

Bowden Grandview School

December 11, 2023



What's Happening:

Monday, December 11

- Grade 1 & 2 Field Trip

Thursday, December 14

- Elementary Christmas Concert @ 6:30



Elementary Christmas Concert

Thurs. Dec. 14

6:30pm in the school gym

Come and enjoy some beautiful holiday music performed by our K-Gr. 6 students.

Donations for the food bank gratefully accepted.

We had a visit from CESD school board trustees Linda Wagers, Gord Kerr and Kathy Kemmere as well as Superintendent Kurt Sacher on December 5th. They spent time visiting classrooms and seeing all of the great things we do here at BGS. Pictured here they were able to see the grade 5 students getting ready for their Christmas Market.



Poinsettia orders will be delivered to the school on Wednesday December 13th. If you have ordered poinsettias, you can come pick them up on the afternoon of the 13th, or anytime on the 14th, including the evening during the Christmas Concert. Thank you to all who ordered, Student Council appreciates your support!

Blazer Athletics

Upcoming dates



December 11 - Sr. Boys basketball game @ Sunchild

December 13 - Grade 7/8s - Bowling

December 20 - Sr. Girls and Boys basketball game @ home vs. PAA

Gym @ Lunch Schedule

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
3 Sr. Boys Practice	4 Gym Closed	5 1-3 BASKETBALL	6 4-6 BASKETBALL	7 NO SCHOOL	8 9
10 Sr. Boys Practice	11 Gym Closed	12 Gym Closed	13 2-3 BASKETBALL	14 2-3 BASKETBALL	15 16
17 Sr. Boys Practice	18 2-3 BASKETBALL	19 4-6 BASKETBALL	20 Gym Closed	21 2-3 BASKETBALL	22 23 CHRISTMAS EVE
24	25	26	27	28	29 30
31	1	2	3	4	5 6

Holidays and Observances: 24, Christmas Eve, 25, Christmas Day, 31, New Years Eve

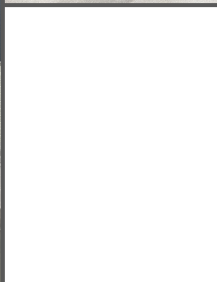


Little Shoppers would like to thank everyone for their generous support! We raised over \$700.00 for the Bowden Lions Holiday Hampers.



GRADE 5 CHRISTMAS MARKET

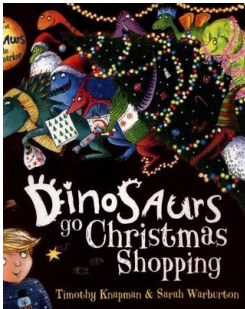
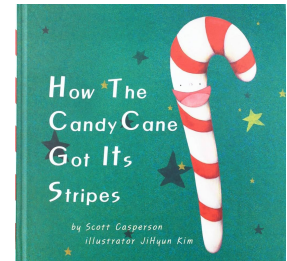
The Grade 5's had their Christmas Farmers Market on Thursday December 7th. They have spent the past month creating business names, logos, and products to sell. Thank you to all who supported the market. It was a huge success again this year.



Literacy Corner

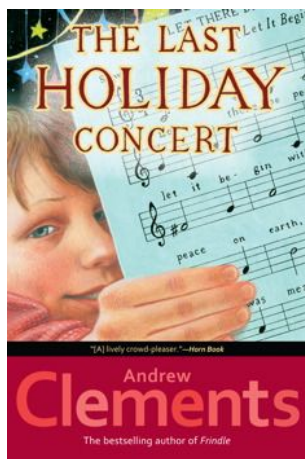
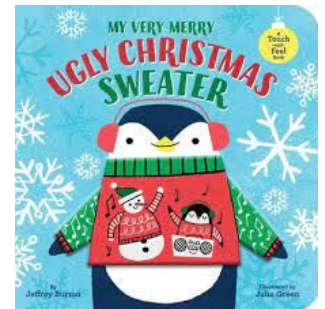
Our second week of December and things have been very busy here at BGS! We have had candy cane sales, little shoppers, farmers markets, Ugly Christmas Sweaters and we are gearing up for our Christmas Concert. In the theme of all things Christmas; here are a few more suggested titles for around your christmas tree or fire place!

How The Candy Cane Got Its Stripes is a children's holiday tale about self-discovery featuring the iconic candy cane as the hero. Cane, with his frosty pal Snoey, discovers what his purpose is for Christmas – to remind everyone that the only holiday gift that matters is friendship.



When a group of unruly dinosaurs threaten to ruin Christmas, one little boy decides to take charge. Will the dinosaurs listen? You bet they will!

Celebrate the perfect, ugly expression of holiday cheer in this Christmas touch-and-feel novelty book—with real, plush sweater material on the cover and a touch-and-feel elements throughout!



For Hart Evans, being the most popular kid in sixth grade has its advantages. Kids look up to him, and all the teachers let him get away with anything -- all the teachers except the chorus director, Mr. Meinert. When Hart's errant rubber band hits Mr. Meinert on the neck during chorus practice, it's the last straw for the chorus director, who's just learned he's about to lose his job due to budget cuts. So he tells the class they can produce the big holiday concert on their own. Or not. It's all up to them. And who gets elected to run the show? The popular Mr. Hart Evans.

Indigenous Education

Niaqualuk and Haugaaq live in Cambridge Bay, Nunavut. There is a big blizzard coming! Haugaaq wishes she could play outside more, but Niaqualuk is excited about playing inside. See what fun things the sisters do all day as the blizzard howls outside.





Bowden Lions Holiday Hampers

Bowden Lions Holiday Hampers are for individuals & families experiencing financial stress and are in need of extra assistance this holiday season. If you reside in the TDMDKD postal code area, you can qualify for a hamper.

To register for a Holiday Hamper, complete an application form. Forms are available at the Town of Bowden, Reddi Mart, FCSS, Bowden Grandview School, Bowden ATB, Town Newsletter. To refer a family or individual, you must have their permission prior to applying on their behalf.

Forms can be dropped off confidentially at Town Of Bowden office, Bowden Reddi Mart & Bowden ATB.

Delivery will be limited to those who have mobility issues, all other applicants must arrange to pick up hampers December 16th. Location will be provided to applicants.

We are accepting non-perishable food items & monetary donations. Food donations can be brought to the Town of Bowden office, Igloo Arena & Bowden Reddi Mart. Monetary donations can be made at Bowden ATB & Town of Bowden.

Here is a list of most needed items:

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| -Canned Meat | -Canned soup | -Peanut Butter | -Dry Soup |
| -Canned Tomato Products | -Canned "heat & eat" meals | -Mac & Cheese | -Juice boxes |
| -Canned Vegetables | -Crackers | -Dry Rice | -School Snacks |
| -Canned Fruit | -Packaged Cookies | -Dry Pasta | -Toothbrushes |
| -Canned beans | -Dish Soap | -Dry Cereal | -Toothpaste |

Please DO NOT donate the following items:

- Past date or open package food items (check dates before donating)
- Clothing
- Toys
- Other household items such as décor

Limit of ONE hamper application per household.
Applications due by Monday, December 11th.

If you have any questions regarding the Bowden Lions Holiday Hampers
Contact Lions Member Carla Sparks at 403-506-5222 or
Bowden FCSS at 403-224-2207





Bowden Lions Holiday Hamper Confidential Registration Form 2023

Applicant Name: _____

Applicant Phone/Cell: _____

Name of Hamper Recipient if different from applicant: _____

Recipient information:

Physical Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

People in household	Age	Dietary Restrictions (per person)

Pick Up ____ OR Delivery ____

NOTE: Delivery is only available for those with mobility issues. All others must arrange to pick up hamper on Dec. 16th. Pick up location will be provided to applicant.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____

Rules & Guidelines

1. Must reside in the TOM OKO area to receive a hamper
2. Limit one hamper application per household
3. Plan to pick up your hamper. Ask a neighbor, friend or family member to arrange a ride for you that day. Delivery is extremely limited and can only be provided to those with mobility issues.
4. Applications due by Monday, December 11th.
5. Pick up date is Saturday, December 16th. Location will be provided to applicant.

Questions? Contact Bowden Lions member Carla Sparks at 403-506-2222 or Bowden FCSS at 403-224-2207.

BOWDEN JUNGLE JUNCTION

Before/After School Care



December 2023

****Full Day Care offered (in Olds) over the holidays. Please contact Kass before Dec. 10th if interested or for more info.**

To Register, contact Kass:
(403) 559- 4884
kassbgcold@outlook.com



Information

BGC Olds and Area is excited to partner with Bowden Grandview School to offer before and after school care!

BGC Olds and Area has been providing licensed before and after school programs for children in Olds and area for the past 38 years! Our program provides children with a safe place to go in the out of school hours where they can have fun, interact with their peers, and develop skills that will last a lifetime.

Before School- \$250

After School- \$310

Full Time- \$380

Before and After Kindergarten- \$175

Drop In- \$20/segment

***Subsidies are available through the Government of Alberta for families with a household income less than \$89,999.

New Clubs!!!

Join us on Thursdays for our **Music Club**, where we get to explore the world of music and different instruments in our music corner.

Drop- in fees are \$20/session.



Volunteer Opportunities!!

If you know someone who would love to come and have fun while volunteering, Bowden Jungle Junction is the place to be! Also, if you're a high school student, volunteer hours look great on a resume! Please contact Kass if interested.

Check out our Instagram Page!

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Join the ADVENTURE!

Grades 9 -12

****Experience Two Iconic Cities:****
Explore the bustling streets of New York City and the historic landmarks of Washington, D.C. in one unforgettable trip!

APRIL 2024

For ALL the details
Visit <https://www.eftours.ca/tour-website/2616202HN>

**IT'S NOT TOO
LATE TO JOIN !**

Payment plans
offered - travel
now, pay later

Contact Mrs. Crandall kcrandall@cesd73.ca

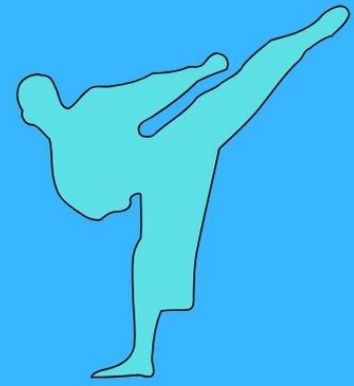
Call 1-800-263-2806 to enroll



**EDUCATIONAL
TOURS**



LET'S HAVE FUN!!



PATHFINDERS



Every Tuesday
January 2024
Grades 1-3 & 4-7
Olds Elementary School
3:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Fee: 10 Sessions / \$150

Find your area of passion with
 different activities each week,
 Swimming, Sports, Bowling and
 much more



REGISTER HERE



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