



# Beacon Hill Bulletin

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Chinook's Edge School  
Division #73

March  
2024



## Spread Kindness on Pink Shirt Day!

- 1 Hot Lunch—Mr. Mike's; T/Th Kinder
- 5 PAC Meeting @ 8pm (online)
- 8 No School; Order Deadline—Chocolates & Coffee Orders
- 10 Daylight Savings Time!
- 11/ 15 Pound It Hip Hop Classes/ Presentation for whole school
- 15 St. Patrick's Day—Wear Green; Hot Lunch—Boston Pizza; Deadline for April Hot Lunches; M/W Kinder
- 21 Crazy Sock Day
- 22 T/Th Kinder
- 24 No School—Good Friday



### Welcome to Kindergarten!

Registration began on January 8; Chinook's Edge is now accepting Kindergarten registrations for the 2024-2025 school year. Children must turn five years old by December 31, 2024 to begin attending Kindergarten in the fall of 2024. All registrations need to be done online – please visit our website at [www.cesd73.ca](http://www.cesd73.ca) for Kindergarten information, including the Chinook's Edge schools that offer Pre-Kindergarten programming.



**Important:** All parents please sign in at the office when you are visiting the school. Parents that are volunteering please sign in and get a volunteer tag from the office.

### Next Parent Council Meeting

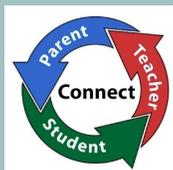
March 5 @ 8:00pm  
To join the meeting, use the link provided under the 'Parent Council' tab on the website.

Please do not send snacks or lunch to school with your child that could contain any kind of nuts or peanuts. It puts others at unnecessary risk.



## Parent/Teacher Interviews

Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held on April 10 & 11. In order to have an interview with your child's teacher, please sign up using the link that will be available on the BHES website—click the Parent/Teacher Interviews tab near the top of the screen. The links will not be available until the week of March 25—29.



If you need assistance, please call the school office at 403-887-8455.

## Grade 6 Basketball Camp

Beacon Hill will be offering a basketball camp for any interested Grade 6 students. The camp will run every Thursday for the dates of March 7—28 and Wednesday, April 3 after school from 3:15—4:15 pm. The camp will end with a tournament, where the participants will play with teams from another school. We encourage interested parents to help coach. Students must have indoor athletic shoes, gym strip, a good attitude, and great behavior. No skill is required!



## Chocolate & Coffee Fundraiser

The BHES PAC is holding a 'Chocolate & Coffee' fundraiser from February 16—March 8. All orders will be available for pick up in the BHES library on March 27, just in time for Easter!

Coffee: Order coffee, choc-covered coffee beans, and gourmet cookie dough: [WHITE FROG](#)

[COFFEE ORDER FORM](#)

Chocolate: Order Purdys chocolate that will arrive in time for Easter. Use the following link:

<https://fundraising.purdys.com/1924570-117057>

## Pound It Presentations

From March 11—13, Sebastien from Pound It Dance Studio will be in BHES teaching lessons in Hip Hop to all students.

At the end of the week, the students will showcase their skills at a presentation in the BHES gym starting at 2:15 pm.

Parents are welcome to attend the presentation.

## BEACON HILL Literacy Read-a-Thon

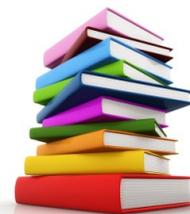
We are excited to once again hold our BHES Literacy Read-a-Thon. This year, we will not be taking pledges or money! All of our students will be expected to participate in the reading component of the event.

### Here's how it works:

1. Teachers will help individual students to set a **Realistic Daily Reading Goal** for the Literacy Read-a-Thon. Student goals will include reading/literacy practice and a specified length of time that they are expected to read. Goal setting will look quite different from grade to grade. All forms of reading will count. This will include, but not be limited to: letter recognition practice, sounds and blends practice, sight words practice, reading, listening to reading, discussing and reflecting on their reading and writing about what they have read.

2. **Daily Home Reading:** On **April 1, 2024**, your child will begin reading and continue to read for the month of April (**April 1 - April 30**). You and your child will record their daily reading. To do this, you will use a **Reading Log**, which is provided as part of the package that will come home later this month. Parents/Guardians can verify each day's reading by initialing or signing on the corresponding line.

3. **Home-Reading Logs** are to be returned to the School (homeroom teacher) on Thursday, May 2. The more reading, the better! Enjoy the month of connectedness as you spend time reading!



Please be advised that there is **NO** playground supervision **before 8:20am or after 3:20pm**. Students are expected to go home after school before going to the playground.

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