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Dear students, parents, Kookums and Mooshums,

First Ever - Conklin Cook-off Challenge!



Reading is important. It is, in our opinion, the most important skill to have to survive and be successful in today's world. You have to read for work. You have to read to buy items online. You have to read a recipe to cook and bake. To help promote reading, we are hosting our first ever Conklin Cook-off Challenge!

For Wednesday January 27, we are asking community members to cook a big pot their favourite stew or chili recipe or both. Bonus points if you bring your favourite bannock too. Chilis and stews will be judged and the best stew and chili will be announced! (Stay tuned for more info as prizes will be

announced next week.) Every community member (family) who brings in a big pot of stew or chili will get **\$25 gift card for Superstore (Independent Grocers) or Sobey's.** Please phone the school to let me know if you are planning to participate. so I can get enough gift cards.

Community members will also cast ballots to decide what is better – stew or chili! The ballot will be used in a raffle for some small prizes.



The event runs from 5-8 and students and community members can also choose to go sliding or play ball hockey outside, or read books with each other in the gym, or relax in our Internet café. For those those cooks who like to share their knowledge, please bring a copy of your stew or chili recipe for people to write down. While this is going on, we all

can enjoy a cup of soul soothing hot chocolate and some cookies. More information about the Cook-off Challenge, prizes and activities will be out next week.

School Website

Please visit our school website <u>www.conklincommunityschool.ca</u> for up to date school news and latest photos of our students at work and at play.

Any questions or you want to chat over a cup of coffee or tea, please stop by the school and say hi!

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Mr. Carson, Principal

Important Dates:

Friday January 22 – No Classes – Staff PD Wednesday January 27 – Conklin Cookoff Challenge – 5pm to 8pm Wednesday February 10 to Friday February 12 – No School – Teachers Conference Monday February 15 – No School – Family Day