February 2022



Learning. Character. Community.

A kind

word is

like a

spring day!

Russian Proverb



What a wild month of weather we had for January. Although we desperately need the rain, January is not the ideal time for it to arrive. The Room 3 students have been practicing their curling skills on Wednesdays afterschool. They will participate in the Chinook School Division Curling Bonspiel February 11 and 12th in Gull Lake. Good Luck Stingers!

We did not have our noon lunch in January, but we hope to see it return on February 15th. We will offer Homemade Hamburger Soup and Grilled Cheese Sandwiches while the weather is still chilly. A google form will go out the beginning of February.

The Pink Shirts have arrived. Those that placed an order in December will receive an email to confirm prices. Payments can then be sent to the school.

Here's what is happening in February:

Feb 7: Band

Feb 11: SRC Hat Day

Feb 11 & 12: Curling Bonspiel in Gull Lake

Feb 14: Band

Feb 15: (Tentative) Noon Lunch - Hamburger Soup and

Grilled Cheese Sandwiches

Feb 16: Pink Shirt Day

Feb 21-25: February Break

Feb 28: Classes resume - K-day

Band



Principals Message

2022 is here and moving along nicely. January had all sorts of weather, some days too cold and some too windy...But at least some moisture has arrived, for the land and some snow for the kids to play in.

The month of February feels like a shorter month than most but it is just as action packed.

The Stingers Curling Teams have been practicing and fine tuning their game time skills. They are slated to play in Gull Lake on Feb 11 and Feb 12. Please note those dates could change based on the number of teams that sign up. I am very excited to see these young athletes play and represent our awesome school.

A special thanks goes to the School Community Council (SCC), for purchasing a second indoor curling kit for our students. We are all appreciative of this great opportunity this resources provides for the students at school. Thanks SCC!

The official week of School Staff appreciation is Feb 6 to Feb 12. The staff always appreciates the recognition, words of encouragement and thankful messages that come their way from students and families. This year, the SCC is sponsoring a delicious lunch for the staff to enjoy. We truly have very caring and kind adults, which love helping students succeed. A very special thanks goes out to all the wonderful staff!

In 3 weeks, the February break will be here and highlighted by the Feb 21 Family Day. I know the students at school love having this time off from school especially with the opportunity to do something fun and special as a family. Enjoy your time as a family and have a great month.

Carson Benallack Principal Stewart Valley School

Stewart Valley School SRC

The SRC has planned the following:

February 11: Hat day

March 4: Wild Hair Day

Wed. Feb. 16th





It can still be cold outside!

Please ensure students have warm winter coats, snow pants, boots, mittens and toques as they are expected to go outside during recess.

What kind of flowers should you not give on Valentine's Day?

Cauliflowers!

The best way
to have a
friend
is to
be one!



Noon Lunch

February 15th

Watch for a google form to order the noon lunch.
We will be serving hamburger soup and grilled cheese sandwiches

Please remember

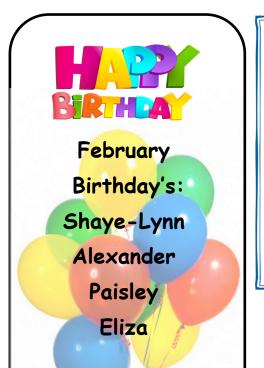


<u>your</u>

water

bottle!





Stewart Valley School Website

Keep informed about the great things that have been going on and about upcoming events:

Website: http://www.chinooksd.ca/school/stewartvalley

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

March 7: SCC Meeting at 7:00

March 22 & 23: Parent Teacher Conferences

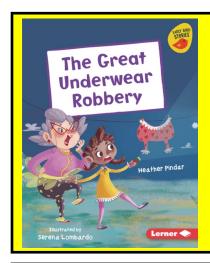
March 25: NO SCHOOL in Lieu of P/T Conferences

March 28: NO School - Professional Development

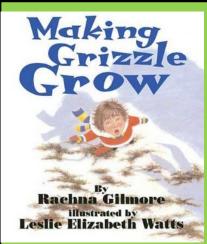








When Grandma Lil's dog Sniffy is accused of stealing underwear, Grandma Lil and the rest of Little Snorington must find the real underpants bandit. Young readers will love solving the mystery in this appealing tale.



When Dad doesn't have time to play in the snow with her, Emily is annoyed. Then she becomes so mad that she makes a snow dinosaur and calls it Grizzle. Grizzle comes alive, and she is a Dilophosaurus with a temper to match Emily's. And Grizzle is hungry - so hungry that Emily rustles up some snow pizzas with lots of pepperoni. Then Grizzle begins to grow and as Emily makes more and more meals out of the backyard snow Grizzle snaps it all up and growls for more. She is really hungry! At last Grizzle turns her attention to Dad, who has wandered outside to admire Emily's handiwork. If Emily doesn't do something fast, Dad will make an excellent snack!



While on summer vacation, little Irene Adler meets a young William Sherlock Holmes. The two share stories of pirates and have battles of wit while running wild on the sunny streets and rooftops. When Sherlock's friend, Lupin, joins in on the fun, they all become fast friends. But the good times end abruptly when a dead body floats ashore on the nearby beach. The young detective trio will have to put all three of their heads together to solve this mystery.