

Spitzee March Newsletter

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School fees for the 2020/2021 school year are now due. To pay these you can either send a cheque or cash to the school or they can be paid online through your Maplewood/Edsembli account

at: <https://connect.edsembli.com/AB/FSD/SES/Portal/viewer/Login/Login.aspx?logintype=P> (this link is also on our Spitzee School webpage under the Parent Tab)

If you do not remember your login information please contact Mrs. LeRoux or Mrs. Perceval at the office to have your login resent to you.

Screening for the classes of 2034 & 2035

Jr. Kindergarten & Kindergarten Registration is open and you can call to register at any time. Space and preferred days get snapped up quickly so tell your friends and family and sign up today! (403) 652-2376.

KINDERGARTEN VIRTUAL SCREENING

Students who are currently enrolled in the Spitzee Jr. Kindergarten program will have face-to-face screening as they are already part of the Spitzee cohort. However, due to COVID, students who are not attending Spitzee will have their Kindergarten Screening done virtually. March 17 - 18 are the screening dates.

Junior Kindergarten screening will be done "in person" and is scheduled for March 19.

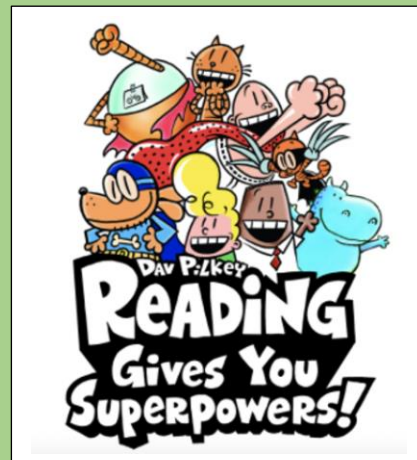
All of the information for Jr. Kindergarten and Kindergarten as well as next year's calendar are available on the FSD & Spitzee School webpage.

4 K has Super Powers!

4 King was chosen as one of three classrooms from around the globe, to work with the Global Dav Pilkey Team at Scholastic Inc. to create a short pre-taped video for an event for kids/classrooms all over the world to celebrate the creativity and the release of the new DOG MAN on March 23rd. This will be part of Scholastic's Reading Give You Superpowers online event.

4K has done a short video talking about practice and persistence as it relates to reading, writing and creativity. Like anything new or challenging, it takes practice and persistence to progress in what we are doing. Our portion of the video will also have clips of students learning to draw a character from one of Dav Pilkey's books and clips of students creating their own comic characters.

The online event is being created by Scholastic and Flipgrid and will happen later in March on Social Media platforms.



PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS MARCH 24 & 25

PARENTS CAN SIGN UP FOR INTERVIEW TIMES BEGINNING MARCH 5TH.

THE LINK FOR INTERVIEW SIGN UP IS ON THE SPITZEE WEBPAGE.

School Council

Our next School Council Meeting will be Wednesday March 3 @ 7 p.m.

Links for the meeting will be available on the School Council Facebook page will also have the link.

Perogy sales are underway. To order email spitzeefundraising@gmail.com

The role of School Council is to be a guiding voice for Administration and the Board of Trustees.

As happens from time to time, groups of volunteers come to the end of their time at Spitzee as their kids move to Middle School. NOW is one of those times and we need more parents to help guide the work at Spitzee School next year.

Come to one of the remaining meetings this year and see what it is all about. You can find the link on the Spitzee School Council Facebook page.

Playground Committee Update

Recycle your pop cans and bottles at the High River Bottle Depot and make a direct donation to the Spitzee Playground.

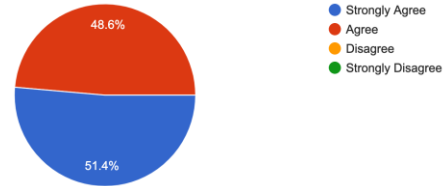
Buy gift cards and shop local while supporting the playground. More info at spitzeeplayground@gmail.com

Shop at Sobey's in March and donate!

Tax time is here so write a cheque over \$100 to the Foothills School Division and put "Spitzee Playground" in the memo to receive a tax receipt! Pay for Play, Not the

Learning & Environment Survey

There are opportunities for me to be involved in decisions that effect my child's learning at Spitzee School (For example-School Council, Parent Teach...s, communication with administration or teacher)
72 responses



Parent Comments:

I have really been blown away by the care and quality of learning at this school. This is such a challenging time and the efforts by all the staff have been incredible! The increased information to keep our kids safe and adjust quickly to what is needed for them to continue their learning, has been nothing short of amazing. The care for the kids in our community is so strong. Thank you for all that you do!

Upcoming Events

Jr. Kindergarten & Kindergarten Registration NOW

Call 403-652-2376 to Register

Virtual School Council Mtg.

Wednesday March 3 @ 7 p.m.

Meeting link is available on the Spitzee Webpage under SCHOOL COUNCIL or on the School Council Facebook page

Guest Teacher Appreciation Week

March 8 to 12

System PD Day – March 12 – No School

Jr. Kindergarten Screening – March 19

Kindergarten Screening -

March 17 & 18 – By Appointment

Learner Profiles Home – Week of March 22

Parent Teacher Online Interviews -

March 24 & 25

Easter Break Begins – April 1 @ 12:10 p.m.