



Warner School



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March 2025 News

Horizon School Division
Principal: Debbie Fettig

Hello Families,

Staffing - We are pleased to welcome Becky Doenz in our grade 6/7 math class, 20-3 math, Chem 30, and options classes while Mrs. Cunningham is away on a leave.

Pink Shirt Day - We ended February with recognition of Pink Shirt day - a day to recognize anti-bullying behaviour. Branson Doenz was the winner of our pink shirt design contest so staff all sported pink shirts featuring his design.

Ceramics Field Trip - Mrs. Thompson will be taking the grade 8/9 class and grades 4 - 7 on a field trip to the Coutts Historical School to do clay projects with artist Cindy Clarke. The 8/9 class will attend in the morning and the grade 4-7 students will attend in the afternoon. Thanks to parent volunteer drivers saving us the cost of a bus. It should be a fun-filled day and an opportunity for our students to explore clay as an art medium.

CTF/CTS Classes Change - The end of the term for K-9 is this Friday and that brings us to a change in CTF/CTS options. Drama and cross-stitching will continue and we will also start pickleball, workout, wood-working, and leather working. Please look for forms to come home this week to sign off on your child's options.

Green House - Do you have a green thumb? Are you handy with tools and basic repair? Warner School is looking to get its greenhouse going again but there are some repairs needed before it can be operational. Once it is ready for use we would like for it to be a cooperative shared use project between the school and anyone who would like to use the greenhouse. If you are willing to help with repairs or have interest in growing or watering, please contact the school.

Athletics - Senior boys basketball wraps up this month. Our boys played well in the division playoffs and placed second. They will head to zones next week at the Lethbridge Polytechnic. The first game is Wednesday, March 12 at 7:45. We wished them all the best! Thanks again to Darcy Nate and Jordan Salmon of Milk River for coaching the boys. Thank you also to Taylor Harvie for all your time and dedication for our Sr and Jr basketball programs.

Mini Basketball is underway with students from grades 3-5 afterschool on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Thank you to Denise Graham and Heather Virostek for coaching!

Mr. Keith Heppler will once again be taking a group of archers to the Archery provincials in Edmonton. It is taking place on March 22. We wish them the best of luck!

Students in grades 6 -12 can sign up for badminton as a single or part of a doubles team. Sign-up sheets are at the office.

Stay Connected

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in our school community. **To have your voice heard, please attend our next Parent Advisory Council meeting on March 6 at 5:00 p.m.** If you would like a paper copy of this newsletter please call the office. If you are not receiving emails from School Messenger please let us know as your email address might not be connected.

Take care and be well,

Debbie Fettig

Around our School

Upcoming events:

Lifetouch Spring/Grad Photos: Spring photos will take place on Tuesday, March 18th followed by Grad photos. Bring your best smile!!



No School: There will be no school Monday, March 10th.

Hot Lunch: Tuesday, March 4 Float Day, Tuesday, March 11– Subway, Tuesday March 18- Booster Juice, March 25—Grad Hot Lunch Hot Dogs

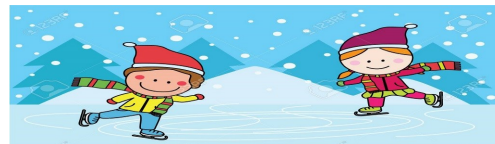
Miniball: March 11– MR #1 @ Warner , March 13—practice , March 18-Warner @ MR#2, March 20—practice 3:30-4:30, March 27-practice , April 1—Warner @MR #3, April 3– practice, April 8—practice, April 10—practice, April 15—MR#2@Warner, April 17-Wind-up at Warner School

Sr. Boys & Girls Basketball: Zone playoffs take place next week at the College. Sr. Girls first game is March 12 @ 5:00pm and the Sr. Boys first game is March 12 @ 7:45pm.

Kindergarten-Gr. 3

We are doing our book madness competition starting this week for K-Gr 3. Each class will be reading a set of 8 books and voting on their favourites. The winner of both classes will compete against each other to find out the ultimate winner!

Skating for **K-2** is on Thursday, March 13th from 1:06-1:50 pm. Please bring your skating gear and parents are welcome!



Warner School Council

Our next Parent Advisory Council (PAC) Meeting will be March 6 @5pm. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

Around our School

Warner School would like to give a warm welcome to our PSII student teachers. We are looking forward to the next 6 weeks of having you be a part of our school.

Hello Parents!

My name is Tracey Vossebelt, and I am a PS2 student here at Warner School. I am placed in grades 4-7, with the wonderful Ms. Karma McMurray as my Teacher Associate. I wanted to reach out and introduce myself as a new face in the classroom, and someone you might be hearing about in the next 6 weeks. I look forward to learning with these fantastic students and staff members, and thank everyone for the warm welcome I've received!



Hi everyone! My name is Brooke Milos, and I'm a student teacher from the University of Lethbridge, excited to be completing my placement at Warner School. I grew up in Lomond, so I am no stranger to the small school life! My major is math and I enjoy helping students develop their problem-solving skills and confidence in the subject. It is so rewarding to see students have those "aha" moments when a concept finally clicks, and I strive to create a supportive learning environment where they feel encouraged to ask questions and explore new ideas. I am excited to be split between working in the grade 2/3 room and teaching 8/9 math. Throughout my placement, I'm eager to gain hands-on experience in the classroom, learn from the amazing staff, and build meaningful connections with students. Outside of teaching, I love spending time outdoors—camping, going for walks, and enjoying nature. I also cherish time with my family, friends, and my dog. I'm looking forward to getting to know everyone and being part of this wonderful school community!

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Field Trip

Ceramics Field Trip Forms:

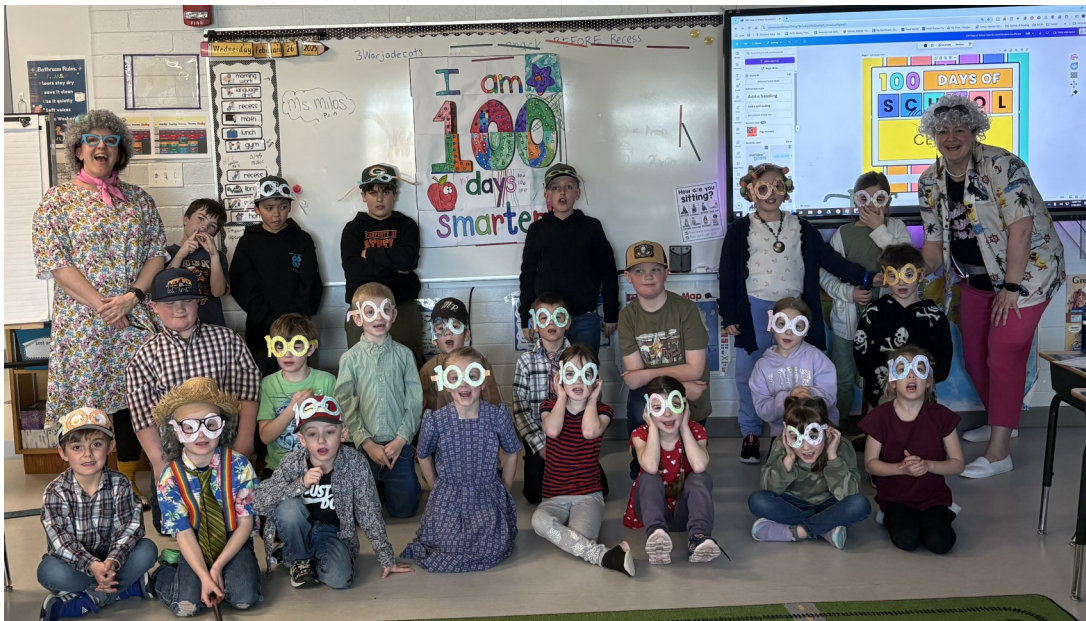
Thank you for sending back your child's forms for the Ceramic Field Trip scheduled for the 12th of March! Please get those into me or the lovely Mrs. Heppler at the office as soon as possible! I will be sending out just one more form for you to sign this week, then we will be ready to get elbows deep in clay!

Thanks so much!

~Erica Thompson



Our K-3 classes celebrating 100 Days of school, you all look “100 days smarter”!
Thanks for sharing your day with us!



Around our School

Warner Warriors Sr. Boys Basketball will be playing in the zone playoffs **Wednesday, March 12th at 7:45 pm** at the Lethbridge Polytechnic on Court A. Warner's game will be streamed, the link is on <https://southzonebasketball.com/index.html>.

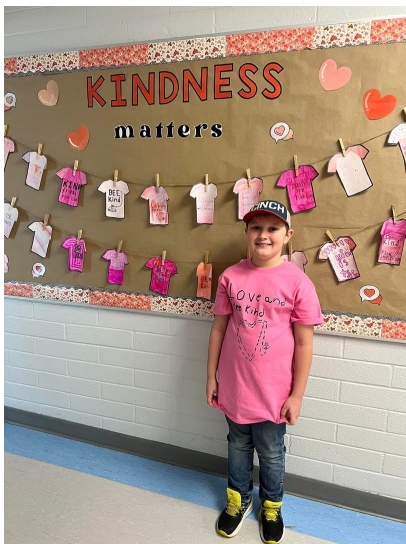
Milk River's girls (Kelcey Campbell) will be playing on **Thursday, March 13th at 5:00 pm** at the Lethbridge Polytechnic on Court B.

For full playoff bracket visit:

Boys - <https://southzonebasketball.com/1a-boys.html>

Girls - <https://southzonebasketball.com/1a-girls.html>

Warner School celebrated Pink Shirt Day on Feb.26,2025. Remember a little kindness goes long way! The first picture is the winner of our pink shirt design contest, Branson Doenz. We had shirts made up for the staff and a few lucky students featuring his design.



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REGISTER NOW FOR 2025-2026

EARLY CHILDHOOD SERVICES

Early Learning and **Kindergarten** registration forms are available online at horizon.ab.ca or at your designated school. Bring your child's Birth Certificate or Canadian Citizenship status card and Alberta Health Care card.

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

Developmental Check-up appointments are available end of March, beginning of April

To book call the school Administrative Assistant