

# **Arbour Lake School Weekly Update**

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

This week has been filled with exciting activities for our students! The Grade 9s had a fantastic trip to Ralph Klein Park, while the Grade 8s explored the wonders of Telus Spark. On the sports front, both our soccer teams saw success on the pitch, and the senior boys' basketball team is performing exceptionally well so far this season.

A big thank you to all the parents who attended the Parent Council meeting. Your support is invaluable, and our staff truly appreciates everything you do to help us in our work with the students.

Today was a Friday Buddy Day, where younger students partnered with older students to build effective paper airplanes. It was wonderful to see such teamwork, with plenty of paper creations around the school as a result!

As the weather is getting colder, please ensure your children dress appropriately for the season. Students will still go outside at lunch and for PE, and we only move indoors for lunch if temperatures reach -20°C. Please make sure they have proper jackets and shoes.

Have a great weekend and please free to email me at <a href="mailto:nmlisi@cbe.ab.ca">nmlisi@cbe.ab.ca</a> if you need anything at all.

Dr. Nancy Lisi Principal

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS:**

#### <u>School Fundraising Society – Casino Dates and Volunteering</u>

The Arbour Lake School Fundraising Society is organized by parents and plays a vital role in supporting our school and students by organizing various fundraising initiatives. Their efforts help provide additional resources and programs that enhance the educational experience for our students. One significant event they host is a casino night, which raises thousands of dollars for the school. This event relies heavily on the support of volunteers. If you're interested in helping out, please sign up using the link below. Your involvement makes a real difference!

Casino Night Dates: February 6 & 7, 2025

Sign-Up Link: <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4FA5AD2FA2F5C70-">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4FA5AD2FA2F5C70-</a>

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# **UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES**

Oct 22	Grade 9 Field Trip to Ralph Klein Park	
Oct 24	Gr. 7 CPAWS Hr. 7.4 Gr. 8 Telus Spark (Hr. 8.1; 8.2; 8.3; 8.4)	
Oct 25	Non-instructional Day – No Classes	
Oct 28-31	Law Students Visiting Grade 6 – HR 6.5 & 6.6	
Oct 30	Grade 9 Drama to Storybook Theatre	
Oct 31	Grade 9 Leadership Activity – Haunted House	
Nov 1	Grade 6 Online Coding	
Nov 3	Daylight Savings Begins	
Nov 5	Grade 8 Outdoor Ed – Wall Climbing Trip	
Nov 7	Remembrance Day Ceremony	
	Non-instructional Day – No Classes	
Nov 8	Non-instructional Day – No Classes	
Nov 8 Nov 11-13	Non-instructional Day – No Classes Fall Break – School Closed	
	Fall Break – School Closed Photo Retakes	
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#### THE COYOTE CANTEEN

Please note that this is acash only service. Students are able to come down and purchase a snack if they have forgotten their lunch OR if they would like to supplement the lunchthey have.

CANTEEN ITEMS	PRICE
COOKIE	1.00
CHIPS/VEGGIE STRAWS	1.50
POPCORN	1.50
PROTEIN BAR	2.00
CHEEZIT CRACKERS	1.50
RITZ BITES / FISH CRACKERS	1.00
LARGE NOODLE BOWL	2.50
SMALL NOODLE BOWL	2.00
MAC & CHEESE	2.00
JUICE/WATER	1.50

#### **HEALTHY HUNGER – FUN LUNCH**

Our Healthy Hunger program, organized by the School Council, is a popular initiative that provides a tasty treat for students and a welcome break for parents.

This program relies on parent volunteers to help organize and distribute lunches to homerooms. If you're able to attend, please sign up using the link below. If you've previously volunteered with us, we'd love to have you back. If you're new to the process, feel free to contact the main office to learn how to get involved.

Please sign up here to volunteer:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4CABA723A1FAC52-51330546-healthy

Oct 17	Coco Brooks
Oct 23	Fun Snack – Kernels Popcorn
Oct 24	Edo
Oct 31	Papa John's
Nov 6	Kernels
Nov 7	Subway
Nov 20	Tim Hortons
Nov 21	Opa
Dec 5	Subway
Dec 11	Savory Bread Company
Dec 12	Mary Brown's
Dec 18	Jelly Modern Donuts
Dec 19	Pizza 73
Jan 9	Subway
Jan 15	Kernels

Feb 5 Kernels Feb 6 Kernels Feb 19 Tim Horton's

## **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Lunch (Full period unless noted)	Lunch (Full period unless noted)	Lunch (Full period unless noted)	Lunch (Full period unless noted)
Minecraft Club Band Room	Lego Club - Rm. 164	Creative Writing Club Rm. 120	Cribbage Club Rm. 219
	Scale Model Builders Rm. 160		Board Game Club Rm. 164
	QSA - Rm. 203		Scale Model Builders Rm. 160
	Trivia Club - Rm. 206 (2nd half of lunch)		Jazz Band - Band Room
			Mathematics Club Rm. 204 (2nd half of lunch)
Afterschool	Afterschool	Afterschool	Afterschool

Chess Club coming soon...

### **ATHLETICS**

**Soccer Spectators:** Please be advised that all spectators attending our soccer games need to be on the opposite side of the field from our athletes and soccer teams. Thank you.

Oct 21	Boys Soccer Game at Home
Oct 30	Sr. Girls Bball at Home
Nov 14	Sr. Boys Bball at Home
Nov 15	Jr. Boys Bball at Home
Nov 20	Sr. Girls Bball at Home

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