

MAY 2023

A MMH MINUTE

The monthly newsletter for Mike Mountain Horse
Elementary School



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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Hello Mike Mountain Horse Families!
Finally it feels like Spring has arrived!
As the weather continues to improve
we look forward to spending more
time outdoors and experiencing more
learning opportunities in nature. This is
always the time of year when it gets
busy! Please continue to watch the
school website, classroom Dojo and
your email for updates on all of the
exciting things we know are coming!

IMPORTANT DATES

- May 10: Gr. 2-5 Run Club 7:45am
- May 11: Grade 5 Wetlands Field Trip
- May 11: School Council 7:00pm
- May 15-18: Grade 4 & 5 Human Growth and
Development Instruction
- May 16: Mary Brown's Hot Lunch Order Deadline
- May 17: Gr. 2-5 Run Club 7:45am
- May 18: Spirit Day: Anything But A Backpack
- May 22: Victoria Day - NO SCHOOL
- May 23: Staff Professional Learning - NO SCHOOL
- May 24: Kernels Popcorn Fundraiser Pick Up
- May 25: Spirit Assembly - TRUTH
- May 30: Hot Lunch - Tu/Th Kinder, Gr. 1, Gr. 2
- May 31: Hot Lunch - Mon/Wed Kinder, Gr.3, Gr.4, Gr. 5

Spring Fundraiser



Thank you to everyone who supported our Kernels Popcorn Fundraiser! Pick-up will be held in the gym on Wednesday, May 24, from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm. It is imperative that all those who ordered popcorn for our spring fundraiser show up during the allotted pick-up time to get their product, as Society will not be storing any products left behind. There will be no exceptions made to our pick-up time for any reason. If you cannot make it, please send someone on your behalf. No popcorn will be stored by the school or Society for any reason. Please bring your own bags or cardboard box to carry your order. When you get to the school, please enter through the front door and head directly to the gym. Product will be organized by grade, so you will have to go to multiple tables if you have more than one child who you placed an order under.

2023-2024 Registrations

Mike Mountain Horse Elementary school continues to accept new and returning student registrations. Parents of students currently registered in Lethbridge School Division will receive notification from your child(ren)'s school with instructions for registration using PowerSchool.

To register for kindergarten, students **MUST** be five years old as of December 31, 2023. Registrations can be completed online and emailed to the school. MMH will be offering full day Monday/Wednesday, scheduled Fridays or full day Tuesday/Thursday, scheduled Fridays kindergarten programs.

Seven Sacred Teachings



Our Sacred Teaching for April focused on WISDOM. Congratulations to our students who were recognized for demonstrating Wisdom. This month our teaching will focus on TRUTH. Our Truth Spirit assembly will be held on May 25 at 2:30. This assembly will be hosted by the grade three team and the grade three choir will be performing.

MMH School Council & Friends of MMH Society

Our next School Council meeting will be held at 7:00 pm on May 11 in the art room. Everyone is welcome to join! This is a fantastic opportunity to find out about all the exciting things happening in the school.

MMH Run Club



Students in grade 2- 5 were invited to join Run Club this May. Runners will meet in the gym at 7:45 on May 10, 17, 24. We hope run club members will join us for the Donut Dash - a race put on by the LCI Cross Country Run Team on May 24 at 6:00pm. More information to follow.

Welcome To kindergarten

Mike Mountain Horse Elementary School is excited to invite all of our new Kindergarten students and their families to a "Welcome to Kindergarten" event on Tuesday, May 31 from 5:30 - 7:00pm. This is a great opportunity for students to meet the kindergarten teachers, visit the kindergarten classrooms and engage in some family fun activities. Please watch your email for more information.



No School - May 22 and 23

There is no school on Monday, May 22 and Tuesday, May 23 due to Victoria Day and Professional Learning.

Hello Volunteers!

We appreciate you spending time with our students. Community supports are what make Mike Mountain Horse such a great place to be! If you are interested in volunteering, here are a few reminders:

- All volunteer opportunities must be pre-arranged with the classroom teacher
- Please ensure you have completed The Lethbridge School Division Volunteer form and submit it to the office
- Digitally check into the office on the iPad stand to the left as you enter the office
- Thank you for signing out in the office at the end of your visit

Thank you for your gift of time!

Reminders for all families:

As we move towards the end of June, we would like to remind families of the following:

- Please ensure you check your email and the school website regularly to stay up to date on upcoming events and activities.
- All field trip permission forms will be sent digitally. We must have parent permission for students to participate in any off school activities.
- As the weather warms up, students will spend more time in outdoor learning activities. Please ensure your children are dressed for the weather.
- If your child is riding their bike or scooter to school, please send a lock they are able to use independently - the school is not responsible for lost bikes or scooters.