

Hidden Valley Elementary School Newsletter

Newsletter #7

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HVS School Council News

The HVS School Council meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 10th at 6:00 p.m. in the School Library. All parents are welcome.

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Spring Break is almost here. Among other things, report cards are here. Your child's report card has two main aspects. One is to show you how your child is doing compared to expectations for that grade level and the other is to suggest what your child needs to improve on. The term two or March report cards are important in both of these areas. If you have any questions about the reports or would like to meet with your child's teacher, please call the school to make arrangements. The next four months will be busy, and they inevitably fly by. Please do pay close attention to the report card comments, including how to support you child at home.

Sincerely, Riana Robinson Principal

Report Cards are going home on Friday, March 6, 2015.



Husky Helper Winner for the Month of January Cadence H.



February's winners will be drawn at our next parade on March 3rd.

Polar Games 2015

The grade 6 students enjoyed taking part in this year's Polar Games on Feb. 6 & 7. The students took school buses to various schools in Whitehorse to participate in bowling, curling, handball, mini-basketball, soccer and swimming. Whitehorse Elementary hosted the dance again this year. It was a lot of fun and a great success!

Report To The Office

We would like to remind parents to use the main entrance only, and to report to the office on arrival at school.

Thank you for keeping Hidden Valley School Peanut Free.



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Rayden K.	Ada S.
Dawson W.	Ronin T.
Olivia P.	Linnea R.
Olivia B.	

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2015-16 Kindergarten Registration for Whitehorse-area children

Attention: Parents/guardians of Whitehorse-area children born in 2010.

It is time to sign up your child for Kindergarten! Registering early helps Yukon Education accommodate all our new students. Spots are assigned based on attendance area, other siblings at the school, and the order in which applications are received.

To register in French first language Kindergarten at École Émilie-Tremblay, visit or call the school directly at 867-667-8150. For more information about École Émilie-Tremblay please visit csfy.ca.

For all other Whitehorse-area schools, here's how to start registration:

- Visit Yukon Education's website at education.gov.yk.ca and choose the "Kindergarten to Grade 12" section. Everything you need will be found here.
- Find out which schools are in your neighbourhood by checking "Attendance areas".
- Use the online form under "Kindergarten registration" to enter your child's information, select
 the school in your attendance area, and provide your contact information. This form can be
 submitted beginning February 9 at 9:00 a.m.

To register your child in a Catholic school, you must also complete an additional application. Visit the "Catholic Schools" page for information.

Due to the limited number of spots at École Whitehorse Elementary, spots will be assigned first to students with a sibling at the school. A random draw from applications received between February 9-13 will be used to fill the remaining spots and establish a wait list. Applications received after February 13 will be added to the wait list in the order they are received.

Within four weeks of completing the form, you will receive information about which school has
reserved a spot for your child and what steps to take to complete your child's registration.

If you need help completing the online form, or if you don't have access to a computer, please call or visit any Whitehorse-area school office or the Department of Education (867-667-5141) to have staff complete the form with you.

Basketball

Our Gr. 5/6/7 boys and girls participated in the Yukon Championships on February 13th. All our players worked hard work and put in a great effort! The students put in a lot of hours practicing in the mornings, during lunch recesses and after school improving their skills and team spirit. Thank you to our coaches, Mr. Harms, Ms. Tiana, Ms. Boardman and Colin Teramura!



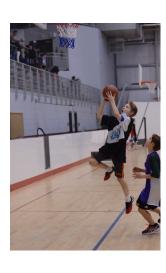


















Wall of Fame

We have started a Wall of Fame at school. Please send all newspaper articles/clippings of Hidden Valley Students excelling in activities at school.

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Upcoming Events

Parade @ 11:00 a.m.	Mar. 3
Report Cards go Home	Mar. 6
Bison Hunt Begins	Mar. 7
School Council Meeting @ 6:00 pm	Mar. 10
Primary's @ Kwanlin Dun Cultural Centre for French Performance (11:55 am—2:20pm)	Mar. 11
Bison Hunters Return	Mar. 12
Spring Break	Mar. 16-27
Good Friday (No School)	Apr. 3
Easter Monday (No School)	Apr. 6
Bridge Building Contest at PCSS	Apr. 11
Wrestling Tournament	Apr. 15
Parade @ 11:00 a.m.	Apr. 21
Bison Feast	Apr. 30