



February Newsletter

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"Respect, Responsibility & Reaching for our Best"



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**Thank you for keeping
G M P Nut Free!**

Mrs. Ramsay's Remarks

Happy February! Last week, we celebrated being in school for 100 days! There is so much to celebrate – the physical, academic, and social growth is visible! Thank you for your continued support with your child's development.

Yukon schools are beginning to prepare for next year's classes. If you know families and children who will be of primary school age who would like to become part of our vibrant community school, please have them reach out to us. Please also notify us if your child will not be attending Grey Mountain Primary for the next school year.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me by phone (667-5189) or email kim.ramsay@gov.yk.ca

Kim Ramsay
Principal, Grey Mountain Primary School

Kindergarten Pre-Registration

Kindergarten pre-registration for Whitehorse children born in 2016 opens on **Monday, February 8 at 9:00 a.m.**

To pre-register your child for Kindergarten, visit the Government of Yukon's website on Monday, February 8. The online form is available to view now, but cannot be submitted until the pre-registration date.

Pre-registration link:

www.yukon.ca/en/education-and-schools/kindergarten-grade-12/register-your-child-kindergarten



Valentine's Day at School

We know that many children are excited about Valentine's Day and the exchanging of Valentine cards. We ask that if your child is passing out Valentine cards, please include all classmates. Teachers have lists of first names that can be handed out. Valentines will be exchanged **on Friday, Feb. 12.**

February School-Wide Theme: Caring

This month, our school wide theme is Caring. We work together as a school community on a common theme. Last month, students in each class contributed to a card of appreciation and support for the fine nurses and doctors at Whitehorse General Hospital. They loved it! It's on display in the ER!

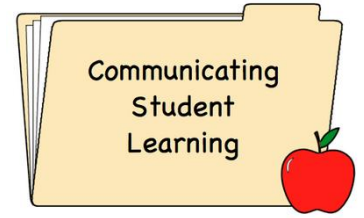


Communicating Student Learning: The next event at GMP

Parents will receive an email or phone call between **March 1st** and **March 11th**.

The purpose of this communication is to provide information on:

- Progress with literacy
- Behaviours for Success
- Your child's strengths and areas for further development
- Ways to support your child at school and at home



Please feel welcome to discuss concerns at any point in the school year. Rest assured that teachers will also keep in touch with you between the reporting events as needed.

Grey Mountain Primary School Council

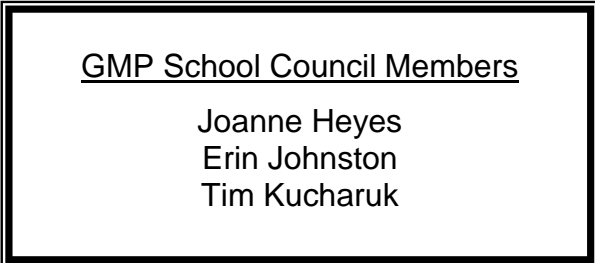
All parents are welcome to attend school council meetings.

The next meeting is on

- **Tuesday, Feb. 9th** at 6:00pm at the school

Hope to see you there!

There is one vacant school council position – please let me know if you are interested in joining.



Cold Weather Reminders



Our students go outside unless it is colder than -30 including wind-chill factor, according to the Environment Canada website. Please ensure your children wear warm clothing – coats, gloves, snow pants - so they can enjoy their time outside. Also, students are to go directly home or to their daycare after school, for weather and safety reasons. Thank you for picking up your children promptly at 3:00pm – we appreciate it!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, February 8 th	.....	Kindergarten Pre-Registration opens at 9:00am
Tuesday, February 9 th	.....	School Council Meeting @ 6:00pm – all parents welcome
Friday, February 26 th	.....	Heritage Day – No School
Tuesday, March 9 th	.....	School Council Meeting @ 6:00pm – all parents welcome
Friday, March 12 th	.....	Last Day of school before Spring Break

**** Spring Break is Monday, March 15th to Friday, March 26th inclusive****

Monday, March 29 th	.....	First Day of school after Spring Break
Friday, April 2 nd	.....	Good Friday – No School
Monday, April 5 th	.....	Easter Monday – No School
Tuesday, April 13 th	.....	School Council Meeting @ 6:00pm – all parents welcome
Friday, April 30 th	.....	Professional Development Day - No School for Students
Thursday, May 6 th	.....	Student Led Conferences from 3:00 -7:00pm
Friday, May 7 th	.....	Student Led Conferences all day – No School for Students
Tuesday, May 11 th	.....	School Council Meeting @ 6:00pm – all parents welcome
Monday, May 24 th	.....	Victoria Day– No School
Tuesday, June 8 th	.....	School Council Meeting @ 6:00pm – all parents welcome
Friday, June 11 th	.....	Last Day of School and Final Report Cards issued

