

Heritage Hills Parent Weekly

March 20 - April 3, 2023

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Amazing Things Happening at HHE.

Important Links
EIPS School Survey

This Week at Heritage Hills:

Monday, March 20

- Ms. K in the School
- Minecraft Challenge Grade 4-5 English Students Rm 219 12:02 p.m.
- **CANCELLED**Grade 4-6 Ukulele Club 12:02 p.m.
- SHINE Club 10:06 a.m.

Tuesday, March 21

- Ms. K in the School
- Minecraft Challenge Grade 6 Students Art Rm 12:02 p.m.
- Minecraft Challenge Grade 4-6 FI Students Rm 234 12:02 p.m.
- Gr.1 & 2 Reading Club 2:06 p.m.
- SHINE Club Bake Sale at lunch

Wednesday, March 22

Minecraft Challenge - Grade 4-5 English Students - Rm 219 - 12:02 p.m.

Thursday, March 23

- Minecraft Challenge Grade 6 Students Art Rm 12:02 p.m.
- Minecraft Challenge Grade 4-6 FI Students Rm 234 12:02 p.m.
- School Assembly Results of Math-a-thon and Pie Throwing 2:30

<u>Friday, March 24</u>

School Closed Spring Break

Monday, April 3

- First day of school after Spring Break
- Ms. K in the school
- Grade 4-6 Ukulele Club 12:02 p.m.
- Minecraft Design Challenge Grade 4-5 English Students Art Rm 12:02 p.m.

Principal:

It's hard to believe this is our last week of school before spring break. We have been very busy since Christmas Break break and we have also had many indoor recesses in the last month. Our students are looking forward to spring break. Please take the time to rest, relax and enjoy friends and family over spring break. Hopefully, most if not all of the snow will be gone when we return April 3rd and we will be able to spend more time outside. Thank you for all the support you continue to give to Heritage Hills Elementary.

This is the last week to complete the Feedback Survey.

Have your say! EIPS' 2023 Annual Feedback Survey is now open until March 23.

Elk Island Public Schools (EIPS) wants to hear from you. Make sure to complete the 2023 EIPS Annual Feedback Survey: For parents and caregivers.

Every year, EIPS conducts the feedback survey to gauge its progress toward meeting the goals and priorities outlined in its **Four-Year Education Plan**. Families are asked a series of questions about their experiences with EIPS and the school their child attends, the overall performance of the Division, the quality of education being provided to students and areas for improvement. The survey input helps the Division develop new strategies to better serve students and the wider community.

Visit EIPS.CA to take the survey: March 1-23

You can also review Heritage <u>Hills Elementary School Education Plan</u> as well as our <u>Mid-Point Review</u> that highlights some of the things that have already happened at HHE this school year.

SHINE Club Bake Sale:

The Shine Club will be hosting a Bake Sale on Tuesday, March 21 at lunch. Items are limited so students will be invited to purchase one item while quantities last. Items will be between \$0.25 and \$0.50 cents. Proceeds will go to the Stollery Children's Hospital.

To the SHINE Club members bringing items on Monday, March 20. Please bring them to the front office. Mrs. Wert & Mrs. Cleet will be able to accept the items in preparation for the Bake Sale on Tuesday.

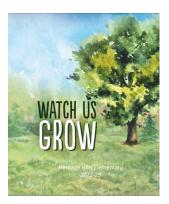
Lost and Found:

Parents check out these videos of all the lost items we have accumulated!

<u>Jackets/Sweaters/boots</u> <u>Odd mitts</u> <u>Toques and mitts</u>

The Lost and Found is sent up in the front entrance, both on a table (sweaters/jackets etc) and the boot rack (mitts and toques) At the end of Thursday all will be gone, and donated in the community. PLEASE stop in and check it out for missing clothing-there is a lot!

Yearbook 2022-23 School Year:



Don't miss out on your chance to purchase our 2022-2023 yearbook.

Purchases can be made by signing into your Parent Portal.

The yearbook is an **optional** purchase.

Yearbook options:

Hard Cover \$27.00 Soft Cover \$22.00

If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

First Nations, Métis and Inuit

HHE will be hosting a **Blanket Exercise for Parents** on Wednesday, March 22 from 6:30 - 8:00 pm. This will be an adult-only event (no children). *Grade 6 students will be participating in a student version of the Blanket Exercise later this spring. Staff are welcome to attend - please **RSVP** by Monday, March 20.

French Culture

International Francophonie Day is on Monday, March 20. The theme this year highlights the rich cultural content that exists in French and the fact there are 321 million francophones.



School Council and FAHHE Updates:

Coyote Compliment a staff member

Is there a staff member that has gone above and beyond? Helped your child in a tricky situation? Been that smiling face that greets you when you walk in the door? Made an impact on your child's education?

Complete the google form below and we will send a card and small treat to the staff member on your behalf, thanking them for what they do.

https://forms.gle/MkdNmiJqdf58YM896

Math-a-thon

Thank you to all the families who supported our Math-a-thon. We successfully raised over \$9,800 towards our playground. Class 1T and 4/5K earned the pizza party on Thursday, March 23rd. 157 scoops of whipped cream were earned. Please join us on Thursday, March 23rd at 2:30pm for the wrap-up assembly where some lucky students will have the chance to throw the whipped cream pies at the brave teachers who have stepped forward.

If you are able to help volunteer with setting up the assembly, Please sign up here.

Salisbury Greenhouse Gift Cards

Just in time for spring, we will be once again offering the Salisbury Gift Cards. They are available in the following denominations: \$25, \$50, \$100, \$250. We receive 20% of sales back to FAHHE. Cards will arrive in time for Mother's Day. More information to follow after Spring Break!

Casino

We have been allotted a casino for June 28 and 29th in Camrose. The shifts run from 3:00pm-12:00am. We need 5 volunteers per evening. This casino allows us to earn approximately \$20,000 to support our school.

If we are unable to fill these volunteer spots in the next couple of weeks, we may have to forfeit our casino and the opportunity to raise important money for our school's activities.

The positions that remain available are: (descriptions can be found on sign-up link)

General Manager (28th and 29th) Cashier (28th)

Chip Runner (28th Banker (28th and 29th)

If you are able to help out, please sign up **HERE.**

Hot Lunch

Did you know there is a universal hot lunch fund to assist families who can't afford the special lunch at this time. If you would like to access the fund, please email Jaclyn at hhehotlunch@gmail.com.

** Please note: if your child is absent and you would like to pick up their order you **MUST** email hhehotlunch@gmail.com **BEFORE** 10:00am and it will be available **AFTER** 1:00pm at the office. Please do not come earlier as it disrupts the distribution to the classes.

Upcoming Hot Lunch:

Order online at <u>www.healthyhunger.ca</u>

Booster Juice

Thursday, April 13th – Kinder B (Ordering closes April 8th) Friday, April 14th – Kinder A and 1-6 (Ordering closes April 9th)

Boston Pizza

Thursday, April 27th - Kinder B and 1-6 (Ordering closes April 22nd) Friday, April 28th - Kinder A (Ordering closes April 23rd)

Ongoing Fundraisers



Order online through Mabel's Labels and choose support a fundraiser, then a portion of your purchase will go back to FAHHE.



Shop at Save-on-Foods on Wye Road, submit your receipts to the office and we will receive 5% back.



Stop by COBS on Wye Road and tell them you're from Heritage Hills Elementary and a portion of your purchase will go back to FAHHE.



All orders will be shipped directly to your home for free on orders over \$50. Simply click on our link to shop and 20% of each sale goes back to FAHHE.

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Next Meeting: April 12, 2023 School Council @ 6:30pm. School Council March 8th minutes found here.

FAHHE March 8th minutes can be found here.

Enjoy a great week everyone!

"Vulnerability sounds like truth and feels like courage. Truth and courage aren't always comfortable, but they're never weaknesses."

– Brené Brown