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THE COMMUNITY SCHOOL OF DETTAH



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A Message from Miss Lamoureux

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Community Members:

January was a very busy month at KTW! Students have been working diligently on writing, and teachers participated in marking writing samples at YKI.

As part of our Aboriginal Role Models Program, we welcomed Dr Nicole Redvers (Naturopath), and Author Richard Van Camp.

We also had the first of our twice annual Yoga Weeks with Ms Tonge. In addition, our KTW families were given their 3 month flex-passes, giving access to the pool, rink and field house; many thanks to DTP NWT, Sip Smart and Screen Smart for their support with this new initiative!

Please remember our open door policy. Thank you for your continued support. Sincerely, Lea Lamoureux, Principal

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SPECIAL KTW
MASHI/THANK YOU TO:

Tina Crookedhand for making bannock for our lunch program!

WELCOME BACK: Mrs
Drygeese!

Dene Kede Theme:

Trees

Dene Law of the Month:

Be polite and speak kindly



LEGO CLUB



SEWING CLUB

NEWS FROM PRE-SCHOOL



WE HAVE BEEN HAVING LOTS OF FUN IN PRE-SCHOOL THIS MONTH! WE ARE FINISHING OUR DANCE PROGRAM WITH LINA BALL, WHERE WE FOCUSED ON MOVEMENT AND MUSIC. THIS WAS GREAT TO HELP US DEVELOP OUR GROSS MOTOR SKILLS.

WE HAVE BEEN SPENDING LOTS OF TIME READING BOOKS, DOING DIFFERENT KINDS OF ART, AND USING OUR IMAGINATIONS TO PLAY. WE HAVE REALLY ENJOYED USING MASKS, AND DRESS UP CLOTHES TO PRETEND THIS MONTH.

WE HAVE BEEN COUNTING AND PRACTICING OUR COLOURS IN THE WELEDEH DIALECT. WE EVEN MADE SPARKLY, FLUFFY PINK TUTUS!

NEWS FROM MR PENNEY



IN MATH THIS MONTH, WE ARE CONTINUING ON WITH OUR LEARNING ABOUT PATTERNS AND GEOMETRY. WE ARE LOOKING AT SHAPES IN OUR EVERYDAY LIVES, AND LEARNING ABOUT MEASUREMENT, RANGING FROM HOW TO MEASURE SOMETHING, TO CALCULATING THE PERIMETER OF AN OBJECT.

IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, WE ARE FINISHING OUR SUPER HERO UNIT, AND COMPLETING LOTS OF DIFFERENT PIECES OF WRITING, INCLUDING STORIES AND FRIENDLY LETTERS. WE ARE WORKING TO EDIT OUR WRITING FOR CAPITALS, END PUNCTUATION, AND TO MAKE SURE IT MAKES SENSE TO OUR READERS.

THIS MONTH, WE WILL CONTINUE TO PRACTICE VOCABULARY WORDS IN THE WELEDEH DIALECT, AND WILL BE LEARNING ABOUT TREES IN DENE KEDE.

NEWS FROM MS MESSENGER



In Language Arts we are continuing on with our poetry unit, as well as starting to learn how to write persuasively. In Math we are finishing up our unit on Fractions and moving on to Geometry. In Social Studies we are finishing up our unit on European Explorers. Come check out our display case of models from our Explorer project! In Phys Ed we are taking advantage the beautiful winter wonderland that we live in and exploring the trails on cross country skis and snow shoes! In Dene Kede we are learning how trees are important to the Dene Culture. In Science we will be starting our unit on Weather. Thank you to everyone who is coming to school on time by nine!

ON TIME BY
NINE

**RECOGNITION
EVENTS**

February 9

Lego Bash

February 24

**Smoothies and
Snacks**

**Canadian Tire
Money Fundraiser**

It's time again for the annual
KTW Canadian Tire Money
fundraiser!

All funds raised go toward the
purchase of items needed for
school programming; including
lunch and cooking programs!

We'll collect money until
March Break. Please support
our school!

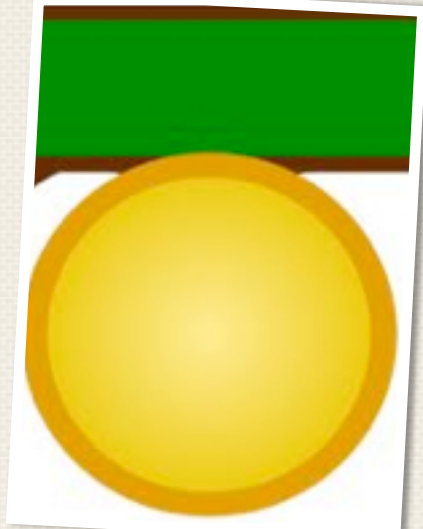


SAFETY FIRST

AT KTW, THE FIRST STUDENT TO
ARRIVE IN THE MORNING IS
ALLOWED TO WAIT INSIDE UNTIL
ANOTHER STUDENT ARRIVES.

WE DO THIS SO NO STUDENT
MUST STAY OUTSIDE ALONE IN
THE DARK.

CHILDREN SHOULD NOT ARRIVE
BEFORE 8:30, AS THE SCHOOL IS
LOCKED UNTIL THEN. ALL
STUDENTS COME INSIDE AT 8:45.



**BELL TIME
REMINDER**

STARTING IN JANUARY, THE BELL
WILL RING AT 8:30 AM AND THEN
AGAIN AT 8:45 AM.

THIS IS TO ASSIST FAMILIES IN
KNOWING THAT IT IS TIME TO
GET READY, AND THEN GO TO
SCHOOL.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

**ALARM
CLOCKS
AVAILABLE!**

Do you need some help getting to
school on time?

Do you need some help getting your
child(ren) to school on time?

KTW has continued our
Alarm Clock Program again
this year.

See or call Miss Lamoureux
for details!

