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**HAPPY
NEW
YEAR**

Welcome Back

We hope you had a great break. Please join us for our first Parent Council Meeting of 2017 on February 7th at 6:30pm.

ÉIMS Basketball has started. Practice times are as follows:

CENNA A Girls—Mondays 3:30—5:00pm Wednesdays 7:30—8:30am

CENNA A Boys—Tuesdays and Thursdays 3:30—5:00pm

ÉIMS B Boys and Girls (all grades) - Wednesdays 3:20—4:20pm



January

9—Classes resume

11—Pizza day

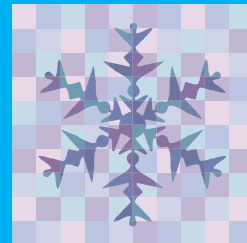
18 - Hot Dog day

20—Subway day

February hot lunch deadline

25—Grade 5—8 Soup/Salad

31—Organizational Day—no school



Science Fair

It is time to start thinking about Science Fair projects! The Science Fair is open to all students, and they may work with a partner. We are holding meetings Tuesdays during lunch recess 12:33-12:53 in Mrs. Grant's room. The school Science Fair will be held February 28th from 12:30—2:30pm

Need help with a topic? Check out some of these websites

List of Science Fair Project Ideas- Science Buddies

http://www.sciencebuddies.org/science-fair-projects/science_project_ideas.php

Science Bob- Science Fair Ideas

<http://www.sciencebob.com/sciencefair/ideas.php>

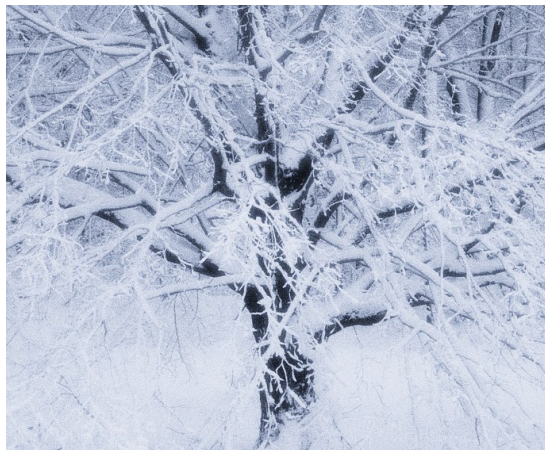
Science Fair Adventure

<http://www.sciencefairadventure.com/>



The ÉIMS Phys Ed department is having the Booster Juice fundraiser on March 3 and June 9. Students can order a Booster Juice for \$5.00 or a Booster Juice with wrap for \$8.50. The deadline for the March order is February 17. All orders must be made on line at www.innisfailmiddle.ca on the Hot Lunch tab.

All funds raised from this fundraiser will be used to assist with the cost for extra curricular uniforms as well as transportation .



IMS YEARBOOKS on Sale NOW

IMS yearbooks are available to be purchased online. If you are interested in one please order before the deadline on Feb 17, 2017.



Supporting health and wellness priorities for students and staff

A message from the Superintendent

The new year provides a perfect opportunity to re-energize the many efforts underway in our school division to support the health and well-being of our students, staff and families. We know that ensuring a healthy physical, social and emotional environment in our schools can positively impact student performance and academic achievement, which allows students to reach their potential.

Alberta Education is determined to incorporate First Nations, Métis and Inuit (FNMI) perspectives in Alberta schools, which is a priority we share in Chinook's Edge. We are committed to honouring and celebrating Indigenous students and teachings. This enhances the cultural and academic experiences not only for our Indigenous students, but for all students who enter our facilities. Under the guidance of our FNMI Steering Committee and our Learning Services team, part of this important work may involve introducing students to the culture and practices of the local Indigenous community through such activities as a Smudging Ceremony. For information on this learning activity, please refer to the Smudging Ceremony document under the Parent section of our website at www.cesd73.ca.

We are grateful to everyone whose efforts are supporting our quality learning priorities for all students, and we wish each of our Chinook's Edge families a happy and healthy new year.

Kurt Sacher

Superintendent of Schools

If you have a question for Superintendent Kurt Sacher or any Chinook's Edge Trustee, please visit the 'Parents Matter Question Box' link under the 'Board' tab on our website at www.cesd73.ca.