

Angus McKay School

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Principal's Report April 3, 2024

April Overview

- Welcome to Term 3!
- We had some extensive excavation work done at the front of the school during Spring Break. The purpose of this work was to clear and repair the underground lines, and thus the draining and flushing functions here inside the school. The job has been completed successfully.
- Information was sent home to families regarding the Solar Eclipse taking place on Monday, April 8th, and the safety precautions we will follow by way of indoor lunch and afternoon recesses that day.
- Our spring Bus Evacuation practice will take place on Tuesday, April 9th in the morning.
- We are finalizing plans to recognize International Day of Pink on Wednesday, April 10th.
- Students in Grades 2 through 5 who self-identify as Indigenous have been invited to attend a four-part drumming workshop here at the school run by our divisional Indigenous Inclusion Specialist. Sessions begin on April 10th.
- We will also acknowledge Earth Day this month: two of our teachers are currently collaborating on a plan for all students.
- There is no school for students on Monday, April 22nd. Teachers will be engaged in professional learning about neurodiversity in the morning, and about our land acknowledgment statement in the afternoon.
- Our Grade 2 class will be putting on a Poetry Recital on Friday, April 26th in the afternoon: families will be invited to attend.
- Rehearsals are underway for our Spring Musical, "Pirates," which will take place on Tuesday, May 7th.

Respectfully Submitted-Bailey McIntyre, Principal

