

MAY 2024

# A MMH MINUTE

The monthly newsletter for Mike Mountain Horse  
Elementary School



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Although it certainly hasn't felt like it, Spring has arrived in Southern Alberta. The weather isn't warming yet, but birds are singing and Inquiry-based learning projects have begun! As we move toward warmer weather, everything will start to get busier in and out of school. Please watch your email for information about upcoming field trips and other special events happening in our school.  
Kerry Taylor, Principal

## IMPORTANT DATES

May 9: Gr. 4 Traveling Lab Coats  
May 10: Grade 5 Graphic Novel Showcase  
Run Club 7:45am  
May 13: Kernels Order Pick up 5:00-7:00  
May 14: Hot Lunch Order Deadline  
May 15: Donut Day  
May 17: Run Club  
May 20: Victoria Day NO SCHOOL  
May 21: School PL Day - No School For Students  
May 30: Spirit Assembly TRUTH 9:00am

# 2024-2025 Kindergarten Registrations

Mike Mountain Horse Elementary school continues to accept Kindergarten registrations for the 2024-2025. Students MUST be five years old as of December 31, 2024. Registrations can be completed on our school website [mmh.lethsd.ab.ca](http://mmh.lethsd.ab.ca). MMH will be offering full day Monday/Wednesday, scheduled Fridays or full day Tuesday/Thursday, scheduled Fridays kindergarten programs. Please indicate your preference in the comment section of your registration.

# 2024-2025 New and Returning Student Registrations

Mike Mountain Horse Elementary school continues to accept new and returning student registrations. Parents of students currently registered in Lethbridge School Division have received registration links from your child(ren)'s school with instructions for registration using PowerSchool. Please ensure you check your Junk folder and complete these registration forms as soon as possible. If you have not received the link please contact the school office.

## **KERNEL'S Popcorn Pick-Up**

Kernel's Popcorn Fundraiser product pick up will take place on Monday, May 13 from 5:00 - 7:00pm in the school gym. All orders will be sorted and ready for pick-up. Please ensure someone is available to pick up your order as we will not have space to store the orders. If you are unable to pick up your order that evening, please arrange with a friend or neighbour to collect your order for you! Thank you so much for your support of this fantastic fundraiser.

# Digital Wellness

On May 28, 29 and 30 all students in kindergarten to grade 5 will have the opportunity to participate in a series of digital wellness lesson presented by Casen Machacek, School Division Digital Wellness Teacher.

## 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 - this includes a criminal record check
- 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!

## Seven Sacred Teachings

Our Sacred Teaching for April focused on WISDOM. Congratulations to all students who were recognized for demonstrating WISDOM.

This month our teaching will focus on TRUTH. Students are recognized at our school-wide Spirit assembly on Thursday, May 30 at 9:00am in the school gym.





# One School, One Book

## Charlotte's Web

The month of April was an absolute amazing month filled with rich reading experiences, fun activities, and lots of learning as our celebrated One School, One Book for the first time in 7 years. Students and families participated in a shared reading of a timeless classic, Charlotte's Web. Along with a number of in-class activities, school wide activities included Feed The Pig (non-perishable food collection), Chore Week to earn their class Wilbur, Daily Trivia, Family Read In Evening, Western Dress Up days, Electronic Turn Off, School Movie Day, and a amazing School County Fair!

A huge thank you to our sponsors, The University of Lethbridge Bookstore and the MMH School Council for supporting this amazing event.





# Community Information



**MINDFUL  
MUNCHIES**



## Volunteers Needed

Are you looking for a rewarding volunteer opportunity?  
Our school lunch program is a crucial program we offer to our community and we would love to have you onboard to help us feed youth and children throughout Lethbridge!



If you or anyone you know are interested in one of volunteer roles, please contact our volunteer coordinator @ 403-635-9969 or [volunteer@lethbridgefoodbank.ca](mailto:volunteer@lethbridgefoodbank.ca)  
Thank you!

## The Southern Alberta Multisport Society



Register Here  
Scan with phone camera

### Presents



varying distances based on age  
swim bike run event

DATE:  
SATURDAY  
June 15th

START TIME: 8am

Swim: Maxbell Pool  
Bike: University of Leth  
Run: University of Leth

### ENTRY FEES

5-19yr ~ \$35  
Teams ~ \$58

### School Challenges

Most competitors  
Fastest 3 person team  
Fastest top 10 (all ages)

[WWW.SAMULTISPORT.ORG](http://WWW.SAMULTISPORT.ORG)  
[info@samultisport.org](mailto:info@samultisport.org)

TRIATHLON  
ALBERTA

UNDER THE LIGHTS SPORTS & ENTERTAINMENT PRESENTS

# BATTLE OF THE BADGES

TICKET ONLY **\$15**  
OR 4 FOR \$50

SATURDAY **25** MAY

## CHARITY SOFTBALL GAME

LETHBRIDGE POLICE SERVICE VS LETHBRIDGE FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

**SPITZ STADIUM**  
LETHBRIDGE, ALBERTA  
GATES OPEN AT 5 P.M.  
7:05 FIRST PITCH

PATIO TABLE OF 4 **\$100**

PROCEEDS BENEFIT POLICE AND FIRE CHARITIES

GO TO [tickets.bullsbaseball.com](http://tickets.bullsbaseball.com)  
OR CALL (403)320-2025 FOR TICKETS

## Digital Detours

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Scan here: