
TELKWA SCHOOL NEWS

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Principal's Message

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Happy New Year! I hope you all had a wonderful break and managed to find some quiet time to rest and relax. Staff and students are beginning to settle back into routines and are working hard. It can often be difficult for some students to settle back in after a long break so maintaining routines at home, such as getting enough sleep and eating healthy, will help your child focus and be successful at school. At this time, I would like to welcome back Ms. vonSeydlitz to Telkwa Elementary School. She will be sharing the grade 3/4 class with Ms. Vaughn.



Kindergarten Registration

This year, kindergarten registrations will take place the week of **Jan. 20th - Jan. 24** for children who will be five (5) years old on or before December 31, 2025. Registration during this time is required to assist in the planning and organization of our schools. Proof of age (original birth certificate) and BC Care Card must be presented at the time of registration. If you have any questions, please call the school. If you know of families that have kindergarten age children for next year, please pass this information on. There are registration forms on our website or you can come in and get a package at the office.



National Family Literacy Day

We will be celebrating Family Literacy week Jan. 27 - 31. We will start the week with a parfait breakfast in classrooms while reading/listening to stories. During the week, students will be working on a school wide Literacy Bingo activity. Additional literacy activities may also be occurring in various classrooms. To close the week, we are inviting parents to join us for a **Family Pancake Breakfast & Read on Fri. Jan. 31.** Pancakes will be served from 8:15 - 9:00 in the gym. After families have eaten, they can make their way to the Library and Multi-purpose Room to read together.

Lost Ring

If you lost a ring prior to Christmas break, we may have found it. Please contact the office to inquire.

Library Books

Thank you for helping your child remember to bring their books back each week to either renew or exchange. Many children have long overdue books and Library notices will come out again soon if this applies to your child. Please help you child(ren) find any books they may have at home, and if they are lost, please pay the fine in the office. If you find the book at a later date, please return it and we will refund you.

PAC News

We hope everyone had a fantastic winter break. We are thrilled with the results of our Turkey dinner raffle, selling out of tickets means we raised \$1000 to continue to support our amazing school! Between the raffle fundraiser, generous donations from local businesses and recent grant funding we are happy to say we will be able to continue offering free Wednesday hot lunches for at least a few months. You will also see new Telkwa School jerseys in the near future. As we enter the winter months, we are looking forward to our annual dessert auction coming up on February 21st and we hope to be running some community Bingo nights soon. If you're interested in helping with either of these events, please reach out to one of our PAC members on our Telkwa Elementary School PAC Facebook page or come to our next meeting this coming Monday January 13th at 12:15 in the multipurpose room at the school.

DATES TO REMEMBER

January	13	PAC Meeting @ 12:15 in MPR
	20	2025-2026 Kindergarten Registration begins
	24	Pizza Lunch
February	14	Pro-D Day (no school)
	17	Family Day (no school)