

December 2021 Newsletter

West Central Public School

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Winter is coming!

Well, it is actually here (just using a little pop culture reference). As we get into lower temperatures and colder winds, students need to be dressed properly. This is for both the recesses and bus rides. We want all our students to be safe and warm during the winter. If you have a concern about the clothing, please contact us and we will be able to support you.

Our Winter Family Fun Night is planned for December 9th, from 6:30 -8:30. We will be having some fantastic activities, including a photobooth, sliding, sleigh rides and a bonfire. Our SCC and students have created Christmas Baskets to be raffled off. The themes of the baskets are Crafts (Kindergarten), Movie Night (Grades 1/2), Games and Book Night (Grades 3/4), Things for Mom (Grades 5/6) and Things for Dad (Grades 7/8). Please come out and enjoy the interaction with our school.

Our division is trying to strengthen the connection between home and school by establishing a school cash online program. This allows parents to make school purchases from their phone or another device. It will save parents from having to find the proper amount of money to send to school for hot lunches or the yearbook. We want to have all our families sign up. Please go to https://www.srsd119.ca/school-cash-online/ If you have any questions, please call us.

The "Our School" survey was sent out to parents. The students and staff have completed their part last week. The survey allows for parents to let the staff know their thoughts about the school. There is both multiple choice and open-ended questions. We used the positive comments, from our wonderful families, during staff appreciation week. Please take a few minutes to fill out the survey at ourschool.net/zxgqb

If you have any concerns, please call the school at 306 922 8339.

Thanks, and if I don't see you at the Family Fun Night have a safe and happy holiday.

Kevin Tait

Upcoming Dates:

Dec. 9 – Family Fun Night Dec. 13-17 – Spirit Week Dec. 17 – Boston Pizza Lunch Dec. 17 – Last day of school Jan. 3 – School Resumes

Dressed for the Season

Students must dress appropriately for the weather. They must be dressed adequately for a 1 kilometer walk in case of an emergency. Our bus drivers have the authority to warn/educate a student on a first offense, and refuse transportation on the second. Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division's complete Board Policies, Administrative Procedures and Transportation Manual can be reviewed on our website at <u>www.srsd119.ca</u>.

Thank you, Ryan Bruce, Manager of Transportation Services

Food Hampers

As we are soon approaching the Christmas season, we will once again be collecting food items for our Christmas food hampers. A letter will be sent home soon outlining some of the items needed, and each class will be making up a hamper. We are requesting that all food items please be sent in to the school by Tuesday December 14th. We will be drawing names for the hampers in each of the five classrooms, the winners will be contacted by the 15th, and pick up at the school on the 16th. Thank you for your support!

SCC News

The SCC would like to thank all parents who have sent in items for the Family Fun Night Baskets. If you still want to send items, we have a few days left! Your support is appreciated and all funds raised go back to supporting your child's learning in the school. Tickets for the baskets will be on sale inside the school the night of the Family Fun Night. Tickets are 2 for \$1/5 for \$2/10 for \$3.



Wolverine News

The West Central Wolverine Gr 7/8 volleyball team had an outstanding season. The team was composed of 4 grade 8s, 2 grade 7s and 3 grade 6s. We went through the season undefeated, playing teams made up grade 7 and 8 students. We defeated Vickers on our way to the gold medal match in the P4A Extravaganza. We lost to Shellbrook in an epic 3 set final. The games couldn't have been closer. It was so exciting!

The team members were Sarah Kuzniar, Denaya Neudorf, Mya Borowsky, River Dewhurst, Bella Adams, Rori King, Peyton Hatch, Monica Kuzniar and Lucy Mantyka.

West Central should be proud of these fine athletes!!





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5	6	7 (K)	8	9 (K) Family Fun Night	10	11
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