



<u>March</u>	
5-9	March Break
14	PD & Report Card Prep – no classes K-8
29	Grades K-12 Parent Teacher Student Conferences – no classes
30	Good Friday – no classes
<u>April</u>	
2	Easter Monday – no classes
25	Half Day K-12 – PD for staff
<u>May</u>	
4	Provincial Council Day – no classes
7	AEFNB/NBTA Annual Meeting – no classes
21	Victoria Day – no classes
<u>June</u>	
22	Last day of school

### Winter Theme Week

The week of Feb. 26th to Mar 2nd will be our Winter Theme week. Each day will have a theme and we encourage everyone to take part.

- Monday – Favourite T-Shirt Day
- Tuesday – Crazy Hair Day
- Wednesday – Pink Day
- Thursday – Sports Day
- Friday – Shelley Bean Drama Day

Please keep these themes in mind and we hope everyone will have some fun with it! Information regarding this will come home with your child the week prior.

**School Closure? Delay of buses?**  
Your questions can be answered on local radio stations, on the ASD-S website, or . . .

- [http://twitter.com/ASD\\_South](http://twitter.com/ASD_South)
- Phone line (toll free): **1-855-535-7669 [SNOW]**

### Celebrate notes . . .

Caught you Being A Bucket Filler recipients for the month of January were Katie, Jacob, Landon, Adham, and Wyatt.

### Skating Day

#### February 13<sup>th</sup> is Skating Day!

**Primary students (K, Grade 1 and Grade 2)** students will be arriving at the rink about 8:45 and **Grades 3-5** at about 9:30.



Parents/grandparents are welcome to join us. The students enjoy skating with family and we can always use extra hands to put on and tie skates; however, younger siblings cannot be on the ice surface during this designated school rental.

Remember, all students are required to have helmets and skates to be on the ice. When transporting skates on buses, they should be in backpacks or kit bags (please no plastic bags as blades can cut through these and be a safety hazard). Dressing in layers can also be helpful because children often get warm from the physical activity.

*Special Lunch!* After the morning skate, all students and staff will be enjoying spaghetti with meat balls and garlic bread for lunch – if you child does not like this, then please pack him/her a lunch.

As part of our School Recycling Program, we will no longer be providing plastic spoons or forks to our students – we are asking parents to provide the necessary eating utensils when packing lunches. We are being more environmentally responsible citizens. Thank you!

**Parent School Support Committee Update:**

Our next PSSC meeting will be held on Monday, February 12th @ 6:00 pm.

**BIG THANKS TO:**

Norton Baptist Church for the wonderful donation of hats, mitts and scarves – our students love them!

**Friday, March 2:**

CANADA 150 PERFORMANCE SERIES: YOU'RE THE STAR with Shelley Bean! Do you LOVE to act? Be silly? Be on stage? Join Shelley Bean as part of a live audience, for a fast paced drama show for kids. With skits and games; EVERYONE gets to participate either on stage or in the audience with hilarious drama games, skits and stories. The kids are the STARS OF THE SHOW! Shelley Bean has been teaching drama enrichment programs in Atlantic Canada, with various school districts since 2000 and performs her Canadian Folk Music nominated musical act "Shelley Bean & The Duckety Muds" across Canada.



## Attendance Matters!

### PERFECT ATTENDANCE

FOR THE

MONTH OF JANUARY

Axel A.	Lennox A.	Jack B.
Joel C.	Adison C.	Jaden C.
Jack D.	Brooks E.	Felicia F.
Hunter F.	Lucas F.	Blake G.
Blake G.	Leah G.	Evan H.
Ian H.	Avery H.	Kennadi H.
Chloe H.	Brian H.	Luke H.
Ethan J.	Syrus K.	Jadyn L.
Reese L.	Claire L.	Spencer M.
Jacob McK.	Parker O.	Paige P.
Emmitt S.	Dylan T.C.	Ally W.

Congratulations !

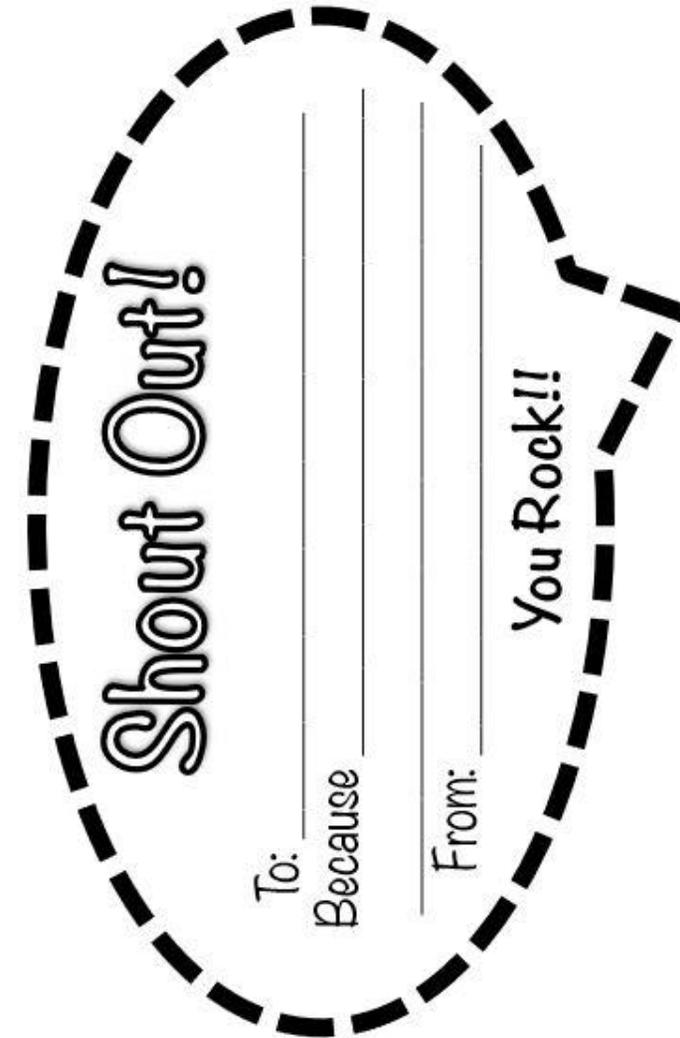
## HOME & SCHOOL UPDATE

**Our February Home & School Meeting will be held @ 7:15 pm on Monday, February 12<sup>th</sup>; everyone is welcome.**

Home & School would like to extend a huge Thank You to the Apohaqui Lower Millstream Recreation Council, Millstream United Church & Church of Ascension UCW for their generous donations made towards our playground improvements. A recently formed committee will be working with the students and staff of AES to form a plan that will be exciting and fun! Ask your children what they love the most about the playgrounds you visit and during activities throughout the coming months they will get the chance to share these with us.

February 12 to 16th we will be celebrating the wonderful staff we have here at A.E.S!

Please help your child fill out and color a *Shout Out* to a staff member of their choice! It could be a teacher, EA, administration, bus driver, custodian or volunteer, whoever makes their day at AES! Maybe you would like to send a *Shout Out* to someone who has made a difference in your child's school year, write it down & send it in, or stop by the school to fill out a *Shout Out* on the board outside the office!





## MARCH HOT LUNCH:

March Milk Money - 14 Days X .40 = \$5.60	
Student _____	Gr _____
Chocolate _____	White _____

March - Monday Hot Lunch (Hamburger) 3 days X \$2 = \$6.00	
Student _____	Gr _____

March – Wednesday Hot Lunch (Pizza) 2 Days X \$2 = \$4.00	
Student _____	Gr _____

March – Friday Hot Lunch (Chicken Fingers/Veggies) 3 Days X \$3 = \$9.00	
Student _____	Gr _____