

## WHISKERS WEEKLY

### **Pot of Gold News: Shell Classroom Energy Diet Challenge**

Did you know that two of our grade five classes, 5B and 5Z are participating in the Shell Classroom Energy Diet Challenge? This program raises awareness about responsible energy usage and ways to reduce our carbon footprint. The classes would greatly appreciate it if you would help them reach their goal of collecting 150 signatures for the "Sign Up or Sign Out" challenge. Please follow both links to sign their classroom pledges. It's quick and easy, but make sure you open your email to confirm your signature, otherwise it won't count!

<http://energydiet.canadiangeographic.ca/2017/main/pledge/5804>

<http://energydiet.canadiangeographic.ca/2017/main/pledge/6262>

### **New School Council Email Address**

If you need to email anyone from our School Council, you can reach them at [rcescouncil@gmail.com](mailto:rcescouncil@gmail.com).

### **Student Learning Showcase – Thursday, March 30<sup>th</sup> 4-7PM**

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend our Student Learning Showcases and celebrate your child's learning. Students will have the opportunity to talk with you about what they have been learning and to show you some of their best work. Teachers will not be scheduling individual interviews on this evening but if you have questions/concerns you would like to discuss with your child's teacher, Please make arrangements with them directly.

For Mrs. Zaharia's class only, Student Learning Showcases will take place on Wednesday, March 29<sup>th</sup> from 4-7PM.

### **Hot Lunch Ordering**

Hot lunch ordering will close on Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup>. Payment is due at the office by 2:52pm on Tuesday, March 21<sup>st</sup>.

## **Food Bank Challenge**

Rainbow Creek Elementary is collecting donations for the Chestermere Food Bank until March 30, 2017. Student Council is challenging each class to see which class can collect the most items. The winning class will get a popcorn party!

## **Yearbooks**

Yearbooks for the 2016-17 school year can be purchased through School Cash Online and will be delivered in October. If you are purchasing one for a grade five student it will be delivered to the middle school. If you are moving this summer you can provide the office with your forwarding address and it will be mailed to you.

## **Pre-Registration**

Pre-registration for the 2017-2018 school year is underway. If your child will be starting kindergarten in September please contact the office at 403-273-8129, stop by for a registration package, or you can download it on our website: <http://rcreek.rockyview.ab.ca/news/kindergarten-registration-package-2016-2017>

## **Upcoming Dates**

Friday, March 17: Wear green

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<https://rockyview.schoolcashonline.com>

Sunday, March 19: Hot lunch ordering closes

<https://rainbowcreek.hotlunches.net>

**Monday, March 20: PL Day – no school**

Friday, March 24: Milk ordering closes

Thursday, March 30: Last day for food bank donations

**Friday, April 14 – Monday, April, 24: No classes** for Easter vacation

Tuesday, April 25: classes resume

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