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The Raven News

Hello Edgewood,

Happy New Year! 2017 has started off really well at EES! We have enjoyed two great ski days at Summit Lake and we have one more to go on Thursday January 19th. Students have also been outdoors at the school enjoying the great winter conditions by cross country skiing and snowshoeing. I am continually amazed by the great weather Edgewood gets as I drive down from Nakusp every day. It seems like the sun shines a lot on this side of the lake!

The Grade 5-7 group has been practicing Basketball on Tuesdays after school, preparing for a play day held at NES on Friday February 10th. New Denver should also be in attendance so it should be really exciting and a good chance for our kids to meet some of the students from around the district!

A few important dates this month include the professional development day on Monday January 23rd. This means school will be in session Friday January 27th. Family Literacy Week will be celebrated by our annual book swap held in the EES gym on Wednesday January 25th at 12:30 until 1:00. Please come down and bring any books you aren't using anymore and grab some new ones for you and your family.

Grades 4 and 7 students will be writing the Foundation Skills Assessment (FSA) during the week of February 6th- 9th. For more information on this test have a look on the back page of the newsletter or check out www.bced.gov.bc.ca/assessment/fsa.

We will also be having an assembly on February 1st to celebrate one of our students winning an award for his artistic work. Please join us if you have time. Lastly, we will be hosting a PAC meeting on Thursday February 2nd at 2:30-3:00.

Best wishes,

Mike Hibberson

Next PAC Meeting

Thursday, Feb 2

2:30 in the library

Important Dates

- EES last ski lesson at Summit Lake Ski Hill Thursday, Jan 19
- Gr 5-7 Basketball 3-4:30 EES Gym Jan 24 and 31
- Monday, Jan 23 Pro-D Day, no classes
- Wednesday, Jan 25 Book Swap 12:30 pm
- Jan 26, EYC New Years Slime 3:15—5 at the Legion
- Wed, Feb 1, Assembly 2:30
- Feb 13, Family Day
- Strong Start closed February 23

Basketball Tuesdays

January 24, 31 basketball practise for students in grades 5—7

Meet 3—4:30 in the gym

Calling All Buttons!

We are collecting buttons to use for a variety of crafts, if you have any you would like to share please send with your child, all shapes and colors are appreciated



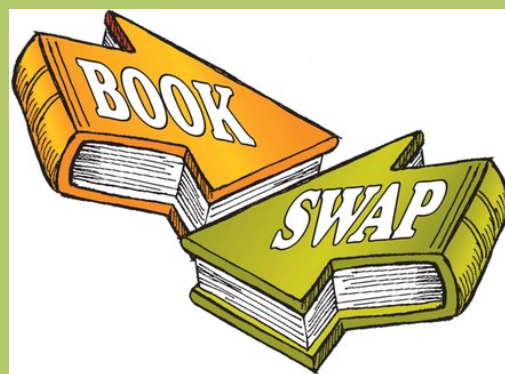
Community News



Book Swap

Celebrating Family Literacy Week

Wednesday, January 25, 2017



12:30 - 1:00 in the Gym at EES

Bring a book or take a book, its free, everyone's welcome

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