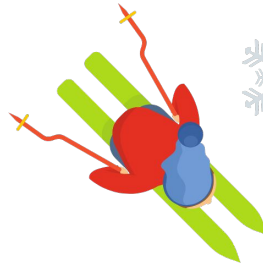


J.A. CUDDY NEWSLETTER

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ABSENT TODAY? PLEASE CONTACT US BEFORE 8:45 AM

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

December brought a wave of excitement to J. A. Cuddy School. *Our Winter Concert, featuring students from Kindergarten to Grade 4, was a resounding success*, highlighting their talents and passion for performance. A heartfelt thank you goes out to the middle-year students who played key roles in managing sound, lighting, technology, and stage decoration. We extend our gratitude to our outstanding teaching staff for their dedication and hard work in ensuring the concert's success.

As the school year came to a close, students engaged in a spirited week filled with themed days, skating at the recreation center, and a variety of other enjoyable and educational activities. **Witnessing our skilled teachers consistently finding creative ways to make learning fun is always a delight.**

We trust everyone had a restful and enjoyable winter break and is eagerly anticipating the excitement and challenges that the second half of the school year will bring. January often marks a time for resolutions and positive changes, making it an ideal opportunity for parents and students to reflect on academic goals. **Our mission is to guide students toward becoming well-rounded, compassionate individuals with a sense of belonging in the world.** We strive to foster critical and creative thinking, encouraging dedication to improving both the local and global community.

Exciting news – **we've partnered with Southern Health, providing some space in our building for them to provide services.** This collaboration allows access to some of Southern Health's services without the need for extensive travel, benefiting our local community.

You might have noticed new signage around the building signalling the installation of a new security system; this includes cameras in various areas of the school grounds, the entrances, and the hallways.

January promises exciting opportunities for J. A. Cuddy students, with the **MIDDLE YEARS' MUSIC CONCERT SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 31ST.** Keep an eye out for details!



Wishing you a Happy New Year,

Scott Thomson

Principal, J.A. Cuddy School



Our Grade 5 - 8 Winter Concert will be on January 31, 2024

Our students brought in 757 pairs of socks for Siloam Mission! Thank you for your support!

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SEND EXTRA HATS, MITTENS, SCARVES, SOCKS, AND AN EXTRA OUTFIT FOR WHEN THE SNOW IS SUPER-SLUSHY.

THANK YOU!

P.S. Don't forget to label your child's boots. They all look the same!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan. 8: Classes resume

Jan. 31: Grade 5 - 8 Winter Concert

Feb. 1: Ski Trip (tentative)

Feb. 2: Groundhog Day & Inservice Day - no classes

Feb. 19: Louis Riel Day - no classes

Feb. 23: Gr 2/3 & Gr. 3/4 to Festival du Voyageur

Mar. 12: Report cards sent home

Mar. 14: Student-Led Conferences Evening

Mar. 15: Student-Led Conferences Morning

THE SPORTS REPORT



Basketball Season is HERE!

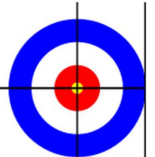


Practices have begun and we will get our game schedule in the New Year.

Fun fact: our Jags go on to leading roles on Sanford Collegiate Sabres teams.

Soccer, Track. Volleyball. Basketball. Curling. Cricket. Badminton.

Come out and play!



**OUR 1/2 AND 2/3 CLASSES
TOTALLY COMMITTED TO
COLOUR DURING SPIRIT WEEK!**

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL OUR
FAMILIES. HAVE A SAFE AND
HAPPY BREAK!**



| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| | Winter Break - No Classes | | | | | |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| | Classes Resume | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | |
| | 6pm - MHRD Yoga - All Levels | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | 11:40am - Friday Canteen! | |
| | 11:40am - Healthy Humans | Kindergarten | | | | |
| | 7:30pm - MHRD Women's | 6pm - Prairie Palette Art | | | | |
| | | 6:45pm - MHRD Fusion | | | | |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| | 6pm - MHRD Yoga - All Levels | | | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | 11:40am - Friday Canteen! |
| | 11:40am - Healthy Humans | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | | |
| | 7:30pm - MHRD Women's | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | | |
| | | 6:45pm - MHRD Fusion | | | | |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| | 6pm - MHRD Yoga - All Levels | | | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | |
| | 11:40am - Healthy Humans | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | 11:40am - Friday Canteen! | |
| | 7:30pm - MHRD Women's | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | Kindergarten | | |
| | 8pm - PAC Meeting via Zoom | 6pm - Prairie Palette Art | | | | |
| | | 6:45pm - MHRD Fusion | | | | |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| | 6pm - MHRD Yoga - All Levels | | | | | |
| | 11:40am - Healthy Humans | Kindergarten | | | | |
| | 7:30pm - MHRD Women's | Kindergarten | | | | |
| | | Kindergarten | | | | |