



MARCH 2024 HARROW SCHOOL



February has come and gone! We began the month with a great start to I LOVE TO READ. There were guest readers who came to the school such as Lloyd the Intern or better known as LTI, from HOT 103. We were visited by constables from the WPS and many other amazing guest readers to name a few. Students were given a reading challenge/trivia every morning and on February 23, everyone had an opportunity to dress up as their favourite storybook character. Thank you to our PAC who purchased prizes for our book challenges.

On February 21, we hosted our first Numeracy Night. We had well over 75 parents/guardians in attendance. During the evening, students were able to visit classrooms and engage in fun numeracy activities such as robotics and probability challenges. There were many activities throughout the school that encouraged students to engage in numeracy skills such as estimation and measurement. Math should always be fun!

Last month, the Grade 4 students began the Swimming Counts Program. In this program, the students learn basic water safety skills. The students will be going to Pan Am Pool for 3 sessions. The program is in partnership with the City of Winnipeg.

We have received many visitors to our school. On February 6th, our new Superintendent, Matt Henderson, visited the school. On February 21st, Lorelei Bunkowsky, our Assistant Superintendent visited the school for the second time. The purpose of their visit was to get to know the students and staff of Harrow School. They toured the school and were delighted to meet all the students and staff. They found our school to be welcoming and the students were engaged and eager to meet them. On February 14, Harrow School opened its' doors to the south end schools. We hosted the South End Advisory Committee. There were many in attendance representing the schools in the south of the WSD.

On February 28, Room 12 (Ms. Dias' class) hosted the assembly on LOVE. They led the whole school through the teaching of LOVE and the significance it plays in our lives, both in and out of the classroom and in school.

The weather has taken a turn on us. Today it feels like spring, tomorrow we get a couple of inches of snow. It is extremely important that students dress accordingly for the temperatures of the day. Often, students feel the need to take their jackets off or not wear all the outer gear sent with them to school. This is creating a problem with the staff out on duty. Our stance has always been that they wear what they brought to school that day. We monitor the weather closely. It is encouraged that all students going for recess dress well for the outdoor elements. Please discuss this with your child(ren). We want all out students to be safe and protected from cold temperatures.

Report Card season is fast approaching us. Term II report cards will be emailed out on March 12th. Student Led Conferences will be an opportunity for your child to lead you through their learning. It is also an opportunity for you to discuss your child's learning with the classroom teacher. The conferences will be on Thursday, March 14th from 3:45 pm to 7:30 pm and on Friday, March 15th from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. We will once again be using school interviews, a computer application for you to book the desired times for the conferencing. If an interpreter is needed, please do not hesitate to contact the school or your child's teacher.

We have begun the planning for 2024-2025 school year. Intention forms will be sent home shortly. Please communicate your intentions for next year to your child's classroom teacher. We are accepting new registrations for students going into Nursery right up to Grade 6.

We will be having Spirit Week on Monday, March 18 to Friday, March 22 (see calendar for spirit days).

We would like to wish all our students and their families/guardians a well-deserved Spring Break. Spring Break will be from March 25 to March 29. Classes resume Monday, April 1st (Day 1)

Happy Spring, Mr. F. Batista

Please note:

The best way to communicate an absence is through safe arrival or email harrow@wsd1.org

You can also call the school at 204-453-3347

Please make sure to contact the office even if you message the teacher on seesaw. They could be away for the day.

PLEASE EMAIL THE SCHOOL AT HARROW@WSD1.ORG IF YOU HAVE A CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR IF YOU HAVE A NEW PHONE NUMBER.

IF YOUR CHILD(REN) WILL BE AWAY FROM SCHOOL FOR ANY REASON, PLEASE CALL SAFE ARRIVAL AT 1-855-278-4513 TO REPORT THE ABSENCE.



YOU MAY ALSO VISIT [HTTPS://GO.SCHOOLMESSENGER.CA](https://go.schoolmessenger.ca) OR DOWNLOAD THE APP TO REPORT ABSENCES.

THANK YOU FOR INPUTTING ABSENCES INTO THE SAFE ARRIVAL SYSTEM.

PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU ARE PICKING UP YOUR CHILD EARLY, PLEASE CALL THE SCHOOL. THE SYSTEM IS MOSTLY USED FOR ABSENCES AND LATES.

PAC LUNCH PROGRAM

LUNCH PROGRAM FEES ARE DUE BY THE END OF THE MONTH.

Please contact Angela Jones Lunch Program Co-ordinator at: harrowlunchprogram@live.ca if you have any questions or concerns.

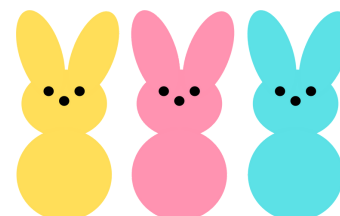
Lunch program will now be accepting e-transfer via harrowlunchprogram@live.ca. You will need to send an e-transfer every month.

Please include student name and month of payment when you are sending an e-transfer.



IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED YOUR TAX RECEIPT, PLEASE CONTACT ANGELA JONES

MARCH



M	T	W	TH	F
				1 DAY 3 WINTER FUN FRIDAY (PM) GR. 4-5 ROOM 8 & 12 CODING CLUB @ 12:30 GR. 6 FIELD TRIP TO ELECTRICAL MUSEUM
4 DAY 4 STUDENT INTENTION FORMS SENT HOME STUDENT-LED BOOKING LINK OPEN 4PM	5 DAY 5 CLASS PICTURE DAY	6 DAY 6 PAC MEETING @ 6:15 IN THE LIBRARY	7 DAY 1 GR. 4 SWIMMING COUNTS @ PAN AM POOL MYRCA @ 12:30	8 DAY 2
11 DAY 3 GR. 4-5 ROOM 8 & 12 CODING CLUB @ 12:30	12 DAY 4 STUDENT-LED BOOKING LINK CLOSED 8PM REPORT CARDS SENT HOME VIA EMAIL GR 4-6 BADMINTON INTRAMURAL	13 DAY 5	14 DAY 6 STUDENT-LED CONFERENCES 3:45-7:30 MYRCA @ 12:30	15 DAY 1 NO SCHOOL - PD STUDENT-LED CONFERENCES 9:00-12:00
18 DAY 2 DECORATE YOUR DOOR DAY	19 DAY 3 CULTURAL DAY GR. 4-5 ROOM 8 & 12 CODING CLUB @ 12:30	20 DAY 4 COLOUR DAY PIZZA HOT LUNCH GR 4-6 BADMINTON INTRAMURAL	21 DAY 5 CRAZY HAT DAY	22 DAY 6 PYJAMA DAY MOVIE (PM)

SPIRIT WEEK LAST WEEK OF MARCH

PAC MEETING DATES

PAC MEETINGS ARE ON THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH.

- Wednesday, Mar 6, 2024 @ 6:15 p.m.
- Wednesday, Apr 3, 2024 @ 6:15 p.m.
- Wednesday, May 8, 2024 @ 6:15 p.m.
- Wednesday, June 5, 2024 @ 6:15 p.m.

BE THE INSPIRATION

Winnipeg School Division is hiring

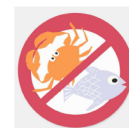
When our students see themselves in the people around them, they are inspired to succeed. Be part of our community of inspiration.

JOIN US



STOP!

Do not bring fish, shellfish, peanuts or nut products into Harrow School.



No Fish or Shellfish



No Tree Nuts



No Peanut Butter



No Peanuts

IMPORTANT DATES

APRIL

- 1 - school re-opens after spring break
- 3 - PAC Meeting @ 6:15 p.m.
- 3 - grades 4-6 field trip to Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra
- 10 - Day of Pink
- 19 - NO SCHOOL (Admin Day)
- 24 - bus ridership
- 26 - Pizza hot lunch



MAY

- 3 - Gr. 6 Immunization
- 6 - NO SCHOOL (Admin Day)
- 8 - PAC Meeting @ 6:15 p.m.
- 10 - Custodial Day
- 20 - NO SCHOOL (Victoria Day)
- 22 - Welcome to Kinder (5:30-6:30 p.m.)
- 24 - Pizza hot lunch



JUNE

- 5 - PAC Meeting @ 6:15 p.m.
- 6 - Room 1 + 4 field trip to Morning Sound Farm
- 13+14 - Camp Manitou
- 20 - activity day
- 21 - National Indigenous Peoples Day
- 25 - Gr 6 Farewell
- 26 - report cards sent home via email
- 27 - NO SCHOOL (Harrow School)
- 28 - early dismissal @ 11:30 a.m.



**HARROW SCHOOL
PARENT ADVISORY
LUNCH COUNCIL
PROGRAM**

We Are Hiring!

**MONDAY-FRIDAY
11:45 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.**

We are looking for **lunch program supervisors** .
If you or anyone you know is interested in applying, please email or call:
Angela Jones , Lunch Program Coordinator
harrowlunchprogram@live.ca OR 204-799-3236
harrow@wsd1.org OR 204-453-3347

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

\$15.50 per hour

Monday-Friday 11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

- Must be at least 16 years of age;
- Ability to communicate effectively with school-age children and engage with fun activities;
- Ability to supervise lunchroom and playground activities;
- Ability to follow oral and written instructions;
- CPR and First Aid would be considered an asset;

Offer of employment will be subject to the results of a Criminal Record Check (including Vulnerable Sector Search) and clear report from the Child Abuse Registry.



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