

REED RANCH ROUND UP RR 1, SITE 5, BOX 12 OLDS, AB T4H 1P2 (403) 556-2429

February 2024

Hot Dog Day Thursday, Feb. 1 & 15 Order online <u>here</u> Or through student quick pay on our website.Please <u>DO NOT</u> e-transfer Parent Council this money as it is a School fundraiser.

Hot Dogs sell for \$1 each.Hot dog days are usually the 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month. Please check the calendar on our website www.reedranch.ca



Pizza Day Thursday, Feb. 8th Order forms can be found here or at www.reedranch.ca We really enjoy our pizza days and would like to thank everyone involved to make this lunch possible.



We remind you that we do not provide water bottles or cutlery for packed lunches. PLEASE remember to pack them in your child's lunch kit.

Thank you.

Daily Schedule

8:24 classes begin 10:15-10:30 morning recess 12:00-12:15 lunch recess 12:15-12:30 lunch time 2:00-2:15 afternoon recess 3:30 dismissal







Ms. Tetzlaff	Ms. Machell / Ms. Tetzlaff	Ms. Cranston	Mr. Seidel	
ECS Class:	EA Mrs. Schafer	EA Mrs. Lecerf	Grade 5/6 Class:	
Ryleigh	Grade 1/2 Class:	Grade 3/4 Class:	Joe	
Jessie	Aliza	William	Charlie	
Addison	Logan	Thomas	Gracie	
Rhett	Cristopher	Xander	Ella	
Miles	Cecilia	Cheyenne	William	
Karen	Braxton	Charlie	Evelyn	
	Marcus	Abi	Conner	
	Wyatt	Natalia	Gavin	
	Austin P.	Jax	Emily	
	Railee	Ethan	Eric	
	Leo	Everly	Hayley	
	Havana	Colton	Kingston	
	Ella	Blake	Sophia	
	Declan	Rhen	Caleb	
	Ben	Daniel	Olivia	
Don't forget:	Sophie	Hannah	Justice	
Ms. Bennett	Hunter	Alaya		
Mr. Larouche Mrs. G. Ms. Kaci	Zayne	Jace		
	Austin H.	Matina		
	Myles	Carson		
	Riley			

****Note from your child's teacher will let you know about classroom parties.**

Reed Ranch School FUNDRAISING

WITH

West Coast Seeds February 5th - 15th



1. Visit fundraising.westcoastseeds.com or scan above QR Code

2. Click shop to select your favourite varieties

3. Click checkout and select Reed Ranch PAC as the organization

4. Enter your contact information

5. Confirm your order and checkout

6. Your Order will be available for pick up at the Reed Ranch School at the end of March

> For any questions or help contact Krista McInnis @ 403-586-4035



Read the Parent Council January Meeting Minutes here.



Playground Proposal Please read more here about this exciting project. Reed Ranch School PLAYGROUND CONLINE FUNDRAISING AUCTION We are Collecting ITEMS!

> Items will be registered for an Online Auction with Rosehill Auction Services for Spring 2024! All funds raised will be donated to our Playground Fund.

Items ideas we are looking for are:

- Homemade Items
- Home Decor
- Baked/Canned Goods
- Vintage/Antique Items
- Gift Certificates for Goods or Services
- Etc... Be Creative!

Please Contact Dean Duquette reedranchparentcouncil@gmail.com



The first report card of the year went home last Tuesday, providing an opportunity to celebrate your child's growth and accomplishments thus far this year. Our next scheduled Parent Teacher Interview Night will be in mid April, but as always, if you have questions or concerns regarding your child's academic or social progress, do reach out to your child's teacher.

We are excited to have all Reed Ranch students participating in the Kiwanis Music Festival in Olds this year. Performances will be in the morning on March 19th. We will share more information on times as the date grows closer and schedules are released. Thank you to the Parent Council for helping with busing costs.

Students also had the opportunity to vote on a mascot for their school last week. From a selection of 6 animals, the horse was the top pick. Once we have our design finalized, we will share it with families!

Wishing you all a good February!

Sincerely,

Erin Machell





Like and follow our <u>Facebook</u> <u>page</u> to see what's happening at our School.

Ms. Tetzlaff's Kindergarten Class



Happy February! Our themes for this month will include winter, friendship and bears.

<u>Language arts:</u> we will continue to focus on various winter stories and work on how to retell a story as well as learning how to sequence the events of the stories. We've been taking an in depth look at <u>The Mitten</u> story and we will continue on with helping students develop their retelling skills. This is an important skill in becoming a strong reader. Students can view/listen to the story using this link:



We are continuing to work on learning letter recognition and also the *sounds* of the alphabet and working in our Jolly Phonics books on our printing skills.

<u>Math -</u> We are continuing to work on number recognition(building, drawing, and printing numbers from 0 to 10). The kids will continue subitizing numbers 1-5 and will eventually move towards 6-10. Subitizing means being able to recognize numbers at a glance without counting.

<u>Social Studies - We will continue on our 'Me' Unit and what makes us unique.</u>

<u>Science</u> - We will continue investigating our <u>Five Senses</u> (see, taste, smell, touch, hear).

Happy Valentine's Day and have a wonderful February! I appreciate all your continued support!

Ms. Tetzlaff





Language Arts

We are continuing to build stamina in our young students in both reading and writing.

<u>Math:</u> In Math we are working on number bonds to support understanding of addition and subtraction.

<u>Social Studies:</u> We are learning about "Belonging in our community"

Science We have started our Energy unit which focuses on investigating Sound and Light.

Little Reminder:



Please make sure your child has the appropriate clothing to keep warm and DRY when they go outside. You may also want to send some extra mitts, socks and pants just in case the ones they are wearing get wet.

Happy February!



Learning More in 3 and 4!

Language Arts: We are moving into our non-fiction unit. Students are looking at asking and answering questions, features of non-fiction text such as glossaries and captions, and finding the best information. In grammar we are looking at subject/verb and noun/pronoun agreement.



Math: We are moving on the division. Grade 3's will be looking at splitting things evenly between groups and basic division facts related to multiplication facts up to 5x5. Grade 4's will be looking at basic division facts related to multiplication facts up to 9x9, as well as beginning long division.

Social Studies: We are looking at the history of Alberta, beginning with our First Nations, and through immigration from Europe and the fur trade.

Science: We are exploring Newtons's laws of motion, and how we can change the amount and direction of forces to make work easier.





Grade 5/6. February Schedule.

Language Learning.

Reading different types of literary texts - articles, journals, cartoons, speeches, etc.

Creative writing - writing speeches.

Cursive Writing - letters S, T, and U.

Math.

Grade 5 -

Patterns and algebra. Measurement

Grade 6 –

- Patterns and algebra.
- Measurement

Social Studies

Democracy - Ancient Greece.

- Iroquois Society.

Science .

Evidence and Investigation - tire prints, foot prints, finger prints, chromatography, missing people, and many other mysterious things.

Options.

- Reader's Theater.

<u>Art 5/6.</u>

Valentine's Day art projects and abstract art and art using mixed mediums..







Matina in Grade Four on Feb. 4 Emily in Grade Six on Feb. 6 Sophia in Grade Six on Feb. 17 Thomas in Grade Three on Feb. 20 Sophie in Grade One on Feb. 25 And Cecilia in Grade One on Feb. 26







We are currently looking for School bus drivers in all areas. If you are interested in becoming a school bus driver please apply online at www.cesd73.ca under Careers/Casual Support Staff, by email at transportation@cesd73.ca or by calling our office at 403-227-7072

FEBRUARY 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1 Round Up published HAT Day Hot Dog Day	2 School Day- Slide to Friday	3
4	5	6	7	8 Pizza Day Red, Pink,Purple Day Science Fair	9	10
11	12	13	14 Valentine's Day	15 WCS Fundraiser closes Hot Dog Day Stuffed Animal Day	16	17
18	19 Family Day Holiday Winter Break - No School	20 Winter Break - No School	21 Winter Break - No School	22 Teachers' Convention- No School	23 Teachers' Convention- No School	24
25	26	27	28 Pink Shirt Day	29 Backwards Day Hot Lunch - Meatballs & Rice, Fruit salad & Cupcakes	1	2