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the contribution you
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Quality Citizen Luncheon & Student of the Month

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Remembrance Day,
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Lacombe FCSS,
City of Lacombe
Family Literacy
Program



Lakeside Sargent Ladies
Club
Breakfast Club

Thank You
for Your
Support!

Quality Citizenship Recognition -

December 2019



École Lacombe Upper Elementary School recognizes the value, necessity and significance of positive, contributing citizens within our school, community and society. It is our goal as a school, in conjunction with the home, to develop and enhance citizenship qualities and characteristics within individuals. This will provide an opportunity for every student in École Lacombe Upper Elementary School to work towards realizing his/her own personal aspirations while making a positive contribution to society as a whole. Students who demonstrate behaviors as delineated in the following criteria shall be eligible for the Quality Citizenship Recognition Award.

Demonstrate positive interpersonal relationships with peers and adults.

Demonstrate a consistent high level of responsibility, dependability and cooperation.

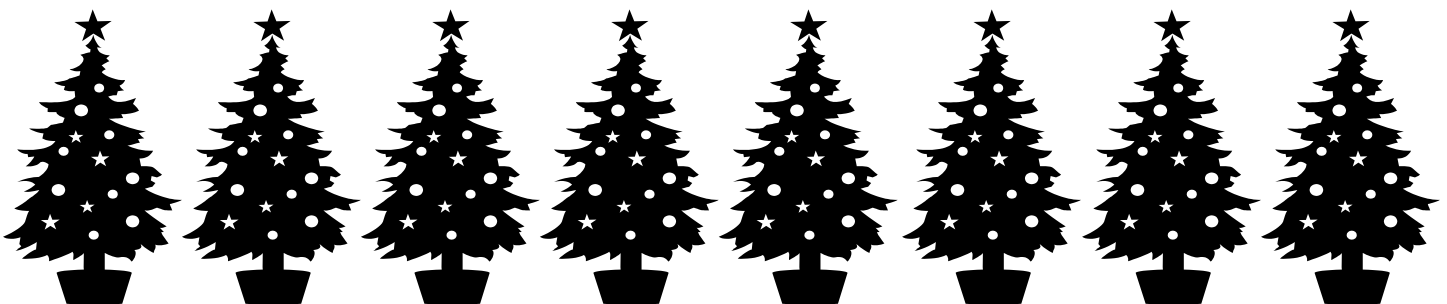
Demonstrate a high level of consideration for the personal feelings and property of others.

Demonstrate a positive role model in terms of leadership and participation in both school and classroom activities.

This month, the following students are being recognized as outstanding citizens and have been treated to a complimentary lunch from Boston Pizza on December 18th:

Jensen D'Eall	Danielle Bodnar	Hayden Hancock	Cash Barnes
Maielle Sydenham	Kingston Schultz	Trauner Carley	Kaylee Halls
Emily Thiessen	Chloe Collins	Jasey Ten Hove	Claire Grovet
Ava-Jean Godberson	Derek Gagnon	Landon Salsbury	Jolea Bullert
Hailey Vasseur	Sammi Nicholas		

Congratulations to these outstanding citizens and also to our Staff of the Month: Mme Ince, Ms. Kramer and Ms. Marshall



Subway Students of the Month - December 2019



- ◆ Commencing the fourth week of September and ending the last week of June, each homeroom teacher will select three or four students once a month for this student recognition program.
- ◆ Students for this program will demonstrate academic excellence and/or excellent academic effort.
- ◆ Students who are chosen for this program will be called to the office by the administration and bring with them the work for which they have been selected. The student will share/discuss the work with the administration.
- ◆ A copy of the student's work and the student's picture will be displayed on the Student of the Month boards outside the general office for the following month. The student's name will also be announced.
- ◆ Students will receive a certificate highlighting their accomplishment and they will receive a gift coupon from the Student of the Month Sponsor, Subway.
- ◆ The administration will make a Happy Call to each student's parents/guardian congratulating the student on his/her accomplishment (s).

Thora Michalski

Walker Rice

Emily Young

Lexi Metro

Taylor Callicott

Alexya Metro

McKenna Chalmers

Luka Collins

Molly Whitbread

Evony Morrison-Martin

Branden Sydenham

Kennedy Hoyle

Kiara Syson

Presley Wyse

Karver Finnson

Kaylee Wasylcia

Olivia Hale

Connor Dickson

London Ueland-Kewin

Logan Skinner

Kira Mason

Raven Mago

Graden Bundock

Wade Zobel

Marley Shipton

Taryn Davies

Sarah Hughes

Ember Bussiere

Logan Callihoo

Sienna Lowe

Blake Chalmers

Cody Mimmagh

Jaxxon Mackenzie

Finn Yzerman

Lily Souveng

Liam Carlton

Lowen Steinkay

Julie Zimmer

Rhea Graham

Jannessa Stegle

Avriee Peavoy

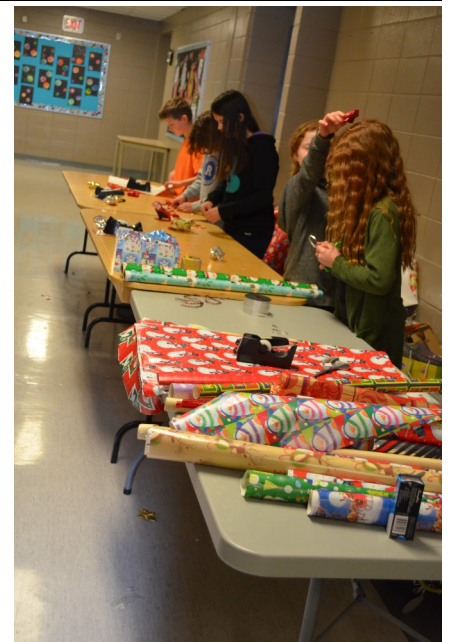
Service Learning Projects

White Elephant Sale

-Mrs. Wagar and Mrs. Freitag's classes would like to thank all of the staff and parents who donated items, wrapping paper, and bags for our sale. We would also like to thank all of our ELUES shoppers. Thanks to you we raised \$1712.75!! We are still deciding which charities we will donate our money to.

Basket Raffle & Candy Cane Sale

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Candy Cane and Basket raffle sale. Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Mackay-Hawkin's classes put together some amazing looking baskets! \$1216.85 was raised. This was OUTSTANDING! All funds raised supported Santa's Anonymous. Even those that did not win a raffle basket won by giving to this great cause.



Cribbage Club

Crib Club will start in January. Everyone interested in joining can meet in Room B105 on Tuesdays during the lunch recess. Students can learn how to play and practice their skills. It's a great game that encourages mathematical thinking.

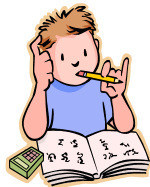
All interested parents or adult volunteers are most welcome to come and join us as well.



The Cribbage Coaches this year are Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Wagar.

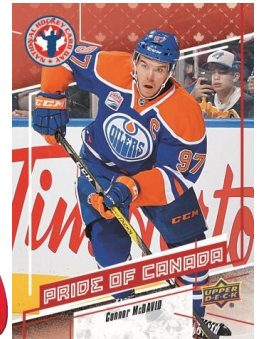
Homework Hotspot!

Don't forget! All students are welcome to sign up for Homework Hotspot on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 3:25 to 3:55 in Room A108. (Learning Commons)



Collector's Club

Calling all collectors!! Starting on Tuesday, January 7th you are invited to share and enjoy your collections with your friends. This club will be held on Tuesdays during the winter months in room C210. Collections such as hot wheel cars, hockey cards, rocks, stamps and so much more are welcome. Thank you Mrs. Leidl for running this great noon hour club!



Our students collected 453 pounds of food for the Lacombe Food Bank this Christmas!



Music Notes!



We have had a very enjoyable and successful first term with our Music Club at ELUES with about 55 eager singers coming out each week. They love to sing and are not afraid of a crowd! This year our performances at the Lacombe Rotary Carol Festival and at the Wolf Creek Administrator's event were well received and the students had fun using their talents for others. We were once again very proud of the way the students sang and the enjoyment that was shown on their faces as they performed.



We are looking forward to a very exciting "post-Christmas" singing season. We already have some music in the works for spring and will be adding more in the New Year. We are planning on singing at the Lacombe and District Music Festival and we are hoping to sing in Red Deer at a program called "Choir Kids" in May. "Choir Kids" is a wonderful program where

school choirs get to sing a couple of songs accompanied by members of the Red Deer Symphony Orchestra. This will be the 15th year that we have the opportunity to apply for this event.

Thanks to those parents who have allowed their children to be a part of our choir. They truly are an amazing group of kids and we are grateful that we get to share some music with them! -



Mr. Epp and Mrs. Leidl



Sports & Leadership

Leadership

The Gr. 6'ers have continued to apply their skills during all of our school activities. As we begin the new year we will be looking at the skills and personality traits of positive leaders.

Christmas Spirit Days

Thanks to the Grade 6 Leadership group who did an awesome job of helping out with the 12 Days of Christmas! Some of our fun activities included a Jingle Bell Dance, Christmas Music Bingo and a Kindness and Appreciation day. This was a great way to get in the Christmas spirit!



ÉLUES Basketball Club!

Our next after school sports club to look forward to will be basketball. Any Grade 4, 5 and 6 students interested in coming out to after school Basketball Club are welcome!



Club starts February 4th and will go until March 19th. Basketball will run 3:30-4:30 p.m. Students who are interested in improving their basketball skills and getting to know other students are encouraged to attend. We look forward to playing some exciting 'hoops' with everyone! Further details will be sent out closer to our start date.

Skating: The students had a great time skating during the month of December. Thank you for the donations of skates, helmets, elbow pads and neck guards. Please feel free to bring in any further donations of equipment at any time.



Physical Education Classes

Curling: Grade 6 classes will be heading to the curling rink starting January 20th. We will send home curling times and permission forms in the New Year. We would really appreciate any parent/grandparent volunteers for extra supervision on the ice. Please check in with your child's teacher or email Mr. Miller (bruce.miller@wolfcreek.ab.ca) and let us know if you are able to give a hand.



January 2020

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			1	2	3	4
						
5	6 Back to School	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15 Subway Hot Lunch	16	17 Staff PD/ Collaboration Day	18
19	20	21 Booster Juice Snack	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29 School Council Meeting 7:15 pm Boston Pizza QC Luncheon	30	31	

February 2020

Sun

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Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Student Growth Conferences		Staff PD/ Collaboration DAY	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Swimming begins for Grade 6's, Wagar, Leidl and Freitag					
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	FAMILY DAY No School	EDO No School	Staff PD/ Collaboration DAY	Teacher's Convention		
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
			Quality Citizen Boston Pizza Luncheon			