# **CRICHTON PARK CHRONICLE**

#### March 2023



#### UPCOMING DATES

March 3- Tattletales Coins for Books

March 5- HSA Family Skate Oval 2-4

March 6- HSA Meeting 6:30

March 13-17- March Break

March 20- Assessment and Evaluation Day (no students)

March 27-29- Reports will be emailed

March 29- PT Interviews 5:30-7:30

March 30- no students PD Day in morning and PT Interviews 1:00-3:00

March 21-31- Book Fair in Library

Twitter: @Crichton\_Park Website: crp.hrce.ca

### A MESSAGE FROM OUR HOME AND SCHOOL

The Crichton Park Home and School Association invites all families for a skate and hot chocolate at the Halifax Emera Oval, Sunday, March 5th, 2-4pm. Helmets are required for those under 12, and rental skates and helmets are available with gov ID. Strollers are allowed, and skate aids are available. We want to thank all families who came to our movie night in February - our first in four years! Our Spring Fair returns this year too and we are seeking volunteers to run the games, face painting, bake sale donations, and silent auction items. Maybe you have a family cottage that you can donate for a weekend getaway? Or have a service or business donation to share with the school? Please get in touch with us: CrichtonparkHSA@gmail.com

\*The Home and School welcomes new members at any time. Meetings are once per month at the school (with virtual option). Our next meeting is Monday March 6th, 6:30-7:30pm. To join, please email: CrichtonparkHSA@gmail.com Thank you to our SAC for helping build classroom libraries with high engagement books! Panda is enjoying one too!



#### HOW CAN OUR HRCE PARENT NAVIGATOR BE INVOLVED?

- Assist in the registration process.
- Facilitate sessions where parents can learn about the vast services of HRCE and how our Parent Navigator can help support them with those services.
- Help with tours for new student enrolment, particularly with newcomer families.
- Attend school related functions like parent teacher, spring fairs, etc.
  Natasha Horne nhorne@hrce.ca

## WHAT ELSE IS HAPPENING AT CRICHTON PARK?

We have some staff changes in our 5/6 classes to share. We are happy to have Mrs. Starr as our Acting Vice Principal. Ms. Matheson is now teaching 5/6 with Mrs. Starr as well as continuing in Core French. Mr. Dorion joined us February 1st in the other 5/6 class. We wish Mrs. Cleversey a wonderful deferred leave.

It is not too late! Please register your child for Primary if they are 5 years of age as of December 31, 2023 and register your child for Pre-Primary if they are 4 years of age by December 31, 2023. If you have any questions about the registration process call Ms. Bohemier at the office (902-464-2503).

Please help us spread the word in the community. Our staffing is based on early registration and it is very important that our numbers are fairly accurate.

Please be reminded that if your address has changed, you need to let to us know as soon as possible. Out-of-area applications begin April 3rd at 8am.

We are expecting roof construction to continue until the end of March. If extended, this will be communicated.

Thank you for your help in keeping our parking lot safe. We appreciate you parking in alternate locations between 8am-4pm.

Please reach out any time with questions or concerns.

Yours in education, Suzanne Hawkes and Kate Starr