



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT AME?



Important School Dates

Monday, January 5

- **WELCOME BACK!!**
- Gymnastics at AMP all week
- Grade 3 Drama Lessons

Tuesday, January 6

- Hot Lunch: Fat Burger/Jugo Juice

Wednesday, January 7

- Grade 4 & 5 Drama Lessons

Thursday, January 8

- Grade 4 & 5 Drama Lessons
- Hot Lunch: Deli City

Friday, January 9

- Cross Country Skiing -
Jurome/McCrary & Kro./Dawson
- Grade 1 / 2 Classes Drama Lessons

Upcoming:

January 12:

- Cross Country Skiing:
Petersen/Crowell
- K/1 Author Visit: Karen Autio

January 14:

- Cross Country Skiing:
Galloway/Santucci

January 26 - 30 - K-5 Inline Skating

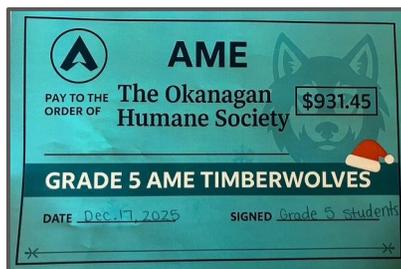
Dear Families,

As we wrap up our first term, we can't help but smile at all that our Timberwolves have accomplished. It has truly been a great start to the school year, filled with learning, laughter, and lots of growth. December is the perfect opportunity to celebrate the staff, parents and students who make AME such a wonderful place to be. We would like to thank all of our Timberwolves for their learning over the past four months. Each child has worked hard to be their best selves both as a learner and member of our school community. Thank you PAC and parents for your continuous support and involvement in the education of your children - we couldn't do it without you! Finally, a heartfelt thank you to our amazing staff for their deep dedication to the overall well being of each and everyone one of our students.

From all of us at AME, we wish you and yours a wonderful and safe holiday season!

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Grade 5 students proudly donated 10% of their profits from the Entrepreneur Fair to charity. This is our 12th year participating in the PowerPlay Young Entrepreneur program. After thoughtful discussions and a grade group vote, they chose to support the Okanagan Humane Society, wanting to keep their impact local and help animals in need. On Wednesday, students were thrilled to present a donation of \$9,345 to the Executive Director of OHS, joined by Klaudia from Global News. With donations being matched until December 31, the students are excited to have helped raise over \$1,800 for local animals.



Last Day to
Order Hot Lunch
is December 21st!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Kindergarten and New Student enrolment for 2026-2027 school year opens February 2, 2026 at 7:00am!

Click [HERE](#) for the registration ad.



TEACHER FEATURE

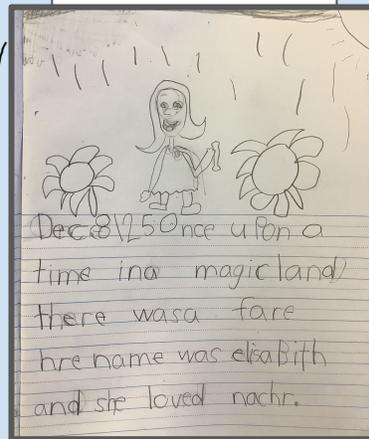
Mrs. Montgomery Grade 1

Our Story Workshop has been buzzing with imagination! Students have been busy building stories by creating characters and settings, and they love bringing their ideas to life through play, sharing, and writing. The excitement is contagious! In Term 2, we can't wait to dig even deeper into stories by exploring problems, events, and solutions. Get ready for even more creative thinking and storytelling magic!



When asked why they love Story Workshop, our friends said:

- "There are cool things to play and build with!"
- "It is fun to play with toys!"
- "I like making stories with friends."
- "I love writing about my story."
- "Stories are fun to make!"



When asked how Story Workshop helps them, our friends shared:

- "It helps me write stories and remember my ideas."
- "It helps me find and make characters."
- "It helps me calm down."
- "It helps me learn how to make a story."
- "It helps me share with others."

