

FORT SASKATCHEWAN

ELEMENTARY •

Friday, May 13, 2022

Dear FSE Families,

This week, we have had some exciting, new events going on in our school. Thank you to our incredible team for the many ways that they support our FSE school community.

Kindergarten A invited families in for tea and showcased some of their amazing work. Kindergarten B took a walk to the local Co-op and were even given the opportunity to get behind the till.

Grade 5 and 6 Badminton Club started this week on Tuesday and Thursday during lunch recess in the gym.

Our 4/5C class were provided the opportunity to creatively develop their own business plans in the Junior Achievement program.

At the end of the week, we had a very successful whole-school fire drill. The students exited the building quickly and quietly and were respectful as they did so. Super proud of them!

The grade 6s have an eventful week coming up with classroom photos, a day trip to Birch Bay and the ELA PAT's.

Just a reminder that there is no school this coming Friday, May 19.

Please enjoy your weekend!

Sincerely,

Dustine Vicic Acting Principal Fort Saskatchewan Elementary School



Classroom Photos: Monday, May 16

Please come prepared for the whole-class photoshoot on Monday. Let's scrub up those pearly whites and say cheese! Kindergarten A will have their classroom photo on Tuesday, May 17.

Grade 6 Leadership Activity at Birch Bay Ranch: Tuesday, May 17

The grade 6 students will be loading the bus at 8:40 and heading out to Birch Bay for the day to enjoy various teambuilding and empowerment activities including archery, wall climbing, Burma ziplining and Super ziplining. It is such a wonderful way to wrap up the year!

Last Parent Council Meeting For the 2021-2022 School Year:

Pease join us for our last <u>School Council/Parent Society meeting</u> which will be held **virtually and in person** this Wednesday, May 18 at 5:30 p.m.

Time: May 18, 2022, 05:30 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Link Meeting ID: 839 6952 8668 Passcode: b2RA90

School Council/Parent Society

BRING IN YOUR BOTTLES! Our Parent Society will be holding a Bottle Drive in the parking lot on **Tuesday**, **May 24 from 2:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** Drive by and drop off any of your empty bottles in the bottle depot trailer to help raise funds for future Parent Society purchases which supports our students.

Want to order Hot Lunch? Click here

Hot Lunch

- Friday May 27 ~ Edo Japan (cut off to order is May 17)
- Friday June 3 ~ Boston Pizza (cut off to order is May 24)

Are you a grandparent raising children?

Would you be interested in joining a support group with other grandparents who are parenting their grandchildren?

I am excited to let you all know that FCSS has collaborated with Uncles and Aunts to offer a support group for Grandparents that Parent here in Fort Saskatchewan. An information session is being hosted on June 6th at the CN Station from 7-8pm for those who are interested in attending.

Treaty 6 and Metis Nation Flag Raising: June 13

If you've driven by EIPS Central Services recently, you may have noticed the addition of two new flag poles. As a further commitment on the path of truthtelling toward reconciliation, and as an affirmation as Treaty partners, EIPS will be raising the Treaty 6 and Métis Nation flag on June 13. Each school in the Division will also display the two flags and are busy planning staff professional development and student learning experiences to understand the significance of each flag. More information on the Central Services ceremony and the specific events at each school will be shared in the near future.

Important Dates in May:

May 18 ~ Gr. 6 PAT ELA Part A ~ School Council/Parent Society Meeting @ 5:30 p.m.

May 20 ~ School Closure Day ~ No School for Staff and Students

May 23 ~ Victoria Day ~ No School for Staff and Students

May 24 ~ Cut off for ordering June 3 Hot Lunch ~ Parent Society Bottle Drive 2:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

May 27 ~ Hot Lunch ~ Dress like a Tacky Tourist Day!