

December 10, 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians

Our Mac and Cheese Food drive for the Fort Saskatchewan Food Bank continues until Wednesday, Dec 15. If you are able to donate to this worthy cause, please send your Mac and Cheese donation to school with your child. In the afternoon of the 15<sup>th</sup> we will be judging classes for the most Mac and Cheese brought in, the tallest freestanding Mac and Cheese structure, and the most creative Mac and Cheese structure. This is a great opportunity for the citizens of James Mowat Elementary to help our community. Thanks for your participation.



Our Jay Mowat Reading Express train keeps rolling along towards the North Pole. We are now over 2500km towards our goal of travelling the 4000km to the North Pole. Students are encouraged to continue reading and bringing in their Golden Tickets so that we can make it in time for our special treat on the last day before Christmas break



With the change in weather there are times when our buses are arriving at school a little later than anticipated. It is important that our parents refrain from using our bus loop until after 8:45am. A gentle reminder to send a water bottle with your children each day, as our water fountains remain closed.



Mrs. Sikora and our students have been working hard on their Christmas song videos. Mrs. Sikora is hopeful that they will be up on your child's Brightspace accounts by December 17<sup>th</sup>. Please check them out once they are posted.

James Mowat Staff