: The public library has a program called Book Bites open for students aged 9 - 12. The next session is February 15th, 2017 at 3:45. They will be talking about the book "The Art of the Possible". There will be snacks and they will be creating an origami creature. To sign up call 250-426-4063 by February 14th.



Calendar Dates to Remember



February 10	School Break School not in session
February 13	Family Day School not in session
February 14	Red, Pink, Purple Day Basketball: Girls: TMRES at SES Boys: PES at TMRES
February 17	PAC Hot Lunch - DQ/Arby's Pink the Rink
February 21	Basketball: Girls: AWES at TMRES Boys: TMRES at KCA
February 22	Friendship Fair Soup Day
February 24	Pro-D Day School not in session
February 28	Basketball: Girls: GTES at TMRES Boys: TMRES at HES
March 1	PAC Meeting 6:30 pm
March 2	Concours d'art oratoire
March 3	Jump Rope for Heart
March 7	CPF Meeting 7:00 pm
March 20 - 31	School Break School not in session
April 20	PAC Hot Lunch - Pizza

Remember to check the T.M. Website for regular updates.
www.sd5.bc.ca/school/tmres