



Kindergarten

Do you have a child ready for Kindergarten in the fall?

Online enrollment will open Feb. 10th. Current school families have the opportunity to secure a spot for Kindergarten until Feb. 24th. After that Kindergarten will be open to the community on a first come first serve basis.

Re-enrollment update:

Online re-enrollment for the 2012-2013 school year will open on **Feb. 10th**. We will email you instructions on Feb. 10 so you can complete the process.

You will need to complete the online re-enrollment form and pay the re-enrollment fee of \$150/family by February 24th in order to secure your spot for next year and receive the early registration incentive (the \$150/family registration fee applied to next year's tuition costs). After that date, we open enrollment for new families. Re-enrollment is considered complete when all required documentation and the registration fee is received.

QSP Magazine Fundraiser... supporting technology based learning resources at Living Waters!

A simple and easy fundraiser that promotes reading. Info will be sent home Feb 3rd after the fundraiser kick-off! Last year we raised over \$6,000 for SMART Boards through this fundraiser.

Please RENEW any subscriptions that you are currently receiving at your home or office, bring in NEW subscription orders, or give GIFT subscriptions to friends and relatives across Canada. We average \$10 profit per subscription! There are over 600 magazine titles to choose from.

You can order online at www.qsp.ca. Our school code is #2023.

Each online order will give your child double points for the great prizes that are available for students who participate.

Ordering online will ensure your magazines come 4-6 weeks sooner than ordering through the catalogue.

The class that sells the most magazines will receive a classroom party. Come check out the display outside the office where we are tracking the classroom competition.



February 2, 2012

Come to the office to pick up your Pre-school registration package. Registration opens February 1 for the 2012- 2013 school year. **Pre-school Info Night: Tues. Feb. 7, 6:30pm.**

Student Council is hosting Valentines' Day fun!

Come dressed in red, pink or white on Feb. 14 for \$2.

Jeans are allowed as long as the top is in keeping with Valentines' colours.

Guess the amount of candy in the jar for \$1.

Students will be able to participate in a fun heart game during the day.



Living Waters is looking for a librarian. See the job posting on our website under careers.

Savaya Hofsink has been hired as the new Community Resource Director and Lois Curry has been hired as the new Enrollment Director. These jobs will replace Mrs. Fritz's position as the Development Director.

Mr. Penner is back after his trip to the Dominican Republic where he was visiting schools and exploring future partnerships that align with our vision to be an international training community.

Reminder: Please complete the survey sent to you by Alberta Education. We value your input!

Report Cards are coming home... on Friday, Feb. 3rd watch for them in your email inbox! **Parent /Teacher interviews are on Feb. 7th from 4-8pm.** Please call to book an appointment.

Upcoming Events at LWCA:

- Feb. 3 – report cards emailed home
 - Boston Pizza hot lunch
- Feb. 7 - Parent/Teacher interviews 4-8pm
 - Pre-school information night at 6:30pm
- Feb 9 & 10 - **No busses running** due to Parkland Teachers' Convention, school in session for LWCA
- Feb. 10 – Sandyview hot lunch
- Feb. 14 - Valentines' theme dress up day
- Feb. 17 – Dairy Queen hot lunch
- Feb. 20 – Family Day – No school
- Feb. 24 – Re-enrollment deadline
 - Band hotdog lunch

Elementary Updates

Pre-school: Pre-school enjoyed a wonderfully warm day to build our colourful ice castle! Although it was hard to keep the ice frozen enough to keep the blocks together, we sure enjoyed building! It was great to play some outdoor games in the snow and enjoy the fresh crisp air!

Kindergarten: This month we will be focusing on our relationships between family and friends. As a class we will look at God's amazing love for us and what it means to love one another just as Christ loves us. God has given us communities so that we can help one another and share his love.

Grade 1: We had so much fun making boats in our Science class. We used all of the information we had learned in our unit to make sure our boats were stable and would not tip in the water. We are looking forward to having a presenter come and teach our class how to use recycled materials to build our very own zoo!

Grade 2: We have been learning about Jesus ministry in Bible. We are currently discussing the 'Sermon on the Mount' and how Jesus has encouraged us to love our enemies and pray for them. We also talked about showing love to our neighbours and as a class we wrote secret encouragement notes to each other. We are challenged to DO what Jesus tells us to do, and live a life that actively serves Him!

Grade 3: With International Night on the horizon, the Grade 3 students are beginning to work on our project on Peru! On Feb. 6th we will be going to the St. Albert Art Profiles Studio to create traditional Peruvian clay masks which will be featured in our display. Students will learn more about Peruvian art and culture and get their hands dirty creating masks of their own!

Grade 4: The grade 4 class has grown so much this year in their desire to be good stewards of the world around them by reducing, reusing and recycling. How appropriate that they were able to go with the grade 3 class on a field trip to Edmonton Waste Management Center and see what happens to all of the waste in the Edmonton area. May this passion they are developing continue, so they can keep making a difference in the world around them, through their actions and attitudes that bring glory to God!

Grade 5: The Grade 5s are starting to create First Nation dioramas. After learning about First Nation groups in three Canadian regions, they will now demonstrate their learning by creating a scene that illustrates First Nation life.

Grade 6: In Social Studies, students have started a new unit where they are looking at the Haudenosaunee style of government. Through-out this unit students will learn about collective identity, consensus and further develop their mapping skills.

Wave Wear has its USED UNIFORM WINTER SALE on from January 9 to March 21. Please see the flyer attached to Wave Wear's door for items on sale and their prices.

Grade 7: Drama is the grade 7's option for semester 2! Their first assignment is to create a persuasive commercial about a strange object. Students are working on generating emotions in their audience and being persuasive, which ties in nicely with our persuasive writing unit in LA.

Grade 8: We started our study of Japan last week and had challenging and encouraging discussions comparing our spiritual beliefs. The students are also looking forward to beginning their research for International Night.

High School: It is a new semester for high school students. All high school students received their schedules for the new semester last week. Any needed adjustments should be made right away.

Guatemala Update: The Guatemala team is beginning to gather together donations for their trip. Keep your eyes open for the donations list that they will be sending out next week.



Warriors' Basketball

The sr. boys' and girls' teams worked extremely hard last weekend at the Power of Three tournament here in Spruce Grove. Congratulations!

The jr. boys head to Boyle this Friday for a tournament and next weekend (Feb. 10-11) they host their home tournament. The tournament starts at 4pm, and LWCA plays its first game at 5:15pm. Come cheer on our boys!

All the best to Chad N., Elliott V. and Josh W. as they compete in volleyball at the Alberta Winter Games Feb. 9-12.

Warriors' Running

Journal Games practices will take place on Mondays during the lunch hour and Fridays after school through March. Races begin in February. We are looking forward to another exciting year at the Edmonton Journal Games!

We would like to congratulate the following students on achieving Honour Roll for Term #2.

Honour roll is achieved when a student has an overall average of 80% or more, no mark below 70%, a good attitude and effort displayed throughout the term, all scripture memory completed, and no numeric descriptor below 3.

Grade 7: Cody F., Morgan F., Jenna H., Clarissa H., James L., Eli S., Garyn T., & Laron W.

Grade 8: Carmel B., Megan B., Jonathan C., Sam C., Karissa F., Cheyenne G., Miranda H., Nicola J., Aaron L., Carly P., Aaron P., Kyle Q., Victor S., & Jaden W.

Grade 9: Mackenzie C., Aaron G., Sammi H., Chad N., Dallyn P., Bradon Q., Tianna S., Taryn S., Ocean S., & Elliott V.

Grade 10: Therese B., Kerri B., Kennedy F., Will M., Liam O., Daniel R., & Anna S.

Grade 11: Susanna B., Colby H., Zack K., Rae L., Amberlee N., Savannah P., & Preston V.

Grade 12: Reyna H., Presley P., Tim P., & Patricia Z.

Calling All Adult Musicians: There is an amazing opportunity to participate in our orchestra for The Sound of Music. Come, be a part of our community and musical history. Contact Mr. Fritz right away (joe.fritz@lwca.ab.ca)!