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STEM **Family Night** March 1



Welcome Back Mrs. Tratnik



Outdoor Learning



School Safety

STEM Family Night

Registration has been extended to Monday, February 28th to participate!

The Legacy School Council will be hosting a K-2 STEM Family Nights on March 1st. This will be an opportunities for families to come together and play with Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. Go on School Cash Online to register!!

Welcome Back Mrs. Tratnik



We welcome Arlene Tratnik back to Legacy as our Elementary Office Administrative Assistant! She is familiar with our school and community from her work as our Secretary last year! Mrs. Tratnik has been working with Mrs. Cockburn all week getting acclimatized to her new role (and she knows that an excellent mentor is only a phonecall away). We all look forward to working with Mrs. Tratnik in her new

Outdoor Education



Our Grade 6's have been at Camp Pinecrest this week, learning how to conquer high ropes courses, build fires in the cold, snowshoe as well as how to set, clear and clean the table!! They have all returned a little more independent and have memories that will stay with them the rest of their lives. Thank you to Ms. Vocino, Ms. Walker, Ms. McVey, Mr. Strutt and Ms. Hoover-Joy who organized and volunteered to spend the time away from their families for our students to have this experience. Mr. Faulds also came out of retirement for the week to enhance our trip (an experience he LOVES to volunteer for!!).

This week some of our Grade 2,4 and 7 classes will be learning at Milne Outdoor Education Centre. Students enjoy these days of hands on learning with experts in the areas of outdoor education, science and geography.

No Nuts at School



Parents are reminded that we strive to be a nut safe school. We have many children and adults in the building with severe allergies and have built policies and procedures to keep everyone safe. Some of these are "no sharing" and the request to refrain from bringing certain food into the classroom and/or the school.

Students sometimes bring or have their lunches dropped off from various fast food outlets. Be aware that some of these outlets are not peanut/nut free. While our staff is trained and prepared to respond to any allergy emergency and the school's anaphylactic procedures are consistent with our Board's policy and procedures, we all know that prevention is one of the best ways to ensure that all students are safe.

Please be mindful of this potentially life-threatening form of allergic reaction and refrain from sending or dropping off any lunches or snacks that may contain or may have come into contact with these products

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