



# Children of Integrity

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## Jump Rope Update

Our school raised \$2,379.21 for the Heart and Stroke Foundation. Congratulations everyone! Look for your prizes to come some time before Spring Break.

## Reminders

### Valentine's Day Box Lunches:

It's time to start thinking about decorating your box for the Valentine's Day lunch. Have fun creating a special treat for a classmate or



### Chinese New Year Parade:

We will be celebrating with a dragon parade and some sampling of some traditional Chinese sweets.

### After School Snack:

If your child is participating in any of our after school programs, please be sure to pack them a healthy snack to enjoy before they start their

### Traffic Congestion:

Please help keep traffic moving in our parking lot especially after school.



## Dates to Remember

Valentine's Day	February 14th
Chinese New Year Parade	February 16th
Open House Parent Info Session	February 17th
100th Day of School	February 21st
Professional Day No school for students	February 23rd

## February Open House

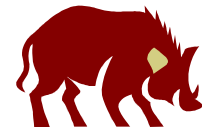
Our information session for new parents will be on Saturday, February 17th from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Please invite any of your family, friends, and neighbours who may be interested in joining our school community.

## The Year of the Golden Boar

Legend has it that in ancient times, Buddha asked all the animals to meet him on Chinese New Year. Twelve came, and Buddha named a year after each one. He announced that the people born in each animal's year would have some of that animal's personality. Those born in pig years tend to have excellent manners, make and keep friends, work very hard, and appreciate lux-

ury. They are very loving and make loyal partners.

Chinese Zodiac says that the Year of the Golden Fire Pig comes only once every 600 years and rumor has it, 2007 is this special year. It is Golden because the combination of elemental Fire, the sign Pig, and Yin/Yang components bring this year once every six centuries!



If you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost; that is where they should be. Now put foundations under them.

Henry David Thoreau

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