

École W.S. Hawrylak School

Mrs. L. Frei – Principal Mme F. Pelletier – Vice-Principal

March 1, 2018

What's coming up this month...

- Mar. 1st: Boys B Basketball game here vs. Jack MacKenzie at 4 PM; Ms. DaCosta's class to RSM; Firefighter presentation for Kinders in AM
- Mar. 2nd: **READING IS OUR THING! Dr. Seuss' Birthday!**; Firefighter presentation for Kinders in AM; Cheer team to Warman today and tomorrow; Basketball Beat today and tomorrow for Girls A Team
- March 5th: Skating at the Al Ritchie Arena 1:00 for Mme Roy, Mr. Fiege & Mrs. Rogers; 2:15 for Mme Gouin, Mme Potvin & Mme Borys; Mme Roy & Mrs. Foster's classes to the Brier for the 2PM game
- March 6th: Tartans in Training day at Campbell Collegiate for Grade 8's; Boys A Basketball game at McLurg; speed stack online ordering closes
- March 7th: Online Conference manager opens to parents at 7 AM; K-Grade 2 French Immersion Presentation for parents at 6:30 PM; Mme Potvin's class to the RCMP in PM; Girls A Game here vs. Wascana Plains; skating at the Al Ritchie Arena from 9:00-10:00 AM for Mme Gaudet, Mr. Markesteyn & Mr. Warren ; 10:00-11:00 for Mme Radfelder, Mrs. Burton & Mme Krassman; 11:00-11:45 Mrs. Anderson
- March 8th: Speed stack practice at noon in mini-gym; HSCC Special Lunch – Domino's Pizza & Booster Juice; Boys B Basketball game at Argyle at 4 PM
- March 9th: No School for students – PD Day for staff
- March 12th: Immunizations
- March 13th: 7:00 SCC Forum at RPSBO; Mme Gouin's class to the science centre; Mrs. Trithart and Mrs. Rogers to the Science Centre
- March 14th: Grades 7 & 8 to Mission Ridge for skiing/ snowboarding (9 AM to 6:15 PM); Campbell Collegiate Open House at 7 PM for grade 8s and parents
- March 15th: Speed stack practice at noon in mini-gym; Purple class Kinders to the Science Centre
- March 16th: HLC School Spirit Day: Green Day for Happy St. Patrick's! Ms. Ziegler's class to the U of R; Green class Kinders to the Science Centre; Concours d'art oratoire for French Immersion classes
- March 19th: Online conference manager closes at 9 AM
- March 20th: First Day of Spring; Optimist Band Festival at Conexus Arts Centre – Grade 6 play at 9:30; Grades 7 & 8 at 1:45
- March 21st: French Immersion Presentation at 9:30; International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination - <http://www.un.org/en/events/racialdiscriminationday/>
- March 22nd: Optimist Band Festival Grades 7&8 Jazz performance at 2 PM; Speed stack practice at noon in mini-gym; Mrs. Burton's Grade 5 class to the Regional Science Fair at the U of R
- March 23rd: No school for students – 3 way conferences
- March 26th: No school for French Immersion Kindergartens – conference day
- March 24th: Cheer team competes in Provincials in Saskatoon.
- March 26th: No Kindergarten class in French Immersion/Purple class – conferences for them
- March 29th: HLC School Spirit Day: Pastel Day; Swimming at SSLC at 1:45 for Mme Roy, Mme Gouin, Ms. DaCosta, Mrs. Burton, Mr. Markesteyn, Mr. Warren and Mme Potvin; Speed stack practice at noon in mini-gym
- March 30th: No School today for staff and students – Good Friday

Please check the school website for weekly updates:

<https://ecolewshawrylak.rbe.sk.ca/>

Is It Bullying?

When someone says or does something *unintentionally* hurtful and they do it *once*, that's RUDE.

When someone says or does something *intentionally* hurtful and they do it *once*, that's MEAN.

When someone says or does something *intentionally* hurtful and they *keep doing it* even when you tell them to stop or show them you're upset, that's BULLYING.



OUR THANKS... MERCI...

Thank you to the many families for providing wonderful treats and special notes for Staff Appreciation week in February. Thanks to the HSCC for providing the Staff Appreciation lunch which will be held on March 9th! We are so grateful for everyone's thoughtfulness and generosity.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATIONS FOR FALL 2018

Children who will be 5 years of age by December 31st, 2018 and live in the W.S. Hawrylak School boundaries or have childcare in our area are eligible to attend Kindergarten in Sept. 2018. Please call the office at 306-791-8445 to get a registration package. We will need a copy of the birth certificate and immunization records. Kindergarten orientation meeting will be held later in May for parents and the kindergarten child only to attend.

STUDENT-PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Scheduled Student-Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on Friday, March 23rd all day – no regular classes or transportation for all students. French Immersion Kindergartens will have two days of conferences – March 23rd and 26th. Therefore, there will be no school for French Immersion Kindergartens on those two days. We are looking forward to meet with you to share your child's success and set goals for the last term of the school year. The ParentPortal is available at any time online for parents to access academic information and attendance (for Grades 1 to 8).

ONLINE CONFERENCE MANAGER SCHEDULING FOR CONFERENCES ON MARCH 23RD

As we did in November, parents will be required to use the online conference manager system to schedule their children's 3 way conferences or Celebration of Learning sessions. You will use the same login information. The system will open at 7 AM on Wednesday, March 7th and close at 9 AM on Monday, March 19th. Some teachers who are hosting Celebration of Learning times will contact you directly if their schedule may be slightly different. More information to come home soon.

HAWRYLAK SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Thank you to the HSCC for hosting the 2018 Olympic Read-A-Thon for our students. Students who are eligible to receive prizes will be recognized at the March 6th Assembly.

Congratulations to all the students who participated in the 2018 Read-A-Thon! We had an overall participation rate of 53%! Well done! Keep READING! ☺ Thanks to the HSCC for hosting the movie night on February 2nd. It was nice to see families come out to enjoy this time together. Next HSCC meeting is on Monday, March 5th at 7 PM in the staff room.

PINK DAY: Thank you to everyone for wearing pink on February 28th to help promote the message of anti-bullying on the annual Red Cross, "Pink Day." We had special presentations for all grades to emphasize the importance of everyone doing their part to create healthy, positive relationships and take care of one another each and every day.

"I don't speak French...so how can I help my children improve their reading?"

~ **French Immersion Parent Literacy Information Session** ~
For **École Wilfrid Walker** and **École W.S. Hawrylak** French Immersion Parents
Wednesday, March 7 at 6:30 p.m.
École W.S. Hawrylak School Library (2350 Assiniboine Avenue)

Many parents of French Immersion students often struggle with finding ways to help their children with their reading because they do not speak French themselves. **This is especially difficult for parents when their children are beginning to learn how to read.**

We will be offering an information session for parents of students in Kindergarten to Grade 2. We will be talking about strategies and activities that parents can do at home to help their little French language learners as they learn to read and become better, more fluent readers.

Hope to see you there!

Tamara Spasoff
Learning Resource Teacher
École Wilfrid Walker School

Courtney Thomson
Learning Resource Teacher
École W.S. Hawrylak School

Please RSVP by March 5th to
courtney.thomson@rbe.sk.ca



HAWRYLAK School is demonstrating excellence in...

Basketball: Our boys and girls A and B basketball teams continue to demonstrate skill and sportsmanship as they play each game. All the best to them and their coaches: Mr. Kardynal & Mr. Fiege (Boys A); Mr. DeLaCruz (Boys B); Mme Pringle, Mme Coon & Ms. Ziegler (Girls A); Mme Gouin & Mrs. Foster (Girls B). We wish the Girls A Basketball team all the best as they compete in BEAT on March 2nd and 3rd.

Cheer Team: Our Grades 5-8 Cheer Team competes in Warman on March 2nd and 3rd; in Regina on March 17th and in Saskatoon on March 24th. We wish them all the best in their competitions! Thanks to the coaches, Ms. L. Hwang and Ms. R. Schienbien. Staff supervisors are Mme Pelletier and Mrs. Frei.

Junior Cheer: Mrs. Anderson will have practices on Mondays at lunch in the main gym for grade 4's who are interested in joining Junior Cheer.

HSCC Special Lunches: The next special lunch is on Thursday, March 8th and it is Domino's Pizza & Booster Juice. Orders and payment are due by March 1st at <https://www.healthyhunger.ca/>.

Speed Stack Team: Students in Grades 3-8 who have joined the Speed Stack Team will be practicing on Thursdays at noon in the mini gym. Their city-wide tournament will be held on April 26th at Sheldon Williams Collegiate. The Speed Stack Coaches are Mrs. Rogers, Mme Pelletier and Mrs. Frei.

Choir and Cast for Grades 6-8 Spring Musical: "Madagascar Junior": Ms. Machnaik, Mme Gaudet, Mme Boehme, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Leier, Mr. Longmoore, Mr. Kardynal and Mme Pringle are busy working with students on preparations for the big show! The choir and cast will continue to practice during the noon hours on Thursdays. We are excited for the performances on May 8th-10th!

Grade 5 Conflict Managers: Our Grade 5 students with the direction of Mrs. Burton continue to provide assistance to our younger students at recess with the Playground Conflict Managers.

HLC: Mr. Longmoore, Mrs. Burton, Mrs. Anderson and Mme Boehme and the HLC (Hawrylak Leadership Committee) continue to plan fun spirit days and other school wide activities. Students have the opportunity to earn points for the House League Teams when participating in spirit days.

Milk Program: Mme Pelletier and Grades 6-8 helpers continue to provide milk to students during the noon hour.

Office Helpers: Thanks to our many office helpers who are so dedicated to answer the phones at recess and lunch times.

Safety Patrol: We have 20 students who have volunteered to be on our 7 safety patrol teams. Students provide their assistance at 3:37 PM at the two main crosswalks. Thanks for time and dedication to keep our students safe!

Recycling: Thanks to Mrs. Anderson's grade 7 class for collecting recycling once a week for the whole school!

Campbell Collegiate Grade 8 Open House: Please join the Campbell Collegiate staff and students at the Grade 8 Open House on Wednesday, March 14th at 7 PM in the Auditorium.

Grade 8 Farewell: The Grade 8 Farewell will be held on Thursday, June 21st here in the gym. Time TBA

Grade 8 Outdoor School: Our Grade 8 students will be going to Outdoor School on Monday, June 11th and returning around 3 PM on June 14th.

Grades 7 & 8 Day at Mission Ridge to go downhill skiing or snowboarding on March 14th. Leave here at 9 AM and return around 6:15 PM

Library Volunteers: Thank you to the many parent library volunteers who help each day!

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

*School **success** goes hand in hand with good attendance

*Make a **commitment** to have your child attend every day and to be **on time** (school starts at 8:53AM)

*Children who attend every day are building **positive** habits that last a lifetime

*Students who attend school are more **engaged** in their learning and are more likely to **graduate**.

*Students who attend daily feel **connected** academically and socially.

*Students who attend daily impact the **achievement** of all students in their class and can help to build a positive **school culture**.

SCHOOL BUS BAY TIME RESTRICTIONS

This is a friendly reminder that the bus bay is for buses only from 8:00 AM to 9:00 AM and from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM. For many reasons, it's unsafe for vehicles other than school buses to use the bus bay area during busy times of the day. Thanks for your cooperation with this important matter.

CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH SASK

CPF - Regina is a chapter of CPF- SK, the provincial network of volunteers which values French as an integral part of Canada and is dedicated to the promotion and creation of French-second-language learning opportunities for young Canadians. CPF Regina is offering a variety of activities of interest to children and their parents. For more information, contact: Tammy Wilks cpf.regina@gmail.com <https://sk.cpf.ca/chapter/regina/>

STUDENTS READING CHALLENGE: We are encouraging all students to participate in this reading challenge until June 25th. Our early readers can have someone read to them. Please keep track of what and when you completed each part and submit to the office by June 25th. A draw for prizes will take place at our year end assembly.

A book recommended by a friend.

Un livre recommandé par un ami(e).

A book by an author who shares your first or middle name.

Un livre par un auteur qui a le même prénom ou deuxième nom que vous.

A book that is more than 50 years old.

Un livre qui date de plus de 50 ans.

A book that was published the year you were born.

Un livre publié l'année de votre date de naissance.

A book that has been made into a movie.

Un livre reproduit en traduction cinématographique.

The first book in a series.

Le premier livre dans une série.

A book about someone who inspires you.

Un livre au sujet de quelqu'un qui vous inspire.

A book that a family member recommended to you.

Un livre recommandé par un membre de votre famille.

A book that won an award.

Un livre qui a gagné un prix.

A book with a number in the title.

Un livre qui comprend un nombre dans le titre.

No SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS ON...

March 9th - Professional Development Day for staff

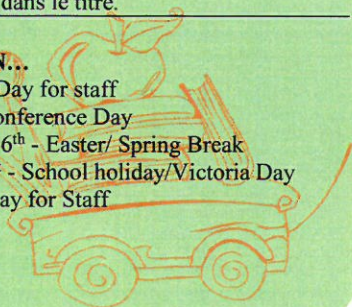
March 23rd - Student-Parent-Teacher Conference Day

March 30th - Good Friday April 2nd to 6th - Easter/ Spring Break

May 18th - PD Day for staff & May 21st - School holiday/Victoria Day

June 15th - Professional Development Day for Staff

June 29th - Teacher preparation day



Is My Child Too Sick to Attend School?

SYMPTOMS	COULD BE...	SHOULD MY CHILD ATTEND SCHOOL?	SHOULD WE SEE A DOCTOR?	WHEN CAN MY CHILD RETURN TO SCHOOL?
High temperature or fever/chills (over 37.5° C orally)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strep Throat (usually very painful) Chicken Pox Measles 	No	Yes, if fever lasts longer than 3 days or cannot be controlled with acetaminophen or ibuprofen, or if Measles is suspected.	Once the child is fever-free for at least 1 day. Physician to advise if treatment is required.
Rashes (Rashes have many different causes and some are very contagious. Usually a doctor must see the rash and testing may be required.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allergic reaction, insect bite, heat rash Fifth's Disease/Parvovirus B19 	Yes, if allergic reaction, heat rash, insect bite, fifth's disease or treated scabies	Yes unless you are sure it is an allergic reaction or heat rash. Phone the physician's office before you go to prevent spread	Physician to advise if treatment is required. If antibiotics are prescribed for Impetigo or Strep infections, can return to school 24 hours following the start of treatment. Chicken pox: when feeling well enough to attend. Shingles / if lesions are covered.
Vomiting or Diarrhea	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upset Stomach (caused by bacteria, virus or the toxins they produce) Gastroenteritis Norovirus 	No	Yes, if the child: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> is unable to keep any fluids down for 24 hours is dehydrated has blood in stool 	Not until it's been at least 2 days since the last episode of vomiting or diarrhea. CEAC #0310 March 2017 Page 1 of 2

SYMPTOMS	COULD BE...	SHOULD MY CHILD ATTEND SCHOOL?	SHOULD WE SEE A DOCTOR?	WHEN CAN MY CHILD RETURN TO SCHOOL?
Headache	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upset/Stressed Tired Dehydrated Onset of an illness Injury 	Yes, if the headache is mild	Yes, if headache is severe or accompanied by a stiff neck, or symptoms continue even with treatment, or a change is noted in the child's normal behavior (ie: sleepy)	When the child is well and able to manage school activities
Cough Minor Cold Runny Nose Minor Sore Throat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seasonal cold Influenza (a very contagious viral infection that attacks the nose, throat and lungs and also causes fever, weakness and severe aches.) 	Yes, if the child is eating, sleeping and playing normally No, if it is influenza (A very contagious viral infection that attacks the nose, throat and lungs and also causes fever, weakness and severe aches.)	Yes if there is a fever lasting longer than 24 hours or breathing becomes difficult.	When the child is well and able to manage school activities
Redness in the white part of the eye or along eye lids Itching or pain in eye Watery eyes (tearing) Discharge from the eye	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pinkeye (Conjunctivitis) 	No	Yes, if discharge is seen from the eye(s).	If antibiotic drops are prescribed for pinkeye, can return to school 24 hours after the antibiotic was started.

- Immunizations and frequent handwashing will help prevent many of these common childhood illnesses.
- Inform your school about the symptoms your child is experiencing when you call to inform them about the absence.
- See "Guide to Communicable Diseases" for information about these and other communicable diseases at:
http://www.rqhealth.ca/diy-pubhealth/pdf_files/ceac-5011.pdf
- Contact a Public Health Nurse at (306) 766-7790 Mon-Fri. from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or call the 24-hour HEALTHLINE by dialing 811.