

# The Darwell Dragon Digest

## School Chocolate Fundraiser

We are happy to announce that we will be doing our fundraiser with World's Finest Chocolates from mid-March until after the Easter long weekend. Money raised will go to classroom funds which are used to enhance learning for the students, to help cover costs of some student projects, and to offset some field trip costs. An email message with detailed information will be sent out once chocolates are ready for pick-up.

## Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration forms for the 2024/25 school year will be available March 1st. If you currently have children attending Darwell School and will have a child entering kindergarten next year, please contact the school and a package will be sent home. To be eligible for kindergarten, your child must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2024. We require a copy of your child's birth certificate, proof of address (ie. utility bill, property tax notice, rental agreement) as well as your rural address sign number. The registration package is also available to print online.

## Lunch by the Bunch

The next Lunch by the Bunch days are scheduled for Thursday, March 14th - Chicken Strips and March 21st - Tri Village Pizza.

## Darwell School Council/Betterment Meeting

Please note that the next Darwell School Council and Betterment meeting will be held at the school on Tuesday, March 12th at 3:30pm. Please arrive after 3:25pm. Babysitting will be available for children 2 years of age and above. If you are attending the meeting and you want your children to stay after school please contact the office so we can make those arrangements for you.

## Gotcha Assembly

These assemblies are a great way to see school spirit in action. Parents, guardians, and the general public are welcome to come out and join us as we celebrate our students who were "caught in the act" of doing something good last month!!!

## Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent-Teacher Interviews will be offered in-person or by telephone. They will be held on Tuesday, March 19th and Thursday, March 21st from 4pm-7pm each evening. We are using the same School Interviews program where parents/guardians can book their appointments online. Teachers will share specific information about assessments completed and will present any behavior concerns that may be affecting the student's success in school. Parents and students in turn will have the opportunity to express any concerns they may have. If these dates do not work for you please contact your child(ren)'s teacher to make other arrangements.

Please note: You will receive an email from the school with the link to book your appointment(s) using the School Interviews website. This program has worked very well for us in the past and it makes it easier for parents/guardians to book interviews using your phone, tablet or computer. If you do not have access to technology you can contact the school and we will book your interview for you.

## Summer Activities

Darwell Athletic Association will be running softball this year in conjunction with Lac Ste. Anne County. Online registration opened Monday, February 5/24 and closes on Friday, April 12/24. Register at <https://www.rampregistrations.com/login?v3=0324abe65d> For further information email [darwellrep@gmail.com](mailto:darwellrep@gmail.com).



## March 2024

### Important Dates:

- 6th: Pajama Day
- 7th: Hot Dog Day
- 11th: Gotcha Assembly 1:50pm
- 12th: School Council/Betterment Meeting 3:30pm
- 13th: Jersey Day
- 14th: Lunch by the Bunch - Chicken Strips
- 15th: Report Cards go home
- 19th: Parent-Teacher Interviews 4-7pm
- 20th: Twin/Triplet Day
- 21st: Lunch by the Bunch - Tri Village Pizza; Parent-Teacher Interviews 4-7pm

### No School Dates:

- 8th: PD Day
- 27th - 28th: Spring Break
- 29th: Good Friday



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