

January 24-28, 2022



Test Kits and Masks! Aurora did not receive our shipment of rapid test kits and masks until Wednesday January 19, and at that time were sent home with all students present on that 'snow day'. All other families should have received them the next day their child was present in school. Thank you for your patience. We are told our second shipment will be sent this week, and we will continue to send masks home based upon request and availability. Parents will need to request again by

[completing this form for second shipments](#). While it is not mandatory, parents have been encouraged by the province to conduct asymptomatic testing at home, and keep children home when they have any signs of illness or when they have tested positive asymptotically. While we are no longer contact tracing, we still appreciate parents informing the school about positive cases, so we can continue to assess the overall health of the school and work with AHS and NLPS to respond accordingly.

Send Thunderbirds Dressed for the Weather!

Many Thunderbirds are arriving without warm enough outside gear for recess! Please remind your child that [a hoodie is not a coat!](#) We need to send kids outside to stay active and get fresh air, as it improves their performance in class! Our [@AppleSchools](#) initiative for healthy eating and [wellness](#) remains a focus at Aurora. Please put down on your calendar that your child will be participating in [Winter Walk Day](#) on **Wednesday February 2, 2022**. Staff and students are asked to dress for the elements and strap on a pair of snowshoes for 30 or 45 minutes. Teachers will sign up their class for a timeslot and we will have a COVID-safe serving of hot apple cider to end the walk.



On February 2nd, Open
The Door And Go For It!



Lunch Menu!

24 - Baked Spaghetti	25 - Chicken Quesadillas	26 - Beef Stew n Bannock	27 - Meatloaf n' Mashed Potatoes	28 - Macaroni n Cheese and Fresh Veggies
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Go to <https://nlsd.schoolcashionline.com/> to pre-purchase hot lunch items!

You Go Girl!

A Free ½ Day Event For Girls! (6-15 yrs.)

Basketball	Pickleball
Workshops	AGES 6 TO 10 YEARS: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM AGES 11 TO 15 YEARS: 1 PM - 5 PM

February 18, 2022 • Bold Center • Free!

To register call the Bold Center at 780 623 3829 or online at www.boldcenter.ca/activellbc/
Participants must pre-register.



Be Bold Boy!

A Free ½ Day Event For Boys!

Basketball	Pickleball
Floor Hockey	AGES 6 TO 10 YEARS: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM AGES 11 TO 15 YEARS: 1 PM - 5 PM

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To register call the Bold Center at 780 623 3829 or online at www.boldcenter.ca/activellbc/
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County Programs for Youth Check out these great programs sponsored by Lac La Biche County, FCSS, KidSport, and the Bold Center!

Teacher Convention

There will be no school from Wednesday Feb 16 through Monday Feb 21, inclusive. After Family Day, we return to regular classes on Tuesday Feb 22, 2022. Teachers will engage in remote learning opportunities, including keynote speakers astronaut and author, Col.Chris Hadfield and teacher and social media star Mr. Joe Dombrowski.



BINGO WORKERS NEEDED! (and PAC Meeting info):

Our future dates for BINGO worker days in 2022 are: Feb 18, Apr 28, May 15, June 26, Oct 9, & Nov 24! If you could please help me to spread the word that would be much appreciated. At this time, there is no concession available due to provincial restrictions. The shift runs from 5pm to about 9pm and we require three people to work the shift. Please call or text our amazing and hard-working BINGO Fundraising parent volunteer coordinator Joyce Cloutier at (780) 623-8203 if you are able to volunteer. Our next PAC Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday Feb 23 at 6:30pm via [Google Meet](#) ! At this time we are conducting the meeting remotely only.