## GATOR NEWS WEEKLY January 25, 2024





We celebrated some amazing learning at North Glenmore today in our January Celebration assembly. Many classes shared their learning and students showed up in colours for each grade. You can see the colours of the rainbow represented in the picture of our assembly. Way to brighten our January Spirit Club!

Water Cycle Learning: Grade 1 & 2 students in Mrs. Cross' class have been busy learning about the water cycle through scientific experiments. Gators have all been working hard this term to be the best they can be. As we continue to focus on KINDNESS this term, we are all reminded to be kind to ourselves, be kind to others and be kind to this place!

**<u>Battery Contest:</u>** Congratulations GATORS... together we collected 153.45 kilograms of batteries. That is 153 kg of batteries that will not end up in the landfill! NGE came 4th place in the Province: two SD23 schools were ahead of us - Hudson Road and Rutland Elementary.



SD23 2024/2025 Budget Presentation: The public presentation explaining how the District's budget is established will take place at the Central Okanagan Parent Advisory Council (COPAC) meeting on Monday, February 5, 2024, at 7:00 pm by Zoom. Please request the zoom link from the COPAC President (copac.president@sd23.bc.ca) if interested in learning more about our School District Budget.

Family Literacy Week: this week is family literacy week in Kelowna... a time to unplug and connect as a family. Perhaps you could read a story out loud, set aside some time to visit the public library, play some board games or write a letter to a family member who lives abroad. Literacy is the foundation of learning... make it a priority in your home!

<u>Student Enrollment 2024-2025</u> - Don't forget the SD23 Student enrollment for NEXT school year begins on Monday, January 29, 2024 at 7:00 am . for KINDERGARTEN and NEW students. If you have a child that will turn 5 in 2024, please be sure to register. If you know of any children that live in our North Glenmore

neighborhood, please let them know to register. Here is the enrollment link:

https://enrollment.sd23.bc.ca/

PAC Fundraising: Elevate your Valentine's celebration with our exclusive Valentine's Date Night Raffle! By taking part, you not only enter for a chance to win incredible prizes – a Parent Date Night Extravaganza valued at \$500 or a charming Family Night Out worth \$250. Your participation directly contributes to supporting educational initiatives and enriching the learning journey for the students at North Glenmore Elementary. For any inquiries or further information, feel free to reach out to us at nge.fundraising@gmail.com.



## **Upcoming Important School Dates:**

- Tuesday, January 30 Cultural Performance at NGE Kutapira percussion
- Friday, February 2 grade 6 pizza lunch
- February 8 & 9 Parent Conferences 12:30 dismissal both days
- Friday, February 16 Professional Day (no school for students)
- Monday, February 19 Family Day stat (Schools Closed)
- February 22 Grade 6 Dr. Knox Parent Information Night

