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School Closed







Lost and Found End of Winter showing

150 Play List Canada

March Break Begins!



Legacy Public School will be closed March 13-17th. This is a time for all students and to relax and find time to do things they enjoy. Down time is important for everyone and letting children have time to be "bored" and find creative ways to entertain themselves is an important life skill . Try a "no electronics" day. Play a board game. Plan a family Mario Cart tournament. Skate, ski, or simply curl up and have a snuggle. Enjoy your week!!

Grade 3-8 Family Stem Night



The school council and staff will be hosting a "hands-on" family Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics night in the spring!! More information will be shared at the beginning of April. Please mark the date on your calendar. It will be a great night of learning!



Lost and Found

Throughout the winter our lost and found items have filled our 4 boxes. Snow Pants, boots, water bottles, a carpet, a tie are only some of the items that have been placed in the boxes.

Mrs. Beintema heads up a brave team who sort, fold and display these items for students to identify and retrieve. All of the "Lost and Found" items will be on display after the break. On March 24th we will be donating all left-over items to charity. Parents are welcome to come in a take a look any time during the week!!

Let's get moving to Canada's 150 Play List Legacy!

Canada is turning 150 this year and to celebrate, Canadians of all ages came together to create Canada's 150 Play List. A list of 150 activities that define Canada, our land and our people, from hockey to yoga to snow shoveling and more!



The 150 Play List is a challenge to all Canadians to see how many different activities they can complete in 2017. Legacy's Healthy Schools Committee thought it would be fun to see how many of the 150 Play List activities we can do as a school and as individuals. After March break students will be encouraged to participate in various #150 PLAY LIST activities taking place at Legacy. We also encourage families to consider checking out the ParticipACTION website www.participACTION.com/150 and take on the challenge! Who knows, many product the product will not encour free the product of t

maybe over the break we will get enough fresh snow for #40 - Build a Snow Fort or to help shovel the driveway #132, or go tobogganing #28!

From Juanita Nathan Our Trustee...

With spring approaching and the hours of daylight increasing, now is a good time to enjoy the outdoors and our natural environment. Did you know that our Board has five <u>outdoor education centres</u>, and students have opportunities to visit them and other outdoor learning spaces throughout their schooling? This is part of our commitment to giving students an opportunity to learn in and about the natural world. This learning supports students in gaining a deeper appreciation for nature and the importance of environmental sustainability.

"Modelling continuous environmental sustainability" is one of the goals outlined in our <u>Board of Trustees'</u> <u>Multi-Year Plan</u>. We believe that we all have a role to play in reducing waste and protecting our environment. Our students, staff members and families continue to show leadership when it comes to supporting student learning and initiatives to reduce our ecological footprint.

Spending time outside as a family also provides a great opportunity to support and enhance your child's learning outside of school. Whether visiting a park or museum, reading with your child in your home language or asking questions about their day at school - know that there are many ways you can support their education and that you are making a difference.

We hope you all have a happy and safe March Break and enjoy the warmer weather ahead.