



# Friday, March 3rd

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***Congratulations to our Grade 1/2 Team who recently received the Toyota Evergreen Grant for their "Growing Learners Project". In addition to the \$2050.00 received through this grant, the team also received \$2000 from the Whole Kids Foundation to support the construction, materials and maintenance cost of their new Garden Beds!"***

## Screen Awareness Month

Banded Peak is proud to be working with Alberta Health Services, the Bragg Creek Community Centre, the Townsite of Redwood Meadows, and the Bragg Creek and Area Wellness Committee to present "Screen Awareness Month" in April. Please refer to the attached poster or visit <http://www.braggcreekwellness.ca/screens/> for more information.

## Learning Commons Update

In February, the Learning Commons hosted another successful Scholastic Book Fair. It was enthusiastically supported by our students and their families. Based on total sales, \$432.50 worth of fiction and non-fiction books were acquired for the collection as well as \$426.55 in cash commission to be spent at a later date. The new books will be on display as of next week and will be available for check out by mid-month. The winner of \$25 worth of books from the Family Draw was Noah and his teacher, Mr. Churchill. Thanks to all of the parent and student volunteers and support staff who make the Book Fair possible. The next Book Fair will be held in the fall in conjunction with collaborative conferences.

The Learning Commons Committee (Mr. Pols, Mrs. Magee, Mrs. Martens, Mr. Churchill and Mrs. Kemp) have been working diligently on the plans for the renovation of the library space. If all goes well, the work will begin in April. Most of the books will be boxed and stored during the construction and some will be placed on carts and will continue to circulate. We are all looking forward to the upcoming changes which will make our lovely space even more beautiful and contemporary. Please feel free to contact any of the committee members if you would like more information on this project.

## Springbank High School Announcement: Gr. 9 Phoenix Challenge

*Springbank Community High School is moving to cohort our incoming grade 9 classes next year in order to support students and provide more of a transitional support system as students move from middle school to high school. As part of this endeavor, we are also planning a series of week long, cross-curricular learning opportunities that will take place in late September or October. All grade 9 students will have the opportunity to*

*participate in one of the five experiences. In answering the guiding question, “How can we learn from our past to better understand the present and serve the future?”, and in conjunction with celebrating Canada’s 150th Birthday, we are planning three different field trip venues that students can participate in. The first is a trip to Halifax, the second is a trip to the mountain environment, and the third is a series of field trips to venues in and around Calgary. The purpose of the field trips is anchor the learning experiences and provide unique activities that will guide our students’ learning as they investigate the guiding question and to draw on these experiences as students journey through the various curricula throughout the remainder of the year. We hope to provide many authentic and real world learning activities that will promote student engagement but also to give students to investigate unique areas of Canada and broaden their understanding of “our own back yard”.*

### **SOBEYS INC. DONATES \$50,000.00 TO KICK START NEW NON PROFIT, “THE GROCERY LINK SOCIETY”**

The Grocery Link is excited to announce the official launch of their new **NON PROFIT**, “The Grocery Link Society” thanks to a \$50,000.00 donation from Sobeys Inc. The donation will kick start the delivery of the Society’s “Access Grocery Program” in the Calgary, Airdrie, Cochrane, Okotoks and High River communities. The donation from Sobeys Inc., together with Safeway and Sobeys stores, will help 350 qualified individuals or families’ care giving for people who struggle to access groceries due to age, chronic disease, illness, disability, injury, pregnancy or poverty. To start, each will receive 6 FREE bi-weekly grocery shopping and delivery services and if eligible, 10 additional bi-weekly services at only \$5/service. For more information please visit: <http://thegrocerylink.com/>

### **School Council Meeting**

Our upcoming School Council meeting will be **Wednesday, March 29th** in our Student Gathering Area. Any community members interested in attending are invited to meet in the Student Gathering at that time. Remaining school council meetings will take place on April 26th and May 24th. If you would like to read more about the happenings at Council please refer to their page at <http://bpeak.rockyview.ab.ca/school-council>





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