



# 150 Mile Elementary

## February School Newsletter



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### Kindergarten Registration Open

Kindergarten registration is now open for Sept 2026. Online Registration and Online School of Choice application is available on the School District website or you may come into the school and register in person in the office.

Most children are due for immunizations before they start Kindergarten, Please call the Williams Lake Health Centre at 250-302-5000 to book into the May Kindergarten Clinic.

### PAC Family Ice Fishing Derby!

Where: Dougan Lake  
When: February 16<sup>th</sup> 8:30am-2:00pm  
Registration opens 8:30am

Also a huge thank you to the 150 Mile PAC for all of the support and funding that they have provided to the students of this great school. PAC has been actively involved in helping support school activities such as our Turkey Dinner, Harvest Lunch, X-Country skiing, swimming, gymnastics and visits to Scout Island.



### Important Dates

- Tuesday, Feb 10<sup>th</sup> Staff Meeting
- Friday, Feb 13<sup>th</sup> Pro-D Day no school
- Monday, Feb 16<sup>th</sup> Family Day no school
- Monday, Feb 16<sup>th</sup> PAC Fishing Derby @ Dougan Lake
- Tuesday, Feb 24<sup>th</sup> PAC Meeting 6:00pm library **\*\*new date\*\***
- Wednesday, Feb 25<sup>th</sup> Pink Shirt Day

### Student Attendance



Just an update on attendance. About 75% of our students are on track for meeting 'good' attendance rates (80% or better). **This is an improvement of 15% from last year at this time!** Our goal is to have our students with an attendance rate of 90% or better which equals about 2 or less missed days per month. Good attendance habits are clearly linked to higher academic performance and a more positive connection to the school

community and participation in school activities. Keep healthy and keep those kids coming 😊. **If students arrive late please remind them to sign in at the office so we can keep attendance records accurate.**

## Parent access for Student Learning Survey (LINK below)

Parents are encouraged to complete the parent version of the Ministry of Education Learning Survey, parent feedback will help influence future decisions and direction by the Ministry of Education. The survey is available online from January 5th to May 1st. Please contact your school if you have difficulty using the online survey.

[Student Learning Survey - Province of British Columbia](#)

## Breakfast, Lunch and Snacks

If your child needs some breakfast, lunch or snack items, 150 Mile Elementary has funding to help support students access food for their day at school. Have your child notify any adult in the building and we will get them some food. Breakfast options are laid out each morning for students to simply 'grab and go', snacks and lunches are available upon request. This program is designed to help those in need primarily, but often students need more food or forgot their lunch and in this regard, we can help too!



## Updating School Contact Info

For families who have changed any contact information, please call the school at 250-296-3356 and we will update our school records. Items that need continual updates are phone numbers, email addresses, mailing addresses, and custody orders. Thank you for helping us keep your records up to date.

## Strong Start



This free drop in program for children 0 – 5 years of age Strong Start is open from 8:15am to 11:15am. Days of operation are Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Drop in to see what this fun and dynamic program is all about! Tara Flanagan is our coordinator!

## Recycling Shed Donations

Any parents or community members wishing to donate recyclable drink containers to support the school, there is a drop off box by the Strong Start portable. All money raised will go to support school based field trips.

## Hot Lunch Days



Every Thursday is Pizza day at 150 Mile. If you want your child to have a slice, or two, of pizza from Dominos and a drink box, payment and orders are due the Friday before. Pizza costs \$2.50 per slice and drink boxes are \$1. The Lunch a Munch App is available for an easy payment option. Parents, please place your hot lunch orders online using **MunchaLunch.com!**

You can pay for your orders online by credit card (Visa/Mastercard) OR debit-credit card or pre-paid credit card.

### HOW TO REGISTER:

- 1) Go to: [150 Mile House Elementary \(munchalunch.com\)](https://munchalunch.com)
- 2) Click the “**Register Here**” button (as shown below). The system will guide you through.
- 3) After adding your children, click the green “Order Lunch!” button to order.
- 4) Next time, just click the “**Login Here**” button to access your account.
- 5) If parents require a 2-school account (ie, they already have a MunchaLunch account at a different school and wish to ADD a different school, please use this link: <https://munchalunch.com/addaccount>

# Calling in Absences

At 150 Mile Elementary we feel regular attendance is a crucial component for school success. If students are ill or cannot attend for any other reasons, parents or guardians need to notify the School Messenger system at 1 (833) 582-6944, using the phone app, or calling the school. <https://go.schoolmessenger.com> Poor attendance can be directly linked to poor school performance, please do everything possible to ensure your child attends school regularly.



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# 150 MILE ELEMENTARY FAMILY ICE FISHING

# DERBY

DUGAN LAKE, 150 MILE HOUSE



FEB 16, 2026  
8:30 AM - 2:00 PM



ENTRY \$20  
KIDS 12 & UNDER  
**FREE!**



**MANY AMAZING PRIZES!**



- ✓ Loonie Raffles
- ✓ Concession
- ✓ CASH ONLY on site



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