

# Bowden Grandview School

March 8, 2021.



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## Parent Spring Survey 2021

As vital partners in your child's education, we believe the parent voice is extremely important. We would like to invite you to give us your thoughts on how we are doing at Bowden Grandview School through our annual Parent Spring Survey. We are interested in our parent perception on areas we are doing well in and those that need more work. We will use this data to plan for the remainder of this year and next year. Please look for an email that was sent out last week that will have a link to our survey.

Thank you in advance for your input!

Bowden Grandview Staff



### Parent Teacher Interviews

March 18th

Please call Bowden  
School to book your  
appointment before

March 16th

403-224-3422



## Elementary Talent Show

Record your talent on video and send to your Google Classroom under the Music Topic.



Video: 2 min max.(approx)

We'll create an online show!

Due date : Submit video by

April 1

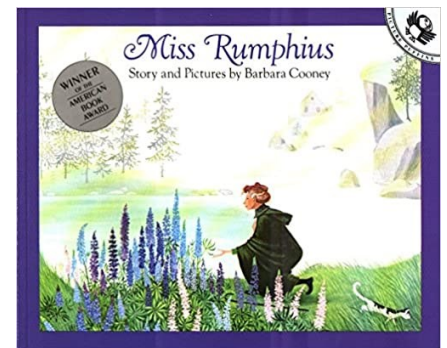
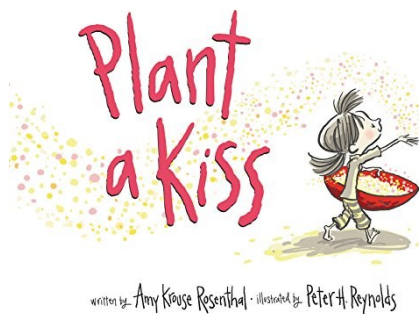
Have fun!

## Literacy Corner

The name March comes from Latin *martius*, after Mars, the Roman God of war, because in Roman times this month signaled the beginning of warfare. Here in Bowden, it signals the time of year when we line up snow pants and shorts. It might snow, or it might get to +18. Everything is possible. But we are okay with our unpredictable weather because March is full of fun things to celebrate and learn about. In March, some students are busy building leprechaun traps. March is also a great month to celebrate Spring and to eat spinach and waffles (Spinach Day and Waffles Day). It's also the ideal time to learn more about Dr. Seuss, Albert Einstein, Vincent Van Gogh, and Sebastian Bach, who were all born this month.

March 12: It's Plant a Flower Day! It might be too early to plant flowers outside but you can plant kisses instead. Find inspiration in adorable and sparkly *Plant a Kiss* by Amy Krouse Rosenthal, illustrated by everybody's favorite artist Peter Reynolds (author of *The Dot*).

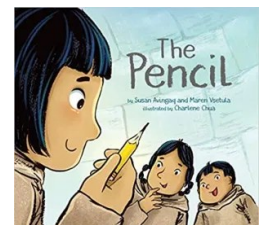
But if it's real flowers you want to read about today, then try *Miss Rumphius*, written and illustrated by Barbara Cooney (a two-time Caldecott medalist, as well as a recipient of a National Book Award and a Hans Christian Andersen Award, the highest international recognition for creators of children's books).



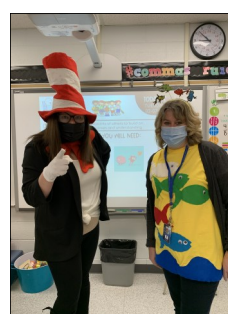
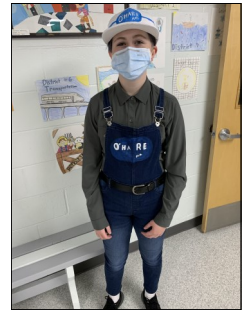
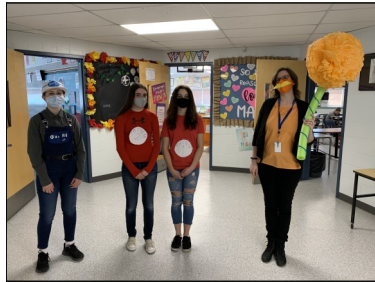
## Indigenous Education

*The Pencil* by Susan Avingaq and Maren Vsetula, Illustrated by Charlene Chua

Inspired by Susan Avingaq's childhood memories of growing up in an iglu, *The Pencil* tells the story of three siblings who covet the only pencil in their iglu, which their mother uses to write letters. When their mother leaves for the day, they try to entertain themselves with their toys. But when their father brings out the pencil, they begin drawing on their only piece of paper. By the time their mother returns, only a little bit of the pencil is left. I love this tale about using possessions wisely and valuing what we have. The trio also collaborated on the picture book *Fishing with Grandma*.



# Dr. Seuss Day at Bowden Grandview



## **FOG - 2021 SPRING FLOWER FUNDRAISER**

### **11" Premium Hanging Basket - \$25.00**



These baskets are all designed using only high end plant material (partial shade to full sun) from the best plant suppliers in the World. These baskets all feature bright, vibrant colour combinations including many different varieties of plants. They will come in a classy pot to compliment any decor.



### **12" Premium Patio Planter - \$35.00**



These beauties are also designed using only the best plant material (partial shade to full sun), supplied by the World's top plant suppliers. All patio planters feature bright, bold colours and most include tall accent plants as centers to add dimension to these large works of art. They will add a touch of class to your landscape. These enormous plants will easily be seen from the road attracting the attention of your neighbours & guests.



### **10" Tomato Planter with Cage - \$16.00**

These self-contained planters do not require transplanting into the ground. You can place them on your deck or anywhere in your yard. We provide a selection of the most popular tomato varieties that will produce numerous tomatoes all season long.



### **12 Pack Assorted 4" Herb Tray - \$35.00**

A selection of the most popular herbs, 6 varieties per tray (two of each variety). Grown in the prairies for prairie customers. These can be grown all season allowing you to cut off sprigs for months. These fresh sprigs make great ingredients for your recipes or as garnish to complete your plate.



### **4" Strawberry Plant - \$3.00**

These are all ever bearing strawberry plants. Easy to grow and will provide a tasty treat all summer long. Perfect for a patio pot or you can plant them right into your garden.

*Please Note: The pictures supplied above are sample pictures only. Though we strive to supply the plants shown, we cannot guarantee they will all be available at the time of delivery.*

**All Plants Grown Locally With Care By Ever-Green Greenhouses Ltd.**

## FOG Bowden Grandview School - 2021 Spring Flower Fundraising Sale

Student/ Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/Team: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

ORDERS DUE NO LATER THAN: Friday, April 16, 2021

DROP THE ORDER OFF WITH: Bowden Grandview School

PICKUP LOCATION WILL BE: Bowden School, Tuesday, May 4

**Instructions For Members:**

- 1 - Fill In Customer Name and Phone Number
- 2 - Fill in the Customer Orders by Marking How Many of Each Individual Item Was Ordered. Check Your Addition When Totalling the Orders.
- 3 - Payment Must Accompany the Orders (Cash or Cheque) When Handling The Order Sheets In
- 4 - Please Make Cheques Payable to FOG

CUSTOMER NAME	PHONE NUMBER	11" Premium Hanging Basket \$25.00 EACH	12" Premium Patio Planter \$35.00 EACH	10" Tomato Planter with Cage \$18.00 EACH	4" Herb Tray \$35.00 EACH	4" Strawberry \$3.00 EACH	TOTAL	PAID
First and Last (Print Please)	(XXX) XXX-XXXX	Quantity - Assorted Colours	Quantity - Assorted Colours	Quantity - Assorted Varieties	Quantity - Assorted Varieties	Quantity - Assorted Varieties	(\$)	Y/N
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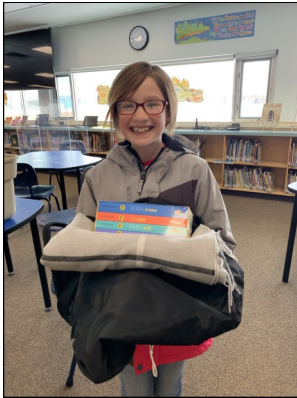
NOTE: If You Have Any Questions Please Contact the Fundraising Coordinator: Karen Fagan, 403-357-8404

## Accelerated Reader

Congratulations to our Accelerated Reader Winners!

Kiera Shaw won a book set, bag and scarf.

Lincoln MacDonald won a Boom Box.



## Ready, Set, Go!

Welcome to Online Kindergarten Registration  
for the 2021-2022 school year!

Beginning on January 11<sup>th</sup>  
please visit our school  
website to register online



# Do you feel stressed or uncertain about parenting your teen or preteen during the COVID-19 crisis?

Join our Parenting During a Pandemic program

Our online group education program helps parents explore how adolescent development can affect preteen and teen reactions to crisis and teaches them strategies for coping



Boys & Girls Club  
of Red Deer & District

## Workshop Dates

Workshops will occur on Mondays and meeting once weekly.  
We are offering 2 separate time slots for the program.

Monday Mornings | 10:30 AM till 12:00 PM  
Monday Evenings | 6:30 PM till 8:00 PM

## For More Information

Contact [kevin@youthhq.ca](mailto:kevin@youthhq.ca) or visit us online at YouthHQ.ca