



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT AME?



Important School Dates

Monday, February 9

- Spirit Day: Jersey Day!
- Reading with the Kelowna Rockets

Tuesday, February 10

- Hot Lunch: Boston Pizza
- Spirit Day: Friendship Day!

Wednesday, February 11

- Cultural Performance: Dufflebag Theatre @ 10:00
- Spirit Day: Wear anything with hearts!

Thursday, February 12

- Hot Lunch: Sunshine Market
- Spirit Day: Wear pink or red!

Friday, February 13

- Pro-D Day - NO SCHOOL

Upcoming:

February 16 - NO SCHOOL - Family Day

February 17 - 18: Rocks and Rings Curling
Grades 1/2 - 5

February 25 - Pink Shirt Day!

March 11 - Violin Concert (see page 4)

March 12 - Learning Summaries go home

March 16 - 27: Spring Break!

March 30 - First Day Back!

A big thank you to all of our families for joining us for Student-Led Conferences! Our students loved being in the spotlight as they proudly showed off their learning, goals, and growth.

Thank you for your encouragement, smiles, and thoughtful conversations and for being such an important part of our school community!



A huge thank you to our incredible PAC for organizing the Scholastic Book Fair and Bake Sale! These events don't just bring excitement to our school, they directly support our students. All proceeds go to our library, helping fund author visits and foster a love of reading across our school. We're so grateful for the time, energy, and care our PAC puts into making these events such a success.



SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

School Bus Applications are now OPEN for 2026-2027

Although school bus transportation applications are accepted throughout the school year, priority seating for the 2026-2027 school year is given to those applicants who have applied before end of day on May 31, 2026

Use the link below to submit a school bus transportation application for the 2026-2027 school year.

<https://busconnect.sd23.bc.ca>

Students must be registered to ride on the school bus, for detailed information regarding student eligibility for transportation please visit our website:

<https://www.sd23.bc.ca/transportation-services-programsservices>

470R - Transportation Services Management -
Guiding Principles for Transportation in Central Okanagan Public Schools.

<https://www.sd23.bc.ca/documents/24bb4ba9-1cff-53b9-b0a4-a7dcde0e2c1b>

February Spirit Week!

Monday, Feb
9th

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Tuesday, Feb 10

FRIENDSHIP DAY!

Grab your besties and dress alike!



Wednesday, Feb

11

Wear anything



Thursday, Feb 12

WEAR PINK OR RED

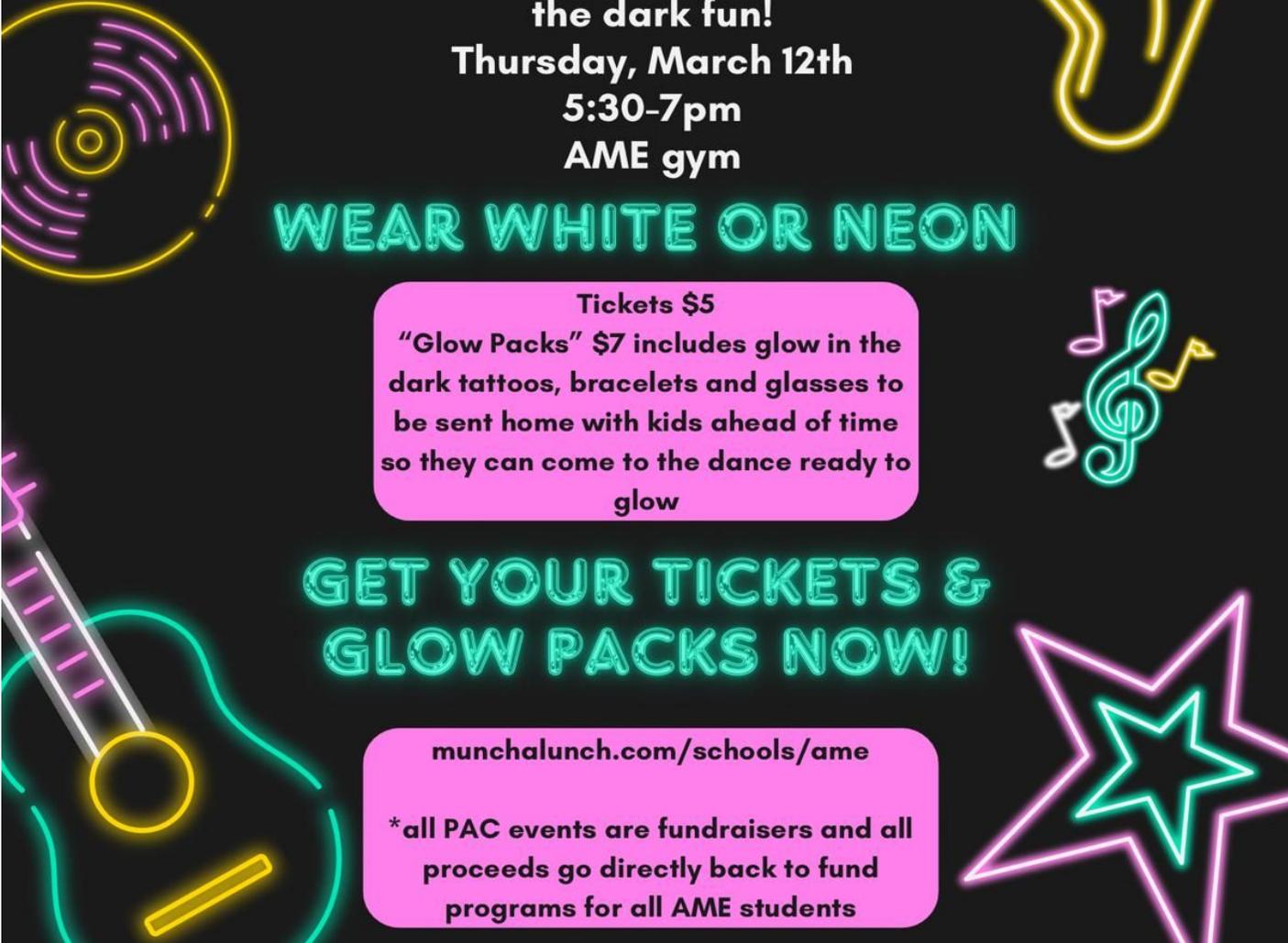


PAC NEWS



“LET’S GLOW CRAZY” SCHOOL DANCE

Join us for a night of glow in
the dark fun!
Thursday, March 12th
5:30-7pm
AME gym



WEAR WHITE OR NEON

Tickets \$5

“Glow Packs” \$7 includes glow in the
dark tattoos, bracelets and glasses to
be sent home with kids ahead of time
so they can come to the dance ready to
glow

GET YOUR TICKETS & GLOW PACKS NOW!

munchalunch.com/schools/ame

*all PAC events are fundraisers and all
proceeds go directly back to fund
programs for all AME students

MUSIC WITH MS. PAULS

Violin Concert at AME!

Our talented students from **Strukoff, Chow, Greenberg, and Szewczyk** classes are ready to show off their violin skills in an **afternoon concert on Wednesday, March 11**.

Before the big performance, we'll have **dress rehearsals** at the same times on **Monday, March 9**.

Concert Schedule:

- **Chow:** 12:15-12:40
- **Szewczyk:** 12:40-1:05
- **Strukoff:** 1:05-1:30
- **Greenberg:** 2:00-2:25

Families, including grandparents, are welcome to attend your child's class performance

Fiddling Opportunity!

The Old Time Fiddlers Club is inviting community members to join their next dance on **Friday, February 20**. All ages are welcome to fiddle, dance, or both. If you or your child have a violin at home and want to try fiddling, this is your chance! If you don't have a fiddle, feel free to drop by and experience fiddle culture with a dance lesson and/or attend the dance.

Please bring your own fiddle to the **"fiddling for fun" lesson from 6-6:30pm**, with a \$2 drop in fee to cover the cost of any sheet music provided at **1353 Richter Street**. Parents are asked to stay and supervise their children. There will be help available with tuning instruments.

All ages are welcome to join the **beginner easy dance lessons** (line dance, two step, polka, etc) from 6:30 -7pm.

The dance is from 7-9pm with a 15 min. break in the middle for snacks and drinks. Dance, snack and lesson(s) are \$10/person.

TEACHER FEATURE

Mrs. Greenberg's Grade 3 class has been busy learning, moving, and creating! Read on for some student written snapshots of the wonderful learning happening in Grade 3!

"In inline skating we learned so many things like how to do up rollerblades, how to undo our equipment, and so much more. We also learned crossovers, backwards skating, mohawk turns, and loops. Inline skating was so fun especially the disco skating!" - Colt



"This is what we have been doing for the past few weeks in the library. We are using non-fiction books to learn about our B.C. animals. We each have picked an animal that lives in B.C. and are researching it. We are learning how to use Book Creator on iPads and made a wonder web about our animals. We are now looking up what our animals look like and putting facts in an appearance web. We are excited to continue this project and learn more about our animals."

-Brixon & Vaida

"In writing, we chose the best part of our body to write about. We had to have three or more reasons why it was the best part of us. We also wrote one or two reasons to describe what that part of our body looks like using descriptive words. We did three parts, one copy was our idea page, another was the rough draft, and then the final one was our good copy with a photo of our best part. Also, we had one or two sentences telling what we couldn't do if we did not have that part. The body parts that most people picked were their eyes, arms, legs, and hair."

- Armiti & Miles



THE BEST PART OF ME

The best part of me is my clean hands because they are really helpful in many ways. They allow me to throw a red baseball rapidly at the pitch when I'm pitcher. Second I can quickly write letters, notes, sentences, and stories maybe to my parents if I am out of the house with Dad. Third I can neatly catch the colourful circular soccerball when I'm goalkeeper and I'll stop the play. Visually my hands are smooth, bumpy, sticky and circular. Usually my hands are rough and shiny. I couldn't safely pick up things or move stuff if I don't have hands. Stuff might fall. Even know my hands are small they still make a big difference.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION



Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Workshop



Explore the topics of diversity, equity, inclusion, and justice and why they matter.

Open to anyone in the community!

Register Now!



<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/diversity-equity-and-inclusion-tickets>

Questions? Contact:

Ximena | ximena@kcr.ca | 250-752-8008 ext. 202

This workshop takes place over two dates one week apart to allow time for reflection.

When: March 3rd, 5:00pm - 8:00pm
March 10th, 5:00pm - 8:00pm

Where: KCR Community Resources,
620 Leon Ave - 2nd Floor

Cost: FREE



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