

LEARNING TODAY ... LEADING TOMORROW

DR. HAMMAN SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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PRINCIPAL 'S MESSAGE

Welcome to April,

We hope you had a wonderful Spring Break and had time to connect with family and friends and to re-energize moving into Spring. We had some wonderful learning opportunities available to our school community in March. We had the **N** (never give up) **E** (encourage others) **D** (do your best) NED Show presentation about character education and our grade 4/5 students attended the Hoja a capella performance at LT Westlake School. We were also fortunate to have some of our alumni back in the school to be a part of the DA Ferguson Leadership project based learning fundraiser through local sale of treats to raise funds for the Bridges of Hope Organization and the Spirit of Hockey Initiative to promote the Midget Hockey Provincials hosted in Taber in March. Students also attended the Taber Gymnastics Club for PE instruction.

Our students were also hosted by two wonderful businesses in our community this month. Our Kindergarten students went for a tour at Boston Pizza and our grade one students went to Home Hardware to make Birdhouses. We would like to thank these businesses for their ongoing support and would encourage parents to do what they can to support these businesses that give so kindly to provide local experiences for our students.

Thank you so much to the Parents who attended Parent Teacher interviews before Easter. We greatly appreciated the time we were able to spend with each of you discussing your amazing children. Thanks as well to our school community for supporting our book fair. The PAC hosted their inaugural Craft Fair and it was a wonderful evening for our community. Thank you as well to our generous PAC for providing dinner for our PT Interview evening. Our teachers were so grateful!

We are looking forward to some fantastic learning in April! April will come to a close with our Spring Concert on April 26th!

Looking forward to an amazing Spring,

Mrs. Archibald

PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

Please come out and join our Parent Advisory Council on Thursday, April 12 at 6:30 in our Library. Come and have a voice in the activities, fundraising and all the great things our PAC does!! It's a great chance to meet other parents, get involved and gain knowledge for you, your child and your school.

Put the
PARTY in
PAC!!

SPRING CONCERT

Please come and enjoy our Spring Concert on April 26 at 6:30 pm!!



REDUCED SCREEN TIME THEME

Now that the warmer weather is coming and the snow is finally melting let's get out and UNPLUG AND PLAY!! This month we are starting a FANTASTIC INITIATIVE of REDUCING OUR SCREEN TIME as a staff. Please join us and get our whole Dr. Hamman Family involved!! It can be as little or as big as you want to go. Maybe it's setting a NO ELECTRONICS ZONE at your dinner table or 1 hour before bed. It could be 1 hour outside and playing before going on any electronics. There are also great SCREEN LIMIT APPS you can download. It's all up to you!!



UPCOMING DATES

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| April 9, Monday | First day back |
| April 12, Thursday | Jersey Day - Humboldt Broncos |
| April 12, Thursday | PAC Meeting @ 6:30 |
| April 19, Thursday | Hot Lunch |
| April 20, Friday | Pure Power Wrestling 6:00 @ Civic |
| April 26, Thursday | Spring Concert 6:30 |
| April 30, Monday | PD Day - NO SCHOOL |
| May 2, Wednesday | Hot Lunch |
| May 4, Friday | May the Fourth Be With You |
| May 4, Friday | Munsch Mania |