



Margaret "Ma" Murray
Community School
Week Ahead 2023-2024
February 5 - 9th, 2024



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>5 Assembly @ 9:00 a.m.</p> <p>Introduce Spirit of Healthy Kids</p>	<p>6 Basketball: -Boys A Gr. 6 @ Clearview -Boys A Gr. 5 @ Home -Girls A Gr. 6 @ Home</p> <p>Cultural Event: Will's Jams @ 1:45 p.m.</p>	<p>7 Basketball: -Girls A Gr. 6 @ Home -Boys B Gr. 5 @ Home</p>	<p>8</p>  <p>Basketball: -Both Girls B @ Home -Boys B Gr. 4 @ Alwin Holland</p>	<p>9</p>
<p>12 Spirit of Healthy Schools Competition Starts</p>	<p>13 Basketball: -Boys A Gr. 6 @ Upper Pine -Boys A Gr. 5 @ Central</p> <p>P.A.C. Meeting @ 3:00 p.m. in the Bella Yahey Center</p>	<p>14 Basketball: -Boys B Gr. 5 @ Anne Roberts</p> <p>Spirit Day: Wear red, pink and white for house team points.</p>	<p>15 Basketball: -Girls A Gr. 6 @ Robert Ogilive -Boys B Gr. 5 @ Home -Boys B Gr. 4 @ Anne Roberts -Girls B @ Charlie Lake & Bert Ambrose</p>	<p>16 Louis Riel/Metis Dancing 9-12 (Dianne Barclay) KS abs .4</p>
<p>19 Family Day School Closed</p>	<p>20 Basketball: -Boys A Gr. 6 @ Home -Boys A Gr. 5 @ Home</p>	<p>21 Class pictures</p> <p>Basketball: -Girls A Gr. 6 @ Home -Girls B @ Charlie Lake</p>	<p>22 Basketball: -Boys B Gr. 5 @ Home -Boys B Gr. 4 @ Home -Both Girls B @ Anne Roberts</p>	<p>23 Cabin Fever Day Lunch provided</p>

Spirit of Healthy Kids Contest: In the next few days, a letter will be coming home from Northern Health introducing the Spirit of the North Healthy Kids contest. This is our third year participating in the contest and we hope that we have a great participation rate. Last year we were the top school in Northern B.C. and received the top prize of \$5000.00. \$2500 of this prize was given to the P.A.C. to help with the resurfacing of the primary playground and the other \$2500.00 will be used to cover the cost of Cabin Fever Day. Students will be encouraged to complete 14 days of physical activities, reading activities and healthy choices/kindness. Classrooms may also help students chart their activities - home, community and school activities all are recordable. Please feel free to contact the school if you have any questions.

Cabin Fever Day: Plans are coming together nicely for our cabin fever day with venues booked, permissions slips out and activities planned. As part of this day, students will receive lunch of grilled cheese sandwiches, chicken noodle soup and fruit. If you have not returned your choice of activity for your child/children, please do so at your earliest convenience so that we can send home permission slips and book buses. It will be a wonderful experience for our students, thanks to the Spirit of Healthy Kids contest.

Big Buddy Red: Thank you to Mrs. Powers for organizing our Big Buddy Read. Students had a wonderful afternoon participating with their house teams. We look forward to these activities in the future.

School Fees: If you have not paid your school fees yet, we ask that you clear this up immediately. We currently have over \$6000 in unpaid fees which impacts our school greatly. We will be sending out reminders to families next week and it would be greatly appreciated if these accounts were cleared up. Families that need to have a payment plan can make arrangements at the office.

P.A.C.: We would like to thank the P.A.C. for their purchase of winter shovels, saucers and snow blocks for building. These toys are being kept in each mudroom and the students are loving the additional items to build with. The next P.A.C. meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 13th at 3:00 p.m. The P.A.C. will be discussing an upcoming family movie night, some fundraisers and the community block party. They need families to volunteer and participate in the planning. Please come and bring other family with you.

2024-2025 Kindergarten Registrations: We are currently accepting registrations for kindergarten and ask that any current families with children ready for kindergarten in September 2024 register as soon as possible. This helps us plan events and staffing for September. When registering, please bring the child's birth certificate, immunization records and proof of address. All children who turn 5 prior for December 31st, 2024 are eligible to register for kindergarten.

Have a wonderful weekend. We are looking forward to longer days as spring arrives.

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