

St. John Community School

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May 2022
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Working Together, We're Better May 2022

Our 2021-2022 Spiritual Theme ~A Family of Faith~

Prayer for Catholic Education Week 2022

God of grace,

Help us to rediscover how to be side by side in rebuilding our communities of faith and learning. Help us restore harmony and balance in our relationships, and renew our desire to approach challenges confidently and with peaceful hearts. May we always rejoice in recognizing the blessing our lives hold.

Amen

NEWSLETTER

Important Dates to Remember

- May 20 ~ ATT No School
- May 23 ~ Victoria Day ~ No School
- May 23-27 ~ Catholic Education Week
- May 25 ~ Track & Field (Grade 6-8)
- May 27 ~ PowWow
- May 26 ~ World Catholic Education Day

Band Recruitment

The school division is pleased to announce it will be offering an elementary band program for students from grades 5 to 8. The program is optional and will operate during the school day as a co-curricular program. The grade 4 students will have a fieldtrip to the band class located at École St. Anne School on **Thursday, May 19th** from 10-11:10 am. This will give the students the opportunity to see what band instrument they might like and have an opportunity to learn more about the band program.



Pow Wow

The Heart of the Youth Pow Wow will be held on May 27th. Any students who are dancers and would like to participate are encouraged to contact Therese Gerow at 306-930-9398 or tgerow63@gmail.com.



Track & Field

The St. John Track and Field day is Wednesday, May 25th at the Harry Jerome Track. All students in Grades 6-8 are participating. The PAC track is Thursday, June 2nd and Friday, June 3rd at Harry Jerome Track.



Our Catholic Faith is Filled with~ LOVE

Playday

This year our playday will be held on Friday, June 10th. Grades 1-5 will participate in a day of fun and activities!

Grade 8 Farewell

The Grade 8 farewell will be held the afternoon of June 24. More information will be communicated with families once the program is finalized.



Catholic Education Week

May 22-29

This year's Catholic Education Week theme is Rebuild, Restore, Renew Together. The week will be marked by special activities such as prayer, celebrations and classroom activities. This is a special week in our schools as we celebrate the joy and hope of Catholic Education.



Logo Courtesy of <https://www.ocsta.on.ca/>

Registration for 2022-2023

We would like to encourage all of our families to register your child/children if you haven't done so for the 2022-2023 school year.

Please register Online at

<https://pacsd.ca/register-now/>



Paper copies are also available at the main office. Please contact 306-953-7536 to request a form to be sent home with your child/children.

Thank you for your ongoing support!



Kindergarten Registration

We are now accepting Kindergarten registrations for the 2022-2023 school year. Children must be 5 years old by December 31, 2022 to be eligible for registration. To register Online please visit

<https://pacsd.ca/register-now/>

or you can drop by the school office to pick up your registration form or call (306) 953-7536 for more information.

Prekindergarten Applications

We are now accepting prekindergarten applications for the 2022-2023 school year. Children must be 3 years old by December 31, 2022 to be eligible to apply. To register Online please visit

<https://pacsd.ca/register-now/>

or you can drop by the school office to pick up your application or call (306) 953-7536 for more information.





Student Information

Please remember it is important to keep your child/ren’s demographics information **Current** and **up to date**.

Phone numbers, address, and emergency contact etc. are crucial that we have the correct information should an emergency arise. You can contact the office at (306) 953-7536 to update over the phone or send a note with your child. We really appreciate your attention in this matter. Thank you.

School Cash Online

We are very excited to announce the launch of SchoolCash Online, an online payment system that allows parents to pay for student fees and school items; SchoolCash Online is our preferred method of payment moving forward. You are now able to register: a simple task that takes less than two minutes by simply visiting pacsd.schoolcasonline.com and clicking Register to get started.

<p>Paying for school items (fees, yearbook, class trips) just got easier! Sign up to get started today.</p>		<p>SchoolCash Online is</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Convenient • Easy • Safe • Saves Time
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Dress Code

Students are expected to dress appropriately for all school activities. Hats or clothing with inappropriate writing/graphics is not permitted nor is revealing clothing (spaghetti straps or short shorts). With warmer weather approaching we ask that students please follow these rules. Students arriving at school dressed inappropriately will be asked to change their clothing. Outdoor shoes are also not to be worn inside the school. Sock feet or bare feet are also discouraged.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Tax Designation

The Prince Albert School Division operates on funds received from local property taxation and provincial government grants. To ensure your property taxes are supporting your Catholic Separate School Division, you must declare your school supports as “Separate” on your Annual Property Assessment Notice and Tax Bill. If a declaration of school support is not filled in by a property owner, the property assessment and tax bills show the school support as defaulting to the public –school system. **DECLARE YOUR SUPPORT FOR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS** by completing a School Support Declaration Form available from Prince Albert City Hall or www.citypa.ca or your Rural Municipality Office. If you require information or assistance regarding any aspect of school taxes, please contact our Chief Financial Office at 306-953-7500.

School Fees

School fees are now overdue for the 2021-2022 school year. Fees help to cover a variety of educational materials, field trips, and accident insurance. Prompt payment would be greatly appreciated.



Kindergarten ~ \$15.00

Grades 1-6 ~ \$20.00

Grades 6-8 \$25.00

Payments can be sent with your child to their homeroom teacher. We accept cheques, cash, debit at the office, payment through SchoolCashOnline and Etransfers can also be sent. Please contact the office for details regarding Etransfers at 306-953-7536.

✝ Parish Announcements ✝



St. Mark Parish ✝ Father Jim Kaptein ✝ Parish Priest

589—9th Street East—Ph: 306-764-4637—www.stmarksparish.com

Sunday Mass time is 11:00am—Weekly Mass: 9:00am (Tuesday-Friday)



A Message from Fr. Jim

(May 2022) A Message from Fr. Jim

Like many of you I have been waiting for spring. It has been five weeks since Easter, when we celebrated the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Even the weather seems to be celebrating the new life that the world has received--the trees are beginning to bud out, the grass is starting to grow and the farmers are out in their fields. In the parish we celebrated the resurrection with Confirmation on May 1, when nine young members of our community were confirmed and received first communion. We also celebrated the resurrection when we honored mothers on May 8, Mother Day. We are all rejoicing that the Holy Spirit is alive and active in our church.

I hope you are also seeing signs of the resurrection in St. John School. No longer do you have to bundle up in winter clothing for recess. The walk home after school is a pleasant experience, rather than an endurance trial. And with the good weather everyone is in a pleasant mood. I hope and pray that all is well in your lives, and that you will continue to celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus all thought the year.

Sincerely,

Fr. Jim Kaptein

École St. Mary High School Upstage Productions presents...

THE MOUSE THAT ROARED!

MAY 11-14 7:30 p.m. E.A. Rawlinson Centre

For more information
www.mysmhs.ca

PRINCE ALBERT MINOR FOOTBALL



Providing football development programming to Prince Albert youth since 2007

River Riders

SPRING PROGRAMS for boys and girls

Little Tykes: grades 1 - 4

PeeWee and Bantam 6-a-side tackle football: grades 5 - 8

Senior 6-a-side tackle football: grades 9 - 12



FALL PROGRAMS for boys and girls

Atom 6-a-side tackle football - grades 4 & 5

PeeWee 9 man tackle football - grades 6 & 7

Bantam 12 man tackle football - grades 8 & 9

Pass, Punt & Kick - ages 7 - 14

All football equipment provided - bring a water bottle and cleated shoes.
Come and learn the skills & have fun playing the all Canadian football game!

For more information, dates, fees and registration for all River Rider programs:



www.pariverriders.com

