



École Birds Hill School

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WEEK AT A GLANCE



Monday, March 16th - DAY 6	Lunch Program Meeting - 6:00-6:30pm PAC Meeting - 6:30-7:30pm Gymnastics Club - Grades 3-5 @ 12:15pm MYRCA Club - Grades 4 & 5 @ 12:55pm
Tuesday, March 17th - DAY 1	HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY Report Cards Posted in ParentPortal Gymnastics Club - Grades 3-5 @ 12:15pm MYRCA Club - Grades 4 & 5 @ 12:55pm
Wednesday, March 18th - DAY 2	MYRCA Club - Grades 4 & 5 @ 12:55pm Tumbling Rally @ Bernie Wolfe - 6:30pm
Thursday, March 19th - DAY 3	MYRCA Club - Grades 4 & 5 @ 12:55pm Celebration of Numeracy Learning - 6:00-8:00pm Book Fair in ÉBHS Library
Friday, March 20th - DAY 6	NO SCHOOL - Coordinated Day

STAY ON TRACK

- Please call or email school office with ALL student pick ups by 3:40pm if possible. Our phone number is 204-663-7669 | Email: bh@retsd.mb.ca
- When dropping off & signing in students for a late arrival, students will head to class independently once approved by office staff.
- There is now a feminine hygiene product dispenser in the Grade 4/5 girl's bathroom, teachers will advise students on this in the coming weeks.
- Please be mindful to leave enough space (~6m) around the bus loop entrance and exit on the south side of the building so buses can safely enter and exit.
- Students CANNOT be dropped off prior to 9:10am as that is when our supervisors arrive
- Please make sure to pack warm clothes for your student as they will be going outside for recess! Mitts, hats, ski pants, boots & winter jackets are a must!
- Please send an extra set of clothes in your students backpack. Our fields can get very wet & accidents happen!
- Reminder, as head lice can occur throughout the year, we encourage you to check your child's head regularly. If you should discover your child has head lice, click here for a [Head Lice Fact Sheet](#) from the Manitoba Health website. It provides information about head lice, how to detect it, and how it can be treated.

IMPORTANT DATES

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Bernie Wolfe

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Celebration of
Numeracy Learning
6:00-8:00 pm

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EBHS Library

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Co-ordinated Day
NO SCHOOL

March 30th-April 3rd
Spring Break

Thursday, April 9th
Pita Pit Hot Lunch
ORDER DEADLINE: April 1st

*** NO Early Dismissal on Friday, March 27th ***

Important Links

[PowerSchool Parent Portal](#)
[RETSD PowerSchool Guide](#)
[Parent Portal for Guardians](#)

School Calendars

[2025-2026 Divisional Calendar](#)
[Kindergarten Even-Day \(Caterpillars\)](#)
[Kindergarten Odd-Day \(Ladybugs\)](#)

CELEBRATION OF NUMERACY LEARNING

Our Celebration of Numeracy Learning is coming up on March 19 from 6:00–8:00 PM! 🎉

This is a special evening where students get to show off what they've been learning in math and share their classroom experiences with their families. We're excited to welcome everyone into the school to celebrate the great thinking, problem-solving, and learning happening every day at École Birds Hill School!

Each visit will be 15 minutes long, with four families per time slot, so everyone has a chance to connect and see what students have been working on.

Conference bookings are now open through the SchoolSoft Conference Manager and will remain **open until March 18th at 10:00 PM.**

LOG IN HERE:

<https://retsd.schoolsoft.com/login.jsf>

Forgot your password? No worries—you can reset it right from the site.

We can't wait to see families in the building and celebrate all the fantastic learning happening at École Birds Hill School!

BOOK FAIR ALERT!

Our Scholastic Book Fair is happening on Thursday, March 19th, during our Celebration of Learning! Families are invited to stop by, browse the shelves, and discover some great new books while visiting the school. From exciting adventures and laugh-out-loud stories to fun nonfiction, there's something for every kind of reader.

The Book Fair is also a wonderful way to support our school — every purchase helps earn new books and resources for our school library and classrooms.

Want to get a sneak peek or shop online? Visit our Book Fair homepage [HERE](#)



HOT LUNCH IS HERE!



Reminder: The next Hot Lunch will be , after Spring Break from Pita Pit on April 9th!

The deadline for ordering is Wednesday, April 1st @ 11:59 PM

Go to MunchaLunch.com/schools/birdshill to place any future orders!

2026 HOT LUNCH DATES:

- Thursday, April 9th (ODD DAY) - Pita Pit (Order Deadline: Wednesday, April 1st)
- Friday, April 24th (EVEN DAY) - Booster Juice (Order Deadline: Monday, April 13th)
- Friday, May 8th (EVEN DAY) - McDonald's (Order Deadline: Thursday, April 16th)
- Friday, May 22nd (ODD DAY) - Booster Juice (Order Deadline: Monday, May 11th)

Important Info:

- Any questions regarding Hot Lunches or if you need help ordering: **BirdsHillPAC@outlook.com**
- If your child is away on lunch day, you're welcome to pick up their meal; otherwise, it will be donated.
- Please note that all orders are non-refundable, as this is a PAC fundraiser supporting our playground, classrooms, and other school needs.

BOOK DONATIONS



This month, the Grade 1 and 2 classes will be collecting books for the Children's Hospital Book Market in support of the Children's Hospital Foundation of Manitoba.

We are asking families to look through their homes for gently used or new books that they would be willing to donate. The books are then sold at a market, and the proceeds go toward supporting the Children's Hospital.

Thank you for helping us make a difference in our community!

PAC SPRING FUNDRAISING



Thank you for the support in our Central Meats, Krispy Kreme and GlenLea fundraisers so far!

Good news – you can still order plants through GlenLea online under École Birds Hill School until April 15. There are so many plants to choose from, and you will be supporting our school in our playground renewal efforts. To order plants today visit: **Fundraiser Group Selection – Glenlea Greenhouses**. Once you select our school, you can start shopping!

Item pick-up will take place on:

- o Krispy Kreme & Central Meats - March 19 from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm Please note this is during the Celebration of Learning
- o Glenlea - May 13 from 3:30 pm – 6:00 pm

Thanks again for the ongoing support, we couldn't do the amazing work at our school without you!

Did you know that we have a PAC run Facebook page? Search École Birds Hill School and join us for updates and be part of the community!

RETLIFE SPRING PROGRAMMING IS OPEN FOR REGISTRATION!

Spring is almost here and what better way to fill your time, while waiting for the snow to melt, than taking a RETLife class? We have several new and unique programs (as well as the return of some popular classics) so there is always something for everyone of every age – and it's close to home! Spring programming includes:

- Bricks4Kidz – Amusement Park Engineers (ages 6 – 11)
- Bricks4Kidz – STEAM park Builders (ages 3 – 5)
- Bricks4Kidz – Preschool LEGO Engineering (ages 4 – 5)
- Green Action Centre – Vermicomposting for Parents and Kids
- Kids Can Draw
- Engineering for Kids
- Parent and Child Cooking Classes
- Stay Safe
- Babysitting
- Intro to Martial Arts
- Spirit of Sport
- Summer Day Camps

And much more!

Visit RETLife for more information or to register for the classes of your choice! Don't delay – register today as space is starting to fill up!

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Spring Break Adventure Camp \$170/person

4 DAYS OF ADVENTURES
MARCH 30-
APRIL 2

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

The graphic features a collage of photos showing children participating in various activities like martial arts, dance, and group games.

EASTER PANCAKE BREAKFAST

DATE: SATURDAY APRIL 4, 2025
TIME: 9AM - 11AM
LOCATION: 266 HODDINOTT - BANQUET HALL
PRICE: \$10/PERSON
CHILDREN 4 & UNDER FREE

PANCAKES, SAUSAGES, COFFEE & JUICE
PICTURES WITH THE EASTER BUNNY
(USE YOUR OWN DEVICE)
EASTER CRAFT

PRE-REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE
PAYMENT IS DUE THE DAY OF EVENT - CASH OR DEBIT



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SPRING PROGRAM REGISTRATION

The graphic includes a large pink flower illustration.

Child: Martial Arts / Toddler Drop In
Tuesdays / Kids Dance / Lullaland

Adult: Mat Pilates/ Zumba/ Flexy Fit / Flexy
Flow / Yogalates / Gentle Yoga

Stay tuned for more!
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