

# St. John Community School

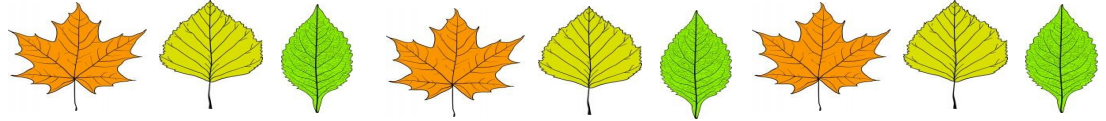
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October 2023

Mr. B. Skomorowski - Principal  
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**"Working Together, We are Better"**



**NEWSLETTER**

## Important Dates to Remember

- Oct. 10** Mom's Pantry Fundraiser starts
- Oct. 24 & 26** Parent Teacher Interviews
- Oct. 25** SCC AGM (11:45am)  
Please confirm your attendance by calling the office (306)953-7536
- Oct. 27** *Assigned Teacher time (no classes)*
- Oct. 31** Halloween
- Nov. 1 & 2** Picture Day!



Dates | Times | Place  
Monday, Oct 23 - Thursday, Oct 26, 2023  
Library  
All purchases benefit our school!

**SCHOLASTIC**

Our Catholic Faith is Filled with~ LOVE

Mom's Pantry Online School Fundraiser opens officially on **Tuesday October 10th** and runs until **Tuesday, November 7th**. A copy of the catalogue will be available online with ordering instructions and passcodes. There are incentives for a top seller from each classroom. More information has been posted on Edsby.

**ORDER NUMBER - 380309**  
**GROUP PASSCODE - 36795**



## Picture Day

**Picture Day is on Wednesday, Nov. 1 & Thursday, Nov. 2**

**Picture Retakes, Nov 30th**

## MEDICAL FORMS

If your child has a medical condition that requires him/her to have medication administered at school, we ask that you stop at the office and fill out a medical form. All medication **MUST** be kept at the office.



### Student Information

Please remember it is important to keep your child's information **current** and **up to date**. Information on phone numbers, address, and emergency contacts are crucial 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.

### Nut Free and Allergy Sensitive School

We currently have students who have life-threatening allergies to nuts, nut oils, and fish. We ask that all students and parents take the necessary precautions to make school a safe environment for our children. Please make sure to read all labels to see if they may contain nuts. Thank you.



### Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences

Forms were **sent home** to parents/guardians to select a preferred date and time slot for Parent/Teacher/Student conferences on Oct 24th and 26th. If a form was not returned a time slot was selected for you. Dates and times will be communicated with families in the near future. If you have any questions, please call the school at 306-953-7536.





# Reflection Walk



On September 26th the students and staff walked together to reflect on reconciliation. Some questions students reflected on were “What gifts do I see around me from the creator? What do I know about this land’s History? How can I make a positive difference in this place?”



# Meet the Staff/ Community Breakfast

Thank-you to everyone who joined us for the meet the staff, community breakfast. It was a wonderful morning and great to see so many families.



Influenza

COVID-19

## Protect Yourself

Get your **Flu and COVID-19** vaccines at the same time!

Vaccines are a safe and effective way to protect yourself and your loved ones.



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**Tuesday Oct. 24th 4pm-6:45pm**

If possible bring your health card and wear short sleeves

**ADDITIONAL CLINICS– Gateway Mall**  
**October 10-13, 2023 10:00am-5:30pm**  
**Saturdays Oct. 14, 28 & Nov. 4, 18**  
 10:00am-2:00pm  
**Tuesday October 17 & November 7**  
 1:00-5:30pm

**DROP IN CLINICS ONLY. NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY.**

For additional clinic listings go to [4flu.ca](http://4flu.ca)



## COLD Weather

Outdoor play is an important activity for students. Fresh air, even on cold winter days, is important in keeping children relaxed and healthy. Please ensure your child/ren is dressed for the cold weather.

The Environment Canada Guidelines will be observed when planning outdoor activities. Children may or may not be taken outside when the temperature or wind chill is below -28 degrees Celsius. It may just be for short periods of time.

Although Prince Albert Schools will remain open on extremely cold days, the School Division affirms and supports the parents/guardians in their discretion in keeping their children home when the cold weather conditions warrant. Please contact the school of the choice is made to keep your child/ren at home.

## Absent or Late?

Please remember to call the **Attendance Line @ 306-953-7590** or by **texting only @ 306-981-2074** if your child will be absent, late or require to leave for any reason. **Students cannot excuse themselves.** Our office is open from 8:00 am to 3:50 pm. If you call before or after school hours, please leave a message on our voicemail. Thank you for your cooperation.



## School Fees

School fees are due for the 2023-2024 school year. Fees help cover a variety of educational materials, field trips, and accidental insurance. **Prompt payment is greatly appreciated!**

**Kindergarten - \$15.00**

**Grades 1-5 \$ - 20.00**

**Grades 6-8 \$ - 25.00**

Fees can be paid through SchoolCash online or debit, credit or cash at the main office during regular school hours.