

## Warner School horizon



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#### **Principal's Report**

Greetings Warner School Community,

March was a whirlwind of excitement here at Warner School, and we've got so much to share with you all! Our senior basketball team competed at the South Zone Championship, giving it their all in a close match against Picture Butte. While the victory slipped through our fingers, we're incredibly proud of their hard work and dedication. Big shoutout to Taylor Harvie for coaching our junior and senior teams with such passion and commitment. You rock, Coach Taylor!

Our elementary Mini-Ball season took place in March, with Warner hosting the wrap-up event on March 28. Huge thanks to Karma McMurray for putting it all together and to John Preston for coaching our young talents

In the world of archery, our Warner crew truly hit the bullseye at the Provincial Championships. Brylee Cronkhite and Liam Pittman soared into the top 5 of their age groups, with Cole Pittman, Jaylen, and Jacey Cronkhite not far behind in the top 10. A round of applause for Keith and Adena Heppler for coaching and representing us at the competition!

As we gear up for April, here's a heads-up: Warner School will be closed from March 29 to April 7 for Easter Holidays. Parent-teacher interviews take place on April 11. Don't forget to reach out and schedule your appointment with your child's teachers.

Speaking of April adventures, we're thrilled to announce that our grades 4 to 7 students will be embarking on an exciting trip to Frank Slide (April 18) and diving into the thrilling world of the Science Olympics (April 23).

Looking even further ahead, mark your calendars for May 4, as Warner School joins the Highway Clean Up Fundraiser. It's a crucial event for our school and our grads, and we need all hands on deck! Parents and students (aged 9 and above), your support means the world to us.

Before we sign off, a heartfelt thank you to every one of you for making Warner School the amazing community it is. Your dedication and enthusiasm light up our halls every single day!

Warm regards, Adam Hughes

#### **Upcoming events:**

No School: Spring Break is March 29th-April 7th. Students return to school on April 8th.

Hot Lunch: April 16th –Booster Juice, April 23rd-Subway, April 30th-Pita Pit

**Parent/Teacher Interviews:** We will have interviews on Thursday, April 11th after school beginning at 4pm. Please call into the office to book your times (403) 642-3931.

*Gr. 4-7 Fieldtrip:* On April 18,2024 grades 4-7 will be going on a fieldtrip to Frank slide and Bellevue Mine. Information packages have been sent home to students.

*Science Olympics:* On April 23,2024 Eight Grade 6/7 students will be representing Warner at the Horizon Division Science Olympics. The students are currently constructing Catapults to determine which students will be attending.

*Highway Clean-up:* May 4, 2024 Warner School has the Highway Clean Up Fundraiser. It's a crucial event for our school and our grads, and we need all hands on deck! Parents and students (aged 9 and above), your support means the world to us.

## Warner School Council

Our next Parent Advisory Council (PAC) Meeting will be April 9, 2024 at 5:30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.



#### **Archery**

Warner was represented by 13 students at the recent Provincial Archery Competition in Edmonton. The Warner archers competed in the 10/15 shoot and the 3D event. Our crew truly hit the bullseye at the Provincial Championships. Brylee Cronkhite and Liam Pittman soared into the top 5 of their age groups, with Cole Pittman, Jaylen, and Jacey Cronkhite not far behind in the top 10. Over 2200 students from across the province competed and the Warner archers did really well. Special thanks goes to their coaches Keith and Adena Heppler. Archery will continue until the end of the school year.





#### **Curling**

With the ice plant being shutoff, Warner School curling has come to an end. The students and Mr Zink would like to thank all of the parents, teachers and community members who have supported us over the last 5 months. As part of their Physed class both the 1/2/3s and the 4/5s participated in learn-to curl sessions.











#### Sr. Boys Basketball

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#### <u>Early Learning</u>

We continued learning about health in Early Learning. At the beginning of March the children brought their stuffed animals for a check-up at the "Doctors Clinic." The children really enjoyed that. The last 2 weeks we have been gearing up for Easter, being a Easter bunny.







#### March Madness (K-Gr. 3)

March has been a very exciting time in Kindergarten to grade 3 as we took part in another round of March Book Madness. Each of the classrooms has read 8 books and just like the famous Basketball tournament. Each year Mrs. Hammell and Ms. Hierath have an exceptionally fun time sharing wonderful enriching picture books. The classes vote at each round and the favourite of each pair goes forward. This year's picks to bring forward to our final faceoff are The Legend of Rock Paper and Scissors by Drew Daywalt and After the Fall by Dan Santat.

After the Fall is Caldecott Medalist Dan Santats's picture book about the aftermath of Humpty Dumpty's famous fall--and Humpty's determination to overcome his fear to reach great new heights.

The Legend of Rock Paper and Scissors is from acclaimed, bestselling creators Drew Daywalt, author of The Day the Crayons Quit and The Day the Crayons Came Home, and Adam Rex, author-illustrator of Frankenstein Makes a Sandwich, comes a laugh-out-loud hilarious picture book about the epic tale of the classic game Rock, Paper, Scissors.. Student's will be choosing the final winner on the day before Easter break! Wait to find out the results next month!

#### Virtual Career Exploration Sessions open for registration:

April 23 - Deicing Technician April 24 - Economist April 25 - Phlebotomist

April 30 - Roofer (NOTE: date change)

Additional sessions and registration links can be found on our website: careersteps.ca/exploration-sessions



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# Developmental Check-up

Horizon School Division is offering FREE Early Childhood Developmental Check-ups for children aged 3-5.

Learn more about your child's developmental progress, as well as the benefits of Early Childhood programming.

**Thursday, April 11**Book appointment by April 8

#### **Developmental areas:**







or Skills Language & Communication

**Early Concepts** 

To book an appointment, call **Tracy, School Secretary at 403-642-3931.** 

## In the Community

GOALIES WANTED!

REGISTER A
TEAM OF 3-5
NOW BY
SIGNING UP
IN THE
School
OFFICE



3 ON 3, SINGLE ELIMINATION HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

APRIL 12TH, 8:45AM ERHS

This year, we will be hosting the Green Shirt Day 3v3 Hockey Tournament on April 12th at 8:45

For all students and Community members we will host a 3 v 3 tournament at ERHS

Wear Green to show support of Organ Donation

FOR MORE INFORMATION, OR TO REGISTER, CONTACT TYSON.NIWA@HORIZON.AB.CA. REGISTRATION IS FIRST COME FIRST SERVE. ONLY 10 TEAMS AVAILABLE