

Heritage Hills Parent Weekly

May 15 - May 22, 2023 Twitter Account: <u>@HeritageHills</u> - Scroll through to see all the Amazing Things Happening at HHE.

This Week at Heritage Hills:

<u>Monday, May 22</u>

• Victoria Day Holiday - School Closed

Tuesday, May 23

- Ms. K in the School
- ABC Countdown Begins Animaux Bring a stuffed animal to school. Stuffed-animal must fit inside a backpack.
- Book Fair Starts Family Night 3:30-7:00 p.m.

<u>Wednesday, May 24</u>

- ABC Countdown Buddy Reading
- Badminton Club Gr. 6 at lunch recess.
- Book Fair

<u>Thursday, May 25</u>

- ABC Countdown Coyote Pride- Students encouraged to wear HHE Wear, Coyote Wear or HHE Colours.
- Hot Lunch Kindergarten Panago
 * if your child is absent and you would like to pick up their order you MUST email hhehotlunch@gmail.com BEFORE 10:00am
- Gr 5 French Immersion Walk to Heritage Hills Wetlands 1 3 pm
- Running Club has ended for this year. Thank you to all that participated.
- Kindergarten Open House Presentation Formal Presentation begins at 6:30 p.m. School Gym
- Art Night 6:30 7:30 Whole School
- Book Fair 6:30 7:30 Learning Commons

Friday, May 26

- ABC Countdown Disney Day Students encouraged to wear any t-shirt from the Disney franchise (Mickey, Star Wars, Disney Princess, etc)
- Hot Lunch K-6 Panago
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Monday, May 29

• Provincial Election - HHE is a polling station - there will be more traffic than usual around the school

Principal:

Hope you enjoyed a great long weekend and the great weather we are having. I know it was smoky outside but it was warm. On Tuesday, May 23rd we start our ABC Countdown. The week's activities will be shared each week in the Parent Weekly. Both students and staff enjoy the ABC Countdown activities.

We have had many parent and family volunteers at Heritage Hills. We value your support and we love to have you working with us so we can maximize the learning experience for our children.

Counsellor:

Junior High Jitters - This is a free caregiver education session hosted by Alberta Health Services. Is your child going into Grade 7 and feeling nervous about it? This session will provide information about developmental changes teens experience, as well as the challenges they may face in this school transition. Strategies for managing these changes and boosting wellness will be discussed. The session is designed for caregivers and pre-teens—grades 6-8—to attend together. Wednesday, June 14 - 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. - Virtual session - <u>Register</u>

Book Fair:

We are excited to host another Scholastic Book Fair. This is a great opportunity to stock up on books for summer reading. Students will be able to shop for books during recess and lunch recess. We are also excited to offer two family nights - May 23 from 3:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m and May 25 from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

ABC Countdown:

Heritage Hills Elementary students and staff are excited to celebrate the last 26 days of school as a team through an ABC Countdown. This fun countdown starts 26 days before the end of the school year.

We know this time of year can create a wide range of emotions for students and staff and our hope is to savour the days remaining with a little bit of fun. These special event days will help us build our school community and bring closure to the end of the year with great lesson opportunities and of course, FUN. Please feel free to participate in as many days as you like, no obligation.

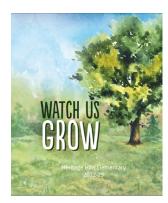
Tuesday, May 23- A	Animaux - Bring a stuffed animal to school. Stuffed animal must fit inside backpack.
Wednesday, May 24 - B	Buddy Reading
Thursday, May 25 - C	Coyote Pride - Students encouraged to wear HHE Wear, Coyote Wear or HHE Colours.
Friday, May 26 - D	Disney Day - Students encouraged to wear any t-shirt from the Disney franchise (Mickey, Star Wars, Disney Princess, etc)
Monday, May 29 - E	Environmental Earth Rangers - Clean up the school yard and learn about taking of the earth.
Tuesday, May 30 - F	Flip Flops - Students encouraged to wear Flip-Flops.
Wednesday May 31 - G	Gum - School Council & FAHHE providing our students with a piece of Gum to enjoy.
Thursday, June 1 - H	HHE Wear, Hats & High Fives - Students encouraged to wear HHE wear and Hats.
Friday, June 2 - I	Inside out - Wear your shirt inside out
Monday, June 5 - J	Joke - Start the morning with a joke during the announcements, Students can share jokes with their classmates

Art Show:

Mark your calendars. HHE is holding our second annual Art Show on May 25 at 6:30p.m. The art show will showcase all grades. Art will be displayed all around the school.

Who: All Families of HHE Community When: May 25 - 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Where: HHE Elementary Admission: A Non-Perishable Food Bank Donation or Cash Donation

Last Chance! 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. <u>Yearbook options:</u> Hard Cover \$27.00 Soft Cover \$22.00

Order deadline: Wednesday, May 31, 2023

School Supply List 2023-24:

*Correction from last week - the French Immersion class list shared last week was creating some confusion since we have not finalized class lists. We are in the process of omitting the list from the Write-on website. The list for each grade will be the same no matter what program a child is in.

You can order your child's school supplies through Write-On Stationary or purchase them on your own. Please see the information for each grade below.

Heritage Hills Elementary - SHERWOOD PARK - Class/Grade Kindergarten Heritage Hills Elementary - SHERWOOD PARK - Class/Grade Grade 1 Heritage Hills Elementary - SHERWOOD PARK - Class/Grade Grade 2 Heritage Hills Elementary - SHERWOOD PARK - Class/Grade Grade 3 Heritage Hills Elementary - SHERWOOD PARK - Class/Grade Grade 4 Heritage Hills Elementary - SHERWOOD PARK - Class/Grade Grade 5 Heritage Hills Elementary - SHERWOOD PARK - Class/Grade Grade 5 Heritage Hills Elementary - SHERWOOD PARK - Class/Grade Grade 6

https://www.write-on.ca/shop/

FOR ONLINE ORDERS:

- Go to <u>www.write-on.ca</u>
- Click on "PARENTS Order Here"
- School Name: Heritage Hills Elementary SHERWOOD PARK
- Choose your grade and place your order.
- Complete your order by clicking 'PLACE ORDER'
- You will receive an automatic email confirmation to confirm your order has been received
- We accept VISA, MC, AMEX, Visa Debit and Interac On-line

School Council and FAHHE Updates:

Feedback

We are looking for feedback from our families in order to plan for the future. If you could please complete these 2 quick surveys it would be greatly appreciated. <u>Hot Lunch Survey</u> <u>Fundraising Survey</u>

Casino

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

If you are able to help out, please sign up here <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4BA9AC23A7FEC52-casino</u>

Annual General Meetings

Both the School council and FAHHE AGMs will be held on June 14th, starting at 6:30pm. During these meetings, an annual recap will be presented and elections for Executive Members.

School Council Executive: Chair, Vice-Chair and Secretary

Position descriptions can be found <u>here</u>.

1 year term, maximum 3 consecutive years in same position

FAHHE Executive: President, Vice-President, Treasurer and Secretary Position descriptions can be found <u>here</u>.

1 year term, maximum 4 consecutive years in same position

Coyote Compliment a staff member:

Would you like to recognize a staff member for something they have done that you truly appreciated? 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

Hot Lunch

** 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 and COBS Wednesday, June 7th - Kinder A (Orders close June 2nd) Friday, June 9th – Kinder B and 1-6 (Orders close June 4th)

Sports Day Hot Dog Lunch – Deadline June 10th

School Council and FAHHE are pleased to provide a hot dog lunch for all staff and students on June 15th during Sports Day. There is no cost for this lunch, however, **ALL** orders **MUST** be placed online.

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



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 burk te arch: \$10. IO/FAHHE

Next Meeting: School Council AGM, June 14th @ 6:30 pm followed by FAHHE AGM @ 7:30 pm

School Council May 10 minutes can be found <u>here</u>. FAHHE May 10th minutes can be found <u>here</u>.

Have a great week everyone!

"Strength does not come from physical capacity. It comes from an indomitable will."

-Mahatma Gandhi