



Jessie Duncan School Newsletter

A proud part of Chinook's Edge School Division #73

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Principal's Message

Moving into spring we are welcoming the warm weather and the ability to take our students outside more. The next two months will be busy with teachers and students working hard to learn as much as possible before the end of the school year. As a staff, we will be planning for another amazing school year in 2021-2022.

Thank you, parents, for doing your best to maintain regular routines and nightly homework with your children to counter the effects of longer daylight hours and the anticipation of year-end. We appreciate all that you do to encourage your children to stay focused on their learning!

As the year draws to a close we will continue to support our students and families both academically and emotionally. This year has been difficult and challenging and a community approach is the strongest way to help all. If you feel your child is experiencing challenges, please reach out. We have a great team at Jessie Duncan with our Teachers, Administration, Family School Wellness workers, and of course our Parents.



Kory Sholdice
Principal

May 2021

Mark Your Calendar

4th: Hot Lunch Due

7th: No School

11th: Hot Lunch Day

20th: Dress-Up Like a Teacher or Principal

21-24th: No School

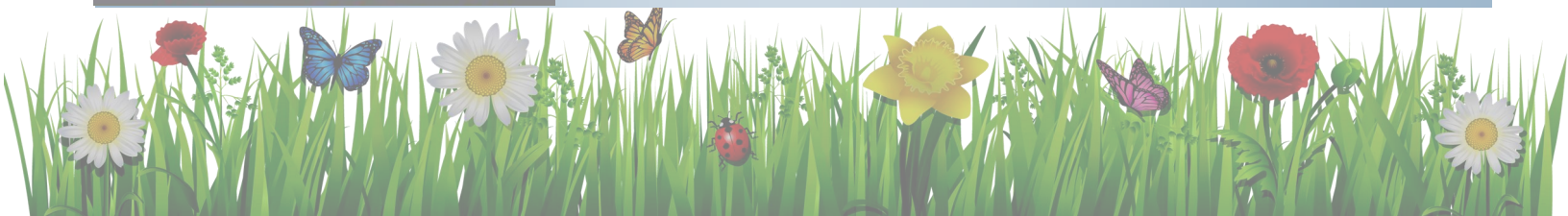
26th: Booster Juice

Note: May is the last hot lunch and booster juice for the school year.

Draft Curriculum Survey

Have your say by participating in the survey link below:

<https://extranet.gov.ab.ca/opinio6//s?s=public2021EN>



Ensuring the highest levels of safety

A Message from the Superintendent



CHINOOK'S EDGE
SCHOOL DIVISION No. 73

As we enter into the second spring of the pandemic, we are exceedingly grateful to everyone in our school communities for working to maintain our high standards of safety. While our diligent attention to safety continues to be practiced in every classroom and in every building throughout our division, this year the pressing need to work within COVID-19 restrictions has required an extra effort from everyone.

In Chinook's Edge our staff and students are mindful of maintaining the detailed safety protocols that are embedded in our division culture. This means that, while we all deal with the ebb and flow that the pandemic has required of us, our attention to our safety program is unchanged. Chinook's Edge has continued to achieve COR (Certificate of Recognition) status for multiple years, as we surpass the required safety standards in our schools and departments. We insist on optimum safety, because we care about the people in our buildings – our students, staff, parents and volunteers – and because it's the right thing to do.

We do want to acknowledge the efforts of our parents and volunteers, who have been creative in finding virtual ways to reach out and support our schools despite the restrictions on in-school visits. We had this goodwill in mind during the recent National Volunteer Week, as we continue to move forward together with caring and compassion.

Kurt Sacher
Superintendent

For Trustee updates and to read the latest Board eNews, please visit our [website](#).

POWER Award Winners - POWER Award Winners

Congratulations to our Award winners from April 2021!

PreK: Deagan
KC: Victoria, Elijah, Lila, Sheldon, Tristan
KM: Colby, Kael, Otto, Kendra, Taylor
1DS: Torren, Tyrell, Kiptyn
1-2W: Sophia, Jayden
1M: Colt, Kievah, Felix
1P: Kesler, Jaxen, Olivia
2B: Keelan, Vailea
2D: Autumn, Brea
2N: Taleah, Masynn, Ruby
3S: Zack, Dakota, Grace
3R: Jesse, Reiker, Ashlyn
3V: Harlow, Olivia
Tidy Teddy Award: Mr. Bronson's Grade 2 Class





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FOOD SERVICE

Dear Families,

Mark your calendars! The "Fill your Freezer" fundraiser is happening **APRIL 28- MAY 11**, just in time for BBQ season! Order restaurant quality food and support the purchase of new books for the school library.

JOIN our fundraiser in 3 easy steps:

Check out our fundraiser here or Scan the code below:
<https://jessieduncanelementary.myteamfund.ca>

1. Click "JOIN OUR FUNDRAISER"
2. Shop online on your own personal page until Tuesday, May 11th at 11:00 pm
3. Sharing is Caring!

After you Join the Fundraiser: You can easily share your personal link to supporters via text, email, social media and Facebook groups or download your own personal order form to collect additional orders.

You can pick up your order(s): Thursday, May 20th at 5:00 pm

* More details on the web page.

Scan Here to Join



Hold your camera over the barcode, no need to take a photo.

Thanks again for your support. Every order counts!