

Harkins Heart Beat News

March 2016

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Mission Statement

Harkins Elementary is committed to maintaining a positive and respectful environment where children are nurtured and feel safe. Each child will be given the opportunity, encouragement, and support to develop to their fullest potential, socially and academically.



March 2—Mad Science

March 4—Winter Activity Day

March 7-11—March Break

March 16—The Big Crunch

March 16—Last Day of Mad Science

March 17—TNB Production for Students

March 17—St. Patrick's Day

March 20—First Day of Spring

March 25—Good Friday No School

March 27—Easter

March 28—Easter Monday No School

March 29—Report Cards go home

March 31—Skating 3H, 4D at 8:45, 5H at 10:00

March 31—Parent Teacher Interviews 4-6 pm

April 1—No School, Parent Teacher Interviews 9-12 am Professional Development pm

Skating Dates

Our final date for skating this year will be on Thursday, March 31st with grades 3H and 4D going at 8:45 and 5H going at 10:00

Please ensure that your child comes to school with the proper clothing to participate.

*Please note that the K-2 Students will not be going skating in March due to the TNB Production.

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Staff Appreciation Week

Thank you to the Harkins Elementary Home and School for treating us so well during Staff Appreciation Week. The daily treats, Friday lunch, and goodie bags is certainly appreciated!

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Report Cards

Report Cards will go home on Tuesday, March 29th.

Parent Teacher Interviews will be Thursday, March 31st from 4-6 pm and Friday, April 1st from 9-12 am.



Just a reminder that March Break is a week later this year. The dates are **March 7-11**.



Harkins Treasures—February 2016

<u>Kindergarten</u> <u>Grade 1</u> <u>Grade 2</u>

David Gifford Chevy Guimond Vanson Martin
Lily Guimond Lily Kingston Serena Pellerin
Blair Hambrook Jorden Morris Jacob Saunders

Riley Jardine Kady Smith

Jasper Knight

Devan Lumsden

Austin Mullin

Grade 3 Grade 4 Grade 5

Madison Breau-Sherrard Carson Ceretti Sasha Black

George Bruce Matt Galliah Lindsay Denny





On Friday, March 4th we will be having our Winter Activity Day. In the morning students will be participating in various activities and in the afternoon Remi the Magician will be performing. Some of the activities include: K-2 students, rocks/rings, balloon volleyball, obstacle course. 3-5 floor ball, snow soccer, winter baseball. Morning recess snack will be provided by the school and pizza and milk will be provided for lunch by the Home & School. Children do not need to bring a lunch unless they don't like pizza.

The Big Crunch

On Wednesday, March 16th we will be joining other schools in Canada in taking one big bite towards healthy living.

The 'Great Big Crunch' is geared towards learning about healthy eating and local and global food systems by using apples as the centerpiece for activities on cooking and tasting, nutrition, soil and composting, sustainability, and community development

Lost and Found

We have an ever-growing number of items in the Lost and Found. These items range from sweaters, to hoodies, to jackets. These items are located in the Breakfast room, hung up on the hooks. If you notice your child is missing an item, please come to the school and check the Breakfast Room for the items.

Mad Science

The last day for Mad Science will now be on Wednesday, March 16th due to the cancellation of the February 24th session.



