

April News from Erle Rivers High School



OFFICE NOTES:

It's hard to believe that we have 3 months left before the end of another great school year! Where has the time gone?! Report cards will be going home early this month. Parents are reminded that if they have any concerns regarding their child's progress, they are welcome to contact their teacher at any time. Power School is also available for parents of students in high school and their marks are available online.

Our school has unfortunately been experiencing vandalism. During the last weekend of March we had some damage done to our school track. Someone in a Dodge Crew Cab with a lift kit decided that they would take a joy ride on our track which caused damage to the area. Soon our students will need the area to practice track and field so it is important that it is looked after. We want to thank the community members who called the RCMP to report the truck activity and request that you continue to do so when you see suspicious activity at our building. We have also recently had a window broken. Damage to our school does have an impact on our students, please let's work together as a community to keep our school in the best condition we can.

UPCOMING DATES:

Report Cards home on April 5th.

3 on 3 Green Shirt Tournament & Pancake breakfast on April 5th.

No School April 19th-28th Easter Break.



ATHLETICS:

Baseball and softball season has started with our first games happening in the first week of April. We are hoping that the snow will be gone and that the fields will be ready for play. The community is always welcome to come cheer on the Comets or Novas. Keep an eye on our Facebook Page for information regarding games and times.

Badminton season has started and we have a number of middle school students who have signed up to show interest. Practices are after school on Mondays.

STUDENT EXPERIENCES & SUCCESSES:

We had a great time travelling at a school to watch the University Men's Cup. Once again we would like to thank the Town of Milk River for their support as it was the proceeds from the community dinner in December which helped fund the buses for the event.

Students have also been busy with activities such as participating in the Watershed Poster contest, cake decorating, guitar lessons with Ted Swanson & ukulele lessons with Mrs. Stewart & Mrs. Garber, attending sessions at "Fix It" auto and having rules of the road reviews with Const. Fyfe. We are thankful for the contributions community members make to help us offer experiences for students.

This is our last call for volunteers to help with offering their skills & services with Experience Week from May 6-10th. We would like to our students to select their experiences prior to the Easter Break so that we can get appropriate supplies, etc. If you have something you think you could share with us, please contact Barb Arend, principal, at barbara.arend@horizon.ab.ca.

Our ERHS art students will be hiding painted rocks for people to find, share, or re-hide. We hope you have fun with this initiative as we try to bring a little colour and happiness to our community!