

# FLEETWOOD BAWDEN

## February 2022 Newsletter



### A Message from the Office:

February is always a special month. Both Valentine's Day and Pink Shirt Day remind us to show care, love, and kindness towards others. What can we do for one another to brighten someone's day?

This month, we challenge all of our Fleetwood Bawden Family members to think about the small things we can do each day to show kindness and care. Give a compliment! Hold a door open! Give a high five!

We'll start: Thank you to all of our families for your patience, understanding, and kindness since our school year began. Every day brings with it different challenges and celebrations. We are so fortunate to share our days with your children. Thank you!

## F.Y.I.'S

### Co-Vid Questionnaire

Please remember to check the Co-vid Questionnaire if your child is not feeling well. There are often AHS changes to this questionnaire in regard to steps to take if your child has any Co-vid symptoms. This is posted on our school and division website and updated regularly. Thank you for your assistance with this. It is very much appreciated!

### Spaghetti Western Hot Lunch FOR ALL

This month's hot lunch is Spaghetti and will be provided by the school! Free hot lunch for all students! This is also our Western Spirit Day so bring those cowboy boots and cowboy hats!

We look forward to a warm meal with our classmates, served up by Mrs. Fox. Thank you, Mrs. Fox!

## Parking Concerns

We have noticed an increased number of complaints and issues with parking both in our parking lot and on the street.

Parking is never an easy feat around an elementary school. We know it can be challenging but please keep the following in mind:

We must follow the rules of the road. This includes not blocking others in, keeping lanes, driveways, and crosswalks clear, and refraining from poor language or actions. Small eyes and ears are listening and learning.

The Parking Lot Stalls are for staff use only.

Thank you.

## LATE ARRIVALS

Recently, we have seen an increase in students arriving late for school.

The beginning of the school day is very important as it begins the day's routine and often consists of important literacy and numeracy skills.

We understand that home circumstances can make it challenging to arrive at school on time but it truly is a critical part of your child's school day.

We appreciate your efforts in this regard.

## Reporting an Absence or Late Arrival

If you know your child will be absent from school or will arrive late, please enter this information using SafeArrival.

SafeArrival can be accessed via the School Messenger App. You may also call the SafeArrival line @ 1-800-920-3897

If you experience any difficulties in setting up your SafeArrival App, please contact Tina at our division office @ 403-380-5300

Absences and lates can be entered in advance and can also be entered for a range of dates.

Thank you!

## FUN @ FLEETWOOD





# FLEETWOOD CALENDAR

## FEBRUARY 2022

MON.	TUE.	WED.	THU.	FRI.
	1 <sup>st</sup> School Division Town Hall Mtg  Chinese New Year	2 <sup>nd</sup> Groundhog Day	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
7 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup>	9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup> Valentine Cards are due to classrooms by today
14 <sup>th</sup> Valentine's Day Activities Wear Red, Pink, or White	15 <sup>th</sup>	16 <sup>th</sup> Pink Shirt Day Wear a pink shirt	17 <sup>th</sup> School-wide Spaghetti Hot Lunch  Western Spirit Day	18 <sup>th</sup>
21 <sup>st</sup> Family Day	22 <sup>nd</sup>	23 <sup>rd</sup>	24 <sup>th</sup> Teacher's Convention	25 <sup>th</sup> Teacher's Convention
Winter Break - No School for Students				
28 <sup>th</sup>				

### Outside Recess and Proper Clothing

Please ensure your child is prepared for winter weather, even if the sun is shining outside. The weather in Lethbridge can change quickly and our students will go outside if temperatures allow. A warm jacket, toque, mitts, and winter boots are a great idea during these uncertain winter days.

If you need assistance accessing these items for your child, please let their teacher know.