# FOX NEWS

## **Ecole Westlock Elementary School**

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#### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

#### May:

- 1- K Liber swimming 1-2 pm
- 2- KH & KB swimming 1-2 pm
- 3- Wear a hat for Hats on for Mental Health Apollo Spaghetti Orders due
- 4- Star Wars Day
  French Immersion Field
  Trip to Barrhead Theatre
- 9- Apollo Spaghetti Day1C Swimming 1-2 pm
- 17- Hot dog orders due
- 22- No school
- 23- Hot Dog Day
- 24- 1 Lea swimming 1-2 pm
- 25- Gr. 3 swimming 2-3 pm School Council Meeting 5 pm
- 26- 70's vs 90's Day

Dear Parents and Guardians,

May is a busy time of year with students participating in field trips and outdoor activities! On the 3rd, students and staff will be participating in different activities/stations promoting mental health. Thank you to Mme Wolff for organizing the day.

Later on this month students will get the opportunity to hit a target and have a bucket of water dumped on staff members' heads. This is because students reached the goal of reading 8000 minutes during reading month! Due to PHSD policy, dunk tanks are not prohibited so we had to come up with alternative dunk tank. Thank you to Sobeys, Kerri's Cafe & Bakery, Westlock Motors, Park Mazda, Bumper to Bumper, Raine family, Busby Hive, School Council and Kaltire for your donation to help fund the alternative dunk tank.

Second last week in April we hosted our Kindergarten Open house. The event was very successful! Staff got to meet our future students and connect with parents. Students are very excited to start Kindergarten.

This past week we celebrated numeracy by having the whole school participate in different daily numeracy activities. A huge thanks to the committee for planning the activities. There were daily riddles to answer, guessing the number of jellybeans in the jar, measuring with lego, creating flower math equations, Math About Me etc.

Sincerely,

Amber Monteath

### Are You Moving...

Please call Toni or Linda at the office (780-349-3385) if you are moving away for next school year. This helps teachers when making class lists.



#### Hats on for Mental Health...



On Wed. May 3, students will be participating in a variety of activities to promote mental health.

Thank you to Mme Wolff for organizing the event and for staff running stations. Each student got to choose four stations of their choice. Examples of stations include dance, paper folding, worry stones, rock painting, coloring for calm, mindful movement, plasticine palooza, team games, all about the brain and fitness.

Don't forget to wear a hat to support mental health!

#### Gr. 6 Outdoor Ed Week...

Our Gr. 6 are eagerly awaiting Outdoor Ed week. Students get to participate in activities such as orienteering, canoeing, archery etc.

Tues. May 30- At WES

Wed. May 31- At Camp Mack (day trip)

Thurs. June 1- At Camp Mack (day trip)

Fri. June 1- At Camp Mack (day trip)

#### Gr. 6 Provincial Achievement Tests...

May 15- Gr. 6 French Language Arts Part A May 17- Gr. 6 English Language Arts Part A Good luck to everyone!



#### School Council News...

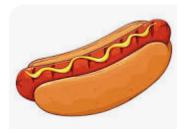
Thank you CPF for organizing and providing hot lunch this month!

Tuesday May 9th- Apollo Spaghetti
Spaghetti options- Meat sauce baked with cheese
Meat sauce
No sauce

All come with a Dilly Bar. \$5.
Gluten free option- with or without cheese- \$6
Order deadline is May 3rd.

Wednesday May 23- Hot dog day Hot dogs from Westlock Butcher Shop Hot dog \$2.50 Juice box \$1.00 Order deadline- May 17th.





#### Breakfast...



Next week each student will receive a breakfast option from Kerri's Cafe and Bakery!

Students got to choose from either a muffin, ham & cheese bun or fruit parfait.

Thank you Kerri's Cafe for making these delicious items for our students.

