

# MOUNTAIN VIEW ACADEMY

## MONTHLY UPDATE

FEBRUARY – MARCH 2017



Friday, February 24, 2017 Free Dress Down Day and pre-ordered Subway Fun Lunch

Friday, March 3, 2017 Gung Ho pre-ordered hotdogs and Snack Shop

Monday, March 6, 2017 Report Cards go home for K-Grade 8

Wednesday, March 8, 2017 Popcorn Sales (Ottawa/Quebec Trip Fundraiser)

Thursday, March 9, 2017 Parent Teacher Interviews for K-Grade 8 5-8 pm/ Regular Classes

Friday, March 10, 2017 Parent Teacher Interviews for K-Grade 8 8 am– noon/ **No classes for K-Grade 8/** **\*\*Regular classes for Grades 9-12**

Wednesday, March 15, 2017 Clay for Kids K-Grade 4

Thursday, March 16, 2017 Clay for Kids Grades 5-12/

Friday, March 17, 2017 \$2.00 Paid Dress Down Day (Ottawa/Quebec Trip Fundraiser)/Gung Ho pre-ordered hotdogs and Snack Shop

Saturday, March 18, 2017 Bingo (Afternoon event)

Wednesday, March 22, 2017 Gr. 7/8 Fieldtrip to Calgary Tower

Thursday, March 23, 2017 Terry Fox \$5.00 Dress Down Day

Friday, March 24, 2017 Last day of classes before Spring Break/Free Dress Down Day/Fun Lunch

**Looking ahead:**

**Monday, March 27-Friday, April 7 SPRING BREAK– NO SCHOOL**

Monday, April 10, 2017 Classes resume

Mon.-Thurs., April 10-13, 2017 FULL UNIFORM ALL WEEK

Friday, April 14, 2017 Good Friday– NO School

### IMPORTANT DATES

**NO SCHOOL AS FOLLOWS:**

**March 10– Kindergarten to Grade 8– Parent Teacher Interviews (Grades 9-12 have regular classes)**

**Mon., March 27-Fri. April 7– Spring Break**

**Fri., April 14– Good Friday**

**UPCOMING FULL UNIFORM DAYS:**

**Mon.-Thurs., April 10-13– All grades**



February–March 2017

**THERE WILL BE NO STUDY HALL OR AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION ON FRIDAY, MARCH 24/17. ALL STUDENTS MUST BE PICKED UP BY 3:30 PM.**

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
19	20	21	22	23	24 Free Dress Down Day/ Pre-ordered Subway Fun	25
26	27	28	1	2	3 Gung Ho pre-ordered hotdogs and snack shop	4
5	6 K-Grade 8 report cards go home	7	8 POPCORN SALES	9 Parent Teacher Interviews for K- Grade 8 5-8 pm/ Regular classes	10 Parent Teacher Interviews for K- Grade 8 8 am–noon/ <b>No classes K-Gr. 8/ Reg. classes Gr. 9-12</b>	11
12 Day-light Savings	13	14	15 Clay for Kids	16 Clay for Kids	17 \$2.00 Dress Down Day Gung Ho pre-ordered hotdogs and snack shop	18 Bingo
19	20	21	22 Gr. 7/8 Fieldtrip to Calgary Tower–FULL UNIFORM	23 Terry Fox \$5.00 Pre-paid Dress Down Day	24 NO STUDY HALL OR AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION/Free Dress Down	25 SPRING BREAK THROUGH TO APRIL 9TH

## **Registration for the 2017-2018 School Year**

Re-registration packages have now been sent home to all families. If you have any questions about the re-registration process, please do not hesitate to contact our

Admissions Director, Colleen Pollock at 217-4346 or  
cpollock@mountainviewacademy.ca

Returning families are asked to return completed registration forms and deposits by **ASAP**, to secure a spot for your child for the next school year. Registration has now opened up to new families and those on our waiting list.

## **Ottawa/Quebec Trip 2018**

Fundraising for the Ottawa/Quebec School Trip to be held in May of 2018, will begin this month. The first two activities will be

**Popcorn Sales on March 3rd**

and a

**\$2.00 Dress Down Day on March 17th.**

## **Terry Fox Dress Down Day**

Thursday, March 23, is the last of the pre-purchased Terry Fox Dress Down Days. Any students who did not pre-purchase, may pay \$5 to “dress down” (not wear their uniform) on this day. Cash payment must be made to homeroom teachers on March 23. Money raised will go towards this year’s We Day project.

## **Website and Facebook**

Be sure to check out our new website!

Also, like us on Facebook– we regularly update this page with school events and other important information.



## **Thank you Parent Council**

**Thank you to Parent Council and their fundraising efforts for sponsoring the Clay for Kids project.**

## **Accountability Pillar Surveys**

**As an annual check-up on the education system, the Accountability Pillar provides an opportunity for Alberta Education and school authorities to ensure that we are equipping students for success.**

**The Accountability Pillar uses a set of 16 indicators consisting of surveys of students, parents and teachers on various aspects of quality; student outcomes such as dropout and high school completion rates; and provincial assessments of student learning.**

**From January to the end of February, Alberta Education will be conducting the annual Accountability Pillar Survey. In January, parents of students in grades 4-12 will receive a survey from Alberta Education. In February, students in grades 4-12 and all teachers will be completing their surveys online at school.**

**All surveys are anonymous and ask questions about experiences with the school. In addition to English and French, the parent survey is available in Chinese, Punjabi, Arabic, Blackfoot, Cree, Korean, Spanish, Tagalog and Urdu.**

**Your participation in the survey helps provide important information on the quality of education your child is receiving, so we encourage you to complete and return your survey promptly.**

**Thank you in advance for your participation.**