### February 2024 School Communication



## Round Hill School

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### Message From Our Principal

Hello everyone!

February is here and it seems flu season is upon us once again. I would like to thank parents for keeping their child at home when he/she is ill. I realize how difficult this is for parents who are working full time. Thank you! That being said, I would like to encourage parents to send their child to school when they are not sick and don't have appointments. School attendance has the greatest impact on student learning and success. As well, their social life thrives when they attend on a regular basis and can maintain personal contact with all their classmates! Please help us out and ensure your child is regularly attending school if they are not sick. Again, if they are ill or have an appointment to attend, it is quite understandable that they are away from school.

True winter weather has arrived this month, even if we don't have the mounds of snow we are used to. Thank you for sending your child with the cold-weather clothing that is necessary to keep them warm during recess and warm on the bus! It is very important that students have the appropriate winter clothing, even if they do not go outside at recess.

Students are going skating in the last two weeks of February! You will find a skating schedule in this newsletter and we will be sending a paper copy home with each student this week. I would like to remind parents that your child requires a hockey or skiing/snowboarding helmet (as well as skates!) if they are going to participate out on the ice. If you are a parent of a student in grade K-5 you are more than welcome to come and help tie skates. Please mark your calendar!

We continue to recognize students for being REAL! Showing RESPECT, putting in a solid EFFORT, having a positive ATTITUDE, and demonstrating strong LEADERSHIP are the characteristics we try to instill in all of our students. Every month each teacher chooses a student who has been "REAL" that month. The student is then recognized at an assembly and presented with a little token of appreciation such as a shirt, mitts, hat or bag which the Parent Society has so graciously purchased for the students. As well, pictures of the students are displayed on the bulletin board across from the office.

Remember, If you have any comments, concerns or quest	tions, please call me at the school.
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Regards,

Brian Horbay

### School Event Calendar

Remember to check the school website for any changes to the calendar that may happen throughout the month.

### February 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5 Parent Council Meeting 6:30 pm	6 Hot Dog Day (Cash Event) 12:00 pm	7	8 Staff Meeting/Early Dismissal 12:00 pm	9	10
11	12	13 Last day to order Wok Box lunch	14 Pizza Lunch-Provided by RH Elks 12:00 pm	15 Teacher Convention - No School for Students 12:00 am	16 Teacher Convention - No School for Students 12:00 am	17
18	19 Family Day 12:00 am	20 First Day for Skating (Check the schedule) Parent Society Lunch 12:00 pm	21	22	23	24
25	26 Professional Learning - No School for Students 12:00 am	27 Community Lunch 11:50 am	28 Pink Shirt Day	29		



Come out and cheer on the Round Hill Jr High Eagles basketball team on Friday & Saturday at the CKS tournament. Their first game will be held on Friday, February 16th at 7:00 pm and games 2 & 3 will be on Saturday, February 17th at 10 am & 2pm.

### School Council

Chair: Kalena Christenson, richkalena@gmail.com

Vice Chair/Secretary: Chantal Fennema chantalfennema@yahoo.com

Treasurer: Karmen Bowal, karmenbowal@gmail.com

Breakfast Coordinator: Cara Wocknitz, cara.wocknitz@gmail.com/Chantal Fennema, chantalfennema@yahoo.com

Contact by email: <a href="mailto:roundhillschoolcouncil@gmail.com">roundhillschoolcouncil@gmail.com</a>

We are in need of a few parent volunteers who would be willing to bake some muffins or egg bites for the breakfast program. Please contact Chantal Fennema if you are interested.

Next Parent Council meeting will be held at the school on April 8th at 6:30 pm



Stay connected:

Facebook group: "Society of Parents of Round Hill School"

### Hot Lunch

#### **Hotdog Day Desserts**

Mrs. Roth's Grade 3-4 students will provide the treats for the March Hot Dog Day which will be held on March 5th. Treats can be purchased or home made.

Last day to order the Parent Society lunch is Wednesday, February 13th. This month lunch is provided from the Wok Box. <u>Click here</u> to place your order.

## Kindergarten Registration is now open for 2024-2025

If you have a child who will be 5 years old by December 31st <u>Click here</u> to register your child for the next kindergarten school year. If you know a family who does not have a connection to the school but would like to register their child, have them contact the school office.

# SchoolEngage

If you have not completed the 2023-2024 Student Re-enrollment & Verification form please sign in to the <a href="PowerSchool portal">PowerSchool portal</a> and then click the link to SchoolEngage, please note the form must be completed on a web browser on a phone, tablet, or computer, the PowerSchool App does not have form capability. Your username is your Firstname.Lastname Contact the school if you have any questions or need help.

## School activity Consent Forms

As of February 1st all field trip consent forms will have to be filled in online through your child's student account. If there is a fee attached to the event this will give you an opportunity to pay at the same time.

### There are many options to stay connected with the school!

The school website: https://rhill.brsd.ab.ca

School Messenger

Instagram: rhs real

Phone: 780-672-6654

# Skating Schedule

#### February 19-March 1

	Monday (19)	Tuesday (20)	Wednesday (21)	Thursday (22)	Friday (23)
10:10-11:30	Family Day	3 & 4 (Roth)	3 & 4 (Roth)		3 & 4 (Roth)
12:30-1:50	Family Day	K & 5 (Horbay)	1 & 2 (Horbay)	K & 5 (Horbay)	1 & 2 (Horbay)
1:55-3:10	Family Day	1 & 2 (Horbay)	Jr High (Lindstrand)	Jr High (Lindstrand)	Jr High (Lindstrand)

	Monday (26)	Tuesday (27)	Wednesday (28)	Thursday (29)	Friday (1)
10:10-11:30	Professional	COMMUNITY	3 & 4	3 & 4	Grade 5
	Learning Day	LUNCH	(Roth)	(Roth)	(Horbay)
12:30-1:50	Professional Learning Day	COMMUNITY LUNCH	K & 5 (Horbay)	K & 5 (Horbay)	1 & 2 (Horbay)
1:55-3:10	Professional	1 & 2	Jr High	Jr High	Jr High
	Learning Day	(Horbay)	(Lindstrand)	(Lindstrand)	(Lindstrand)

K - 5 go skating FIVE times

6 - 9 go skating SIX times

