

Beechy School Newsletter February/March 2023



Hello Blazer families,

Another month has flown by! We hope everyone had a great break. We are in full swing of Semester Two, and we are happy to have hosted some fun events this past month. Thank you to Ms. Denning and Mrs. Moebis for all their work organizing our **February Literacy Night** event and the elementary **One School One Book** event that is starting tomorrow! We will be reading <u>Fantastic Mr. Fox</u> with our K-6 students – see the write-up below. Thank you to everyone who attended out Seniors' Tea, and a special thank you to the students for performing, to Linda Cooper for decorating, and to the Prairie Centre Credit Union for donating the treats!

We have our Grade 5-12 ski trip later this week, which is happening for the first time in a few years - the kids are pumped! Thank you to Mrs. Dubasov and Kathy for all your work organizing this event. Due to the legalities around chartered busses, we do have to shorten the day a bit to keep it to 14 hours for the driver - stay tuned for an Alert reminding families of our departure time. We have two high-school curling teams competing this season, as well as our grade 3-6 JuniorJunior group. Thank you to the coaches and our curling club for their time and effort making this sport happen for our students. Badminton is also getting underway for grades 7-12, so stay tuned for game dates.

Our spring tri-conferences (parent-teacher-student interviews) will be held the evenings of March 14 and 15 - your letter will be in the mail shortly. As always, phone the office if your scheduled time does not work for you.

One calendar item to note - our graduation will be held on **Friday**, **May 5**th. We hope to see the community out to support our five graduates! Have a great month!

Leia Hey, Principal

One School One Book



One School One Book will begin Wednesday March 1st for students in K-6. This year's book will be <u>Fantastic Mr. Fox</u> by Roald Dahl. Packages with the book will be sent home with your child(ren) on Tuesday, February 28th. The package will include an activity booklet for each student (as while as pre-school aged kids). If the booklet is completed by the end of the month, students can return it to Mrs. Moebis to be entered for a prize! At the end of the book there will be a movie night for families; stay tuned for more details.

Jr. Jr. Curling (Gr. 3-6)

This year we had a young, enthusiastic group of curlers with Mrs. G for Elementary curling: Adrie Hermanson, Rose Ringrose, Sabrina Fleuter, Conner Moebis, James Walsh, Anna Vineham, Jack Haugen, Jade Horn, Kohen Swan, Rylee Ayles and Bree Kapeller.

We had a short, but fun season, practicing our slides, deliveries and sweeping. Thank you to Mackenzie Walsh and Kerry Ringrose for assisting on the ice. We wrapped up our season on February 13th with fun games and pizza.

Thank you to everyone for coming out. Thank you to the Beechy Curling Club for getting the ice ready for us each week.

Jr. Jr. Curling Coach: Mrs. Lisa Grande

Jr. Curling (Gr. 7-9)

This year we are very excited to have 2 Junior Curling teams. We have a mixed and a girls' team. Our curlers are students from grade 6 to grade 9. The curlers are Dallas Moebis, Julia Wiens, Justine Horn, Nevaeh Lawson, Mackenzie Walsh, Shenae Christman, Ryder Ringrose, Ben Wiens, Cheyanne Christman and Jade Horn.

We travelled to Kyle on Feb 8 to play their curling teams and the mixed team won a close game while the girls team lost. We also hosted Kyle Junior mixed and Dinsmore on Feb 15^{th} in Beechy.

District competition will be played in Outlook on March 3 & 4th. Good luck curlers! Special thanks to Kerry Ringrose and Mrs. Shelby Ayers for coaching this year! Mrs. Baxter

Legion Winners

Legion members Cecile Andrews and Janis Flynn presented awards for students who had entered poetry, essays, and artwork for the Remembrance Day Contest. The children who earned 1st place have advanced to Zones. We would like to congratulate all the

students for their hard work.

Special Primary Certificates for

Poetry (Gr. 3)

Rylee Ayles, Isla Braun, Ava Erickson, Olin Hermanson and Avery Hey

Primary (Gr. 1-3) Colored Posters

1st Avery Hey

2nd A. Harlan Horn

3rd Emily Da Silva

Primary (Gr. 1-3) Black and White

Poster

1st Alycia Durocher

2nd Ava Erickson

3rd Piper Schury

Junior (Gr. 4-6) Colored Posters

1st Finley Dubasov

2nd Olsen Odermatt

3rd Jordan Moebis

Junior (Gr. 4-6) Black and White Posters

1st Emilie Moebis

2nd Kalia Fleuter

3rd Jade Horn

Junior (Gr. 4-6) Poetry

1st Emilie Moebis

2nd Bree Kapeller

3rd Cheyenne Christman

Intermediate (Gr. 7-9) Colored Posters

1st Shenae Christman

2nd Truitt Hey

3rd Daniel Perez Tenreiro

Intermediate (Gr. 7-9) Black and White Posters

1st Mackenzie Walsh

2nd Espen Hermanson

3rd Rhett Moebis

Intermediate (Gr. 7-9) Poem

1st Justine Horn

2nd Espen Hermanson 1st Charlee Kapeller

3rd Taylor Schury 2nd Ava Smith Senior (Gr. 10-12) Poems 3rd Jayla Weiss

Thanks for the Treats

The staff would like to give a big thank you to parents that sent in goods for the staff before the Christmas break. They were thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated by all.



Christmas Feast

Thanks to the Grade 11/12 parents, SCC and staff members who donated food for the Christmas Feast. The feast was wonderful and enjoyed by all!

Yearbook

We have received the 2021-22 yearbooks. If you forgot to order one, we do have a few spares! The cost of a yearbook is \$43.00. Thank you. We also have several copies of old yearbooks dating back to the nineties if anyone is interested in filling holes in their collections! We are selling them for \$5.00 each. Thanks

Dates to Remember:

Wednesday, Mar 1 Start of OSOB (One School One Book)

Thursday, Mar 2 Annual Gr. 5-12 Ski Trip

• Fri. - Sat. Mar 3-4 Junior Curling Districts - Outlook

• Mon. Mar. 13 Report cards for K-9 go home

Tues & Wed. Mar. 14 & 15 Parent Teacher Interviews 4:00 - 6:30 pm

Thurs, Mar 16
No School/Teacher PD Day

Fri., Mar. 17
No School/Day in lieu of Interviews

Mar. 20-24 Mental Health/Addictions Awareness Week Bounce Back

Week

• Wed. Mar. 22 Sr. Badminton host League (Lucky Lake, Kyle, Elrose, Dinsmore)

Fri. Mar. 31
No School/Teacher PD Day