

Making a difference for children!

École John Wilson Elementary



Enrichir la vie des enfants!

A Fabulous ÉJWES 2010-2011 School Year Comes to a Close

I would like to take this time to send a huge thank you to all parents, community members and staff for a fantastic first year that has been filled with so many wonderful moments made possible because of your commitment to the children of Innisfail. In my first year at our school, I have been so impressed with the quality of teaching and learning, the level of art and music programming, the extra school-wide events /field trips and the amount of volunteer hours that are present at École John Wilson Elementary School. Each of these things takes a great deal of time and commitment by the adults involved and all of my observations saw adults gladly give their best to our students each and every day. The children at our school are truly blessed because of all that you do, and I am truly blessed as a principal to have found my way to such a great school community focused on the best for children's learning and growth.

It truly does take a village to raise a child and the Innisfail community is a shining example of how to come together for the health, happiness and education of our children.

Thank you for one of my most rewarding years as an educator. I am thrilled to be part of the ÉJWES team and look forward to a great 2011-2012 school year.

Have a safe, fun-filled summer.

Respectfully,
Jackie Taylor - Principal



In appreciation of all of your support this school year for our students and staff, we would like to host **Lunch with the Bunch on June 28th** and provide a **Hot Dog barbecue** for this lunch. We will locate our barbecue at the front of the school, closing the bus loop to allow us to have a school-wide picnic in this area. Please join your child for our last Lunch with the Bunch and a chance to all celebrate a great 2010-2011 school year.

June 29 Last Day of School

- ⇒ Early Dismissal at 1:30
- ⇒ Report Cards

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Getting Ready to Move On... ÉJWES Grade 4 Students Visit Innisfail Middle School

We wish our Grade 4 students all the best as they move on to Grade 5 at Innisfail Middle School. Students have spent time at IMS, with Mr. Jay Steeves and their staff, exploring the school and experiencing many of the programs that will be offered for the IMS Grades 5 to 7 students. We will certainly miss this fantastic group of students, but we know they are so excited about their new, grown up adventures that await them in their next school year.

**We are currently working on our new ÉJWES website!
Check out our new website www.johnwilsonschool.ca**

This website is a work in progress for us that will evolve for us as we head into our next school year. Currently we are training further on how to use the website to its fullest. The website will become a daily source of school and classroom information for parents to access. Before our summer break we will be sure to post all documents and student supply lists needed for the next school year. We will share all new website details with you when we return to school in September.



Parent To Do before for the end of the school year

**CAUGHT
SPEAKING
FRENCH**

Hannah Kemp

- ◆ All Library books are due back to the school by June 13th
- ◆ Make sure you check the lost & found for any lost articles your children may have
- ◆ Touch base with your child's teacher to
- ◆ discuss the year and your child's many accomplishments

Reflections of a successful year at Chinook's Edge

A Message from the Superintendent

As I reflect on my first year as Superintendent, I have only become more convinced that Chinook's Edge School Division is a great place to learn and develop as a person. I know now, more than ever, that it is our people who make it this way. With the end of this school year on the horizon, it is with tremendous pride that we can look back on a great year in Chinook's Edge.

I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know our Chinook's Edge school communities and am pleased with what we've achieved together. Through hard work and an enormous amount of professional skill, Chinook's Edge has delivered exceptional services to students. This school division has a very strong team of experts at every level, and our students are achieving success as a result.

Our students have worked hard, and have earned recognition and appreciation from many groups for their efforts. They have won awards for leading the way at the science fair, in fine arts, in academic, humanitarian and athletic efforts over the past year. Through the efforts and involvement of our parents, families, volunteers, neighbours and community partners, we have shared a year of growth in Chinook's Edge. I very much look forward to building on this great momentum together. Thank you for all your efforts in support of our students – and enjoy your summer!

Kurt Sacher
Superintendent of Schools



Chinook's Edge Values...
Personal responsibility,
Relationships based upon honesty, integrity, respect and compassion,
Dedication and commitment,
An environment of belonging: safe, caring and inclusive,
Growth and development through learning.

Many Thanks from our staff and students

to

École John Wilson Elementary Parent Council and our countless fundraising volunteers



Thank you for all of your help to fundraise in this school year through our Fall fundraiser, hot lunches, book fair and HOJA concert. Your endless hours of efforts have provided our Parent Council funds that have allowed them to allocate \$3500.00 to each grade level to use in significantly off-setting the costs of field trips and class activities. As well, these fundraising efforts allowed Parent Council to bring to our students performances such as the Alberta Opera performance of Jack and the Beanstalk. Your efforts make it possible to provide all students with fantastic learning opportunities at the school, within the community and on excursions that take students beyond the community of Innisfail. Our students have experienced field trips to Heritage Park, Red Deer Museum, Calgary Zoo, Safety City, Fort Normandeau, Sports Hall of Fame, Collicutt Center, and many more locations all thanks to your support.

Grade 3 trip to the Calgary Zoo





June 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Day 4	2 Return Library books Day 5	3 NO SCHOOL	4
5	6 Day 6	7 Day 1/Week2	8 Day 2	9 PAT Gr 3 F/LA 9:00am Day 3	10 Day 4	11
12 	13 Day 5	14 PAT Gr 3 LA 9:00am Day 6	15 Day 1/Week 1	16 PAT Gr 3 Math 9:00am Day 2	17 Artist Day Day 3 	18
19 Father's Day	20 Day 4	21 Day 5	22 Day 6	23 Day 1/Week 2	24 Day 2	25
26	27 Day 4	28 Assembly 11:00 Lunch with the Bunch Carnival p.m. Day 5	29 Last day of school Report cards Early Dismissal 1:30 Day 6	30		

September 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			August 31st Open House 11:00- 1:00	1 First Day of School	2	3
4	5 Labour Day	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23 NO SCHOOL	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	



MAY BIG 5 AWARD

Ethan Grabill

Ryder Baguley

Jordyn Taylor

Kindrie Vezina

Logan Montgomery

Ella Bridge

Riley Carter

Julie Fehr

Connor Charlton

Madison Ford

Emma Gamboa

Ashley Arthur

Joel Westman

Jacob Hoekstra

Kristof Himmelreich

Tyler Vander Meer

Nathan Fuerbringer

Delainey Phillips

Kris Eddy



MAY READER OF THE

Jayden Lepine, Cheyanne Chesney, Keyna Moen, Sage Walstrom-Salt, Alex Ross, Jonas S., Aiden Car-rico, Emily Vander Meer, Julia Evans, Livia Pieters, Reilly Dixon, Tanner Woodruff, Haillee Lute, Joel Aschenbrenner, Aiden Besse, Marianna de Alva, Zoey Walters



MAY SEAL OF APPROVAL

Diana Soop, Madison Levangie, Aaron Yofonoff, Owen Soop, Xandyn LaBrash, Ashlyn Greig, Kaedin Wiltsey, Cole Fox, Ethan Pollett-Dalke, Lucas Fuerbringer, Amy Shuckburgh, Jessica Bradford, Arland Foy, Cree-Ann Sunstrum, Kayla Brown, Kyle Baumgardt, Paris Jessen, Sarah Belbin, Hayden Jacobs, Jade Robichaud, Cole Sorensen, Paulina Wolswinkel



Music News at ÉJWES

Thank you so much to Rob Gette and Mulligan's Pizza for giving us a great deal on the pizza for the Choir Pizza Party last month. The pizza was eaten with great enjoyment by the seventy plus choir students who were in attendance at the party.

Many thanks to Michelle Martin who created a beautiful cake for our choir party. The cake was decorated according to a music theme and even had a miniature piano perched on the top. Everyone thought it was absolutely beautiful.

Thank you to all the students who were part of the École John Wilson Choir this year for working hard, doing an excellent job of your performances and being good ambassadors for our school. You were fabulous!

Thank you also to parents for encouraging a love of singing and music in the students and for attending our performances. Your support is greatly appreciated!

Jackie Moorhouse

Booster Seats - Creating Safety in Vehicles for Young Children

Children who are under nine years of age, who weigh between 18 and 36 kg (40 and 80lbs), or who are less than 4'9" (145 cm) tall are safest in a booster seat. The booster seat helps to position the adult seat belt properly across the child's body. An adult seat belt alone does not properly fit a child's body - it rides too high on the belly and neck and can cause serious internal injuries in the event of a crash.

For more information visit www.boosterseats.ca

Jump Rope for Heart...a HUGE success!

The efforts of our school community for Jump Rope for Heart have successfully raised \$11 000.00 for the Jump Rope Campaign. WOW! This total money raised is \$3000.00 more than last year's amount. Well done families of ÉJWES.

For our efforts the school has received \$950.00 to put towards our physical education equipment.

HEY KIDS!

Please have your parents read this newsletter. When they are finished, fill out this coupon, return it to your teacher, and you will be entered into a draw for cool prizes. We'll make the draw at our June assembly, and would like all coupons returned by June 23rd.

Bring it back today!

Student name: _____ Class: _____ Parent signature: _____

EVERYTHING for KIDZ SALE



Saturday October 1st, 2011
at the Penhold Multiplex

10:00am - 2:00pm

**** Book your tables NOW ****

For more information go to
www.everythingforkidzsale.com or
call Leanne @ 403-886-2746
We are also on Facebook



Attention Witness to Hit & Run April 29

On April 29th a kind woman witnessed a lady run into my car at the "Henday Mall." It was in front of the Bargain shop and the Benjamin Moore store. This same woman came into the store to ask me if it was my black car with the cherries hanging from the mirror and had directed me to the car which struck mine. Thank you for taking the time to track me down. I do, however, still require your assistance with one further task. If you are reading this would you please call me at 403-506-0163.

Thank you again for your good citizenship.

Daniel Bell

