SPC Bulletin

September 2022

Reporting an Absence?

Please email <u>spc@psd.ca</u> or call 780-963-2203 anytime and leave a message. Please be sure to include your child's complete name and grade and details of the absence!

Stony Plain Central Administrators

Mrs. T. Neuman – Principal

Mrs. D. Villeneuve – Assistant Principal

Mr. W. Moody – Assistant Principal

Principal's Message

Welcome to the 2022-23 school year! It has been a great start to the year and I would like to extend a warm welcome to all of the returning families as well as the many new families joining Stony Plain Central School (SPC). Our school is certainly growing and this will be our final year in our current building as we look forward to moving to our replacement school next year!

Please join me in welcoming a number of new additions to our SPC team. We welcome Mrs. Chrissy Nickel (secretary), teachers Mr. Phil Owen (Grade 6) and Mr. Cole Feth (Grade 9), and Education Assistants Mrs. Coral Martin, Mrs. Lisa King, Mrs. Eryn Winfield(LPN) and Mrs. Kailey Schmidt Morrison.

We look forward to welcoming families to our "Meet the Staff" event on Thursday, September 15th from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. This is an opportunity for families to meet our staff, tour the school and see your child's classroom. You will also have a chance to meet our amazing School Council and Friends of SPC society who are so supportive of our school. There are many ways to be involved in our school community and these groups would love to have you connect with them!



On behalf of the staff at SPC, we look forward to the year ahead and working alongside you and your child! A reminder to visit our school website calendar and website (stonyplaincentral@psd.ca) that has upcoming events and information about our school.

I am also available to support any questions or concerns you may have and I can be reached by email at <u>tanya.neuman@psd.ca</u> or by phone at (780) 962-2203.

There is much to look forward to in this upcoming school year!

Sincerely,

Tanya Neuman SPC School Principal

Get Involved. Make a Difference.



Hot Lunch - Fundraisers - Track and Field Concession - Pancake Breakfast

These are just a few of the events that occur throughout the school year which require high volunteer numbers. Volunteers are desperately needed as our current numbers are very small. Should you wish to see these continue on for your child to enjoy, please consider volunteering your time.

UPCOMING MEETING DATES:

Friends of SPC (fundraising): Monday September 12 1:30pm - 2:30pm



Parent Council meeting: Tuesday September 20 3:30pm - 4:30pm

Watch social media and email for meeting locations and possible online options.



We are kicking off our 2022-23 School Year with a Little Caesars Pizza Kit fundraiser!

Tuesday August 30 - Sunday October 2

Watch social media and email for all the details.

Facebook: SPC School Council & Fundraising Society Instagram: SPC Council & Society Email: <u>spc.scchair@partner.psd.ca</u>



We are happy to announce that we have been granted a Casino License through AGLC.

This major fundraiser will take place in Q4 2023.

Watch for announcements and volunteer opportunities over the next year as we plan for this fantastic opportunity we have received.

Involvement in school groups is a meaningful, hands-on way to have a direct, positive impact on your child's educational experience. Research shows that when parents are involved in their child's education, the level of student achievement increases. Our meetings are a great way to connect with others and even make new friends!

<u>Parent Council</u> - These meetings are a great way to connect with teachers, administrators and our school board trustee about what is happening in our school throughout the year.

Friends of SPC - Our fundraising committee. We are hard at work fundraising for various activities and items around the school (Some examples: New School Playground, ChromeBooks, Sewing Machines, Home Reading Books and More!) The construction has begun on the replacement school and funds are still needed to go towards the playgrounds for our children. Your help is greatly appreciated and will go a long way. If you have any ideas to help our fundraising efforts please bring them forward to our meeting. We would love to hear everyone's ideas.

Hot Lunch - will commence in October. Watch for further communication around ordering dates later in the month. Please familiarize yourself with the rules before ordering. We will not be offering any refunds unless closures are mandated by the Government, in which case those will be done at the end of the year, minus any banking fees. Full details of the policy are on the hot lunch website. If you haven't signed up the directions are below. Here's how to get started...(you must register again regardless if you've had an account in the past)

- ✓ Go to spc.hotlunches.net
- ✓ Click on "Click Here to Register"
- ✓ Enter Access Code HLSP if asked

 \checkmark Complete the rest of the registration form. (Including your email address will ensure you receive reminder emails about hot lunch order deadlines, and your child's hot lunch order for the upcoming week)

 \checkmark Click the "Register Now" button at the bottom

 \checkmark Follow the instructions to add each child in your family who attends SPC. Once your child(ren) are registered, click on "Orders"

✓ Proceed to order hot lunch for your child(ren)

ALL orders and payments must be electronic.

School Council and Society Meeting.

The next SPC Society meetinhg is September 12 at 1:30pm

The next meeting will be vitural on September 20 at 3:30pm

All SPC Parents are welcome!!!!

Student Drop Off and Pick Up

Please remember that all student drop off and pick up is to be done in the parking lot by the bus area.



PICTURE DAY!!!!

Smile!!! Picture day(s) will be October 5 and 6. EE, ECSA and Grade 1-6 will be done on October 5th. ECSB and Grade 7-9 will be on October 6th.

TERRY FOX

Stony Plain Central will be participating in the Terry Fox Walk will be held on September 22 at 2pm. It will be a mass start and will be on school property. We encourage students bring a Toonie for a donation to the Terry Fox Foundation!



VOLLEYBALL AT SPC

Welcome to SPC Volleyball! We are excited about the upcoming season. The student-athletes are enthusiastic and ready to take on the challenge of developing their skills over the next few months. We are looking forward to having the opportunity to compete against other schools. We will be able to run senior and junior girls' volleyball teams this year. Thank you to all the coaches helping with the teams this year!



CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING CLUB

Do you love to run? Why not join the Cross Country Running Team? It is for students in Kindergarten to Grade 9. There are 5 Cross Country meets held across Parkland School Division and all meets are held after school on Thursdays. Parents/Guardians are responsible for getting the runner to the meet and home afterwards. Practices will be held on Tuesdays during the lunch recess break. If you are interested, permission forms are available from the office.

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In honour of the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, join us for a

WALK WITH ELDERS

Join community members as we walk and learn from Elder Phillip Campiou of the importance of recognizing this day.

Our journey begins at the Stony Plain Community Centre. We will then make our way through downtown and gather for tea, bannock, and additional sharing at the Family Connection Centre, 5600-50 Street.

There is no cost to attend this event and we encourage participants to wear an orange shirt, in recognition of the effects of residential schools and their legacy.

September 30, 2022 10 - 11:30am **Event starts at Stony Plain Community Centre,** 5008 51 Avenue, Stony Plain

Event organizers:





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AMH Caregiver Education September 2022 Newsletter

The Caregiver Education Team is proud to offer free addiction and mental health virtual programming for parents and caregivers of children and youth, as well as new sessions for all adults.

Please feel free to share this information with parents, caregivers, educators, community members, and professionals who would like to learn more about addiction and mental health topics. If you want to learn more about how to support a child or youth that you live or work with, or if you want additional strategies for supporting your own wellness, you are welcome to register for these sessions.

See the <u>attached newsletter</u> for more information on topics, dates, times, and registration.

Caregiver Education Sessions

These online sessions are intended to provide parents, caregivers, teachers, and community members with introductory information regarding mental health challenges that can affect children and youth. This month, we are offering a **two-part lunch & learn webinar series** that focuses on **parenting strategies that promote positive mental health**. We will be looking at ways we can increase the 'wellness deposits' (protective factors) and decrease the 'wellness withdrawals' (risk factors) in our child's daily life to promote resilience.

Adult Education Sessions (New!)

This month, we are offering two sessions around supporting mental health in adults! Join us for an **evening session** where we will look at ways to increase our own personal **resilience through caring, connecting, and coping,** or attend a **lunch & learn webinar** where we will discuss the symptoms and supportive strategies around **understanding depression**.

To register for a session, follow the links found in the attached newsletter or visit: <u>https://www.cyfcaregivereducation.ca/virtual-education</u>

More sessions to come in October! Visit our website for tip sheets, videos, and more! <u>www.cyfcaregivereducation.ca</u>

The Caregiver Education Team AMH Education Services Alberta Health Services, Edmonton Zone Email: <u>cyfcaregivereducation@ahs.ca</u> Website: <u>www.cyfcaregivereducation.ca</u>

SEPTEMBER 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1	2
			Day 3	Day 4
5	6	7	8	9
	Day 5	Day 6	Day 1	Day 2
Labour Day				
12	13	14	15	16
Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 1
Friends of SPC 1:30pm	Girls VB Practice 3:15		Cross Country - Duffield	Grade 5 - Corn Maze
	Public Health Nurse 10am		Meet the Teacher 4-6pm	Gr 6 Immun. Teaching
19	20	21	22	23
Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6
	School Council Mtg 3:30pm		Cross Country - Woodhaven	
			Terry Fox Run 2pm	
26	27	28	29	30
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Dayı	Day 2	Camp Warwa Gr 8	Cross Country - Entwistle	National Day for Truth &
			Orange Shirt Day	Reconciliation
			Camp Warwa Gr 8	No school
			Play Parkland Gr 3&4	