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HOT LUNCH

Just a reminder that if you ordered hot lunch it will be delivered to the students on March 10th.

REPORT CARDS

Report cards will be available on Friday, March 12th at 12:00pm through PowerSchool.

If you experience any issues logging in with your username or password, please contact the office.

Conferences will be held for Kindergarten on March 17th and 18th during the day and for Grades 1-5 on Thursday, March 18th from 1:00-7:00 PM, using Microsoft TEAMS. Conferences will be booked through the school webpage under the "Parents" tab with booking starting on March 1st at 8:00 AM and closing March 16th for Kindergarten and March 17th for Grades 1-5, at 11:59PM. All conferences will be conducted using Microsoft TEAMS as a COVID safety protocol. [Please click the following link as a refresher in how to use TEAMS software.](#) Your child's teacher will then contact you using TEAMS at your scheduled time. Please feel free to contact your child's teacher or the office with any questions.

POPCORN

Our next popcorn Friday will be on March 26th, the deadline to order is March 8th on [SchoolCashOnline](#).



DR. PROBE WELLNESS TEAM MESSAGE

Hello from the Wellness Team. If we are anything alike you are hoping for an early spring as much as we are. Spring brings opportunities to get outdoors and explore with way less layers than we can in winter. The warmer weather brings a sense of growth and newness. Springtime is a wonderful time. As Dr. Probe we are busy working with some amazing community partners to offer effective supports to students and families. One of those wonderful partners is Big Brother Big Sisters Lethbridge and District who work diligently in our community to support our youth.

We are thrilled to be offering two of their programs to some of our students over the spring; **Go Girls!** and **Game On!** Students who would be best fits for these programs are being nominated by their classroom teachers. As with everything during this COVID time, these groups have taken to the digital platform for their meetings which occur afterschool. We are so grateful to Big Brothers Big Sisters for the support they offer our students and school community. Another amazing community partner Alberta Health Services Children's Addiction and Mental Health.



THE LOOP 

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Please follow the link below to access the March edition of "The Loop"

[Click HERE](#)

Big Brothers Big Sisters

Our friends with AHS share one of their amazing colleagues with us in our schools in Lethbridge School Division 51, Alison Lux. She will be offering some social/emotional learning opportunities at a few grade levels and classrooms in March and April. Thank you for supporting our community Alison. There is a great resource available online to parents that they can use to build their capacity and support conversations with their children related to digital media. If you have the opportunity to check out Common Sense Media

<https://www.commonsensemedia.org/homepage> their goal is to provide expert reviews, objective advice, helpful tools, and so much more as it relates to digital media, technology, video games and more. Their vision is to build a digital world where our kids can thrive.



FNMI NEWSLETTER

Please follow the link below to access the March edition of our Division's FNMI newsletter. In this edition, please enjoy highlights of activities occurring in different schools around the city and links to information and resources for students, parents and staff.

[Link to Newsletter](#)





Parent Council is busy working towards an exciting initiative to further support our plans of seeing an accessible and dynamic playground at Dr. Probe School. Stay tuned for further information regarding a Danceathon, and how all students can be involved in moving our plans forward. If you would like to know more, make sure to attend our Virtual School Council Meeting March 3rd at 6:30 PM. Please email the office if you would like a link to attend.

FUNDSCRIP

A reminder to all families that visiting <https://www.fundscrip.com/support-a-group> and entering our school code: **DL5FYU**, you can purchase gift cards to many popular retailers and a percentage of the purchase will go to support our school, at no cost to you!



As has been the case in previous months, we have put together a video that all students were able to view this week. The video is a compilation of many of the learning activities and connections students are able to make each day at Probe. We hope you enjoy it as much as the students did. Please follow the link to view: [FLASHBACK VIDEO](#)

DATES OF IMPORTANCE

March 1: Bookings open for Parent-Teacher Conferences

March 3: Parent Council Meeting

March 8: Kernels order deadline (SchoolCashOnline), KG Registration Begins

March 10: Hot Lunch

March 12: Report Cards available on PowerSchool

March 17/18: No School for KG

March 18: Celebration of Learning/Parent-Teacher Conferences in PM (11:45AM Student Dismissal)

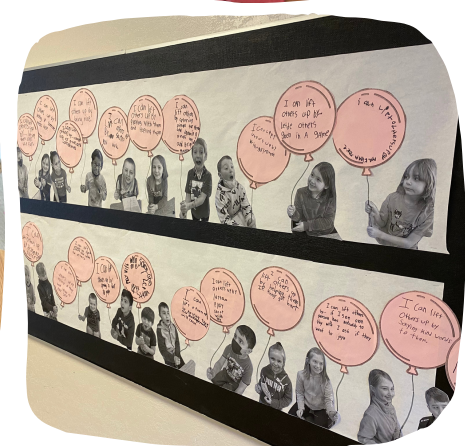
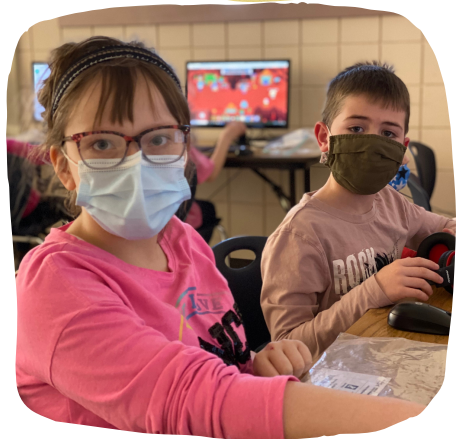
March 19: PL Day (No School for Students)

March 26: Popcorn Friday

March 28: Deadline to Order Hot Lunch

PINK SHIRT DAY

This Pink Shirt Day, the focus was on working together and treating others with dignity and respect. The Covid-19 Pandemic has affected us all and shown the importance of helping one another and advocating for those who need it. Students participated in activities that encouraged healthy self-esteem, empathy, compassion and kindness. Through reading a book titled Pass it On students brainstormed messages, presented in balloons, of how they can "lift each other up" - the theme behind this year's Pink Shirt Day. Thanks to our Wellness Team for planning this great activity.



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