# CLASS NEWS

5M April 2024 Newsletter

### **EVENTS**

April 2 - First day back after spring break

April 5 - 6pm

Movie Night - Spies in Disguise
\$10 per person

See a grade 9 for ticket or
email Mr. Schindel
jeremy.schindel@blackgold.ca

April 5/6 - Girls Gr. 5/6
Floor Hockey Tournament
Riverview Middle School
Boys Floor Hockey Tournament
Ecole d'Youville School (Beaumont)

April 12/13 - Boys Gr. 5/6
Floor Hockey Tournament
Cole Corinthia Park Schoo

### REMINDERS

#### Swimming Schedule Mondays starting April 8th

Monday April 8th Monday April 15th Monday April 22nd Monday April 29 Monday May 6 Monday May 13 Monday May 27

## JUST A NOTE

In preparation for the "lake" that doubles as the recess play areas at CCS during spring....



## WHAT WE'RE LEARNING

Science: Students stated a new unit on Electricity and Magnetism and will be Order-Discoverers look to understand how electricity works.

**Social:** We are starting a new unit on the Histories and Stories of Ways of Life in Canada. We will start with the French and English presence in Canada and interaction with the Aboriginal cultures. Through the lens of community building and justice-seeking we'll explore how groups worked together for a common purpose and also whether justice was served through the actions of leaders and groups.

**Math:** This month we are learning about ratios, equivalent fractions, mixed and improper fractions, and adding fractions with the same denominator. If we have time we will start learning about decimals.

**Language Arts:** This month we will apply our learning in term two about genres of writing to write an opinion essay. This is a new to the curriculum and we are doing all the steps as a class before students do their own writing. We are also moving from morphology to etymology for word study and will be starting a novel study on the Tale of Despereaux hopefully by the end of the month.

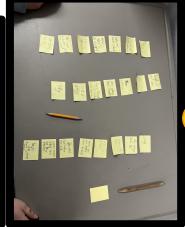
**Bible:** We continue to learn about the early life of Jesus. As we see so many parallels between the Old Testament prophecies and the New Testament stories of Jesus, we cannot help but be God-Worshippers. Next we'll start the unit on Jesus' Early Ministry.

# CLASS NEWS

### 5M April 2024 Newsletter

### Brainstorming Essay Ideas in Groups





Choir 1 at Aladdin Jr.



#### HSMP Presentation from Grade 9 Student on A Christian Response to Food Security









### **FINAL NOTES:**

As we step into the final term of grade five, I thank you in advance for your support with work completion, and all the other ways you support your child's learning. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns about your child's learning.

Robynn Moody

robynn.moody@blackgold.ca