



Chess Club!

Any students in grades 1 - 7 are invited to join Chess Club this year. Chess Club will start on November 7th at noon and will run every Tuesday until the end of April. All students are welcome to drop in for chess club on any Tuesday. Permission forms will not be sent home for this reason. Come out and join us to learn more about the game of chess!

Parent Teacher Conferences

*Conferences will be held **November 15th and 16th** from 4:00-7:00 p.m. Appointment times can be for in-person or by phone. Please indicate your preference when booking your time.*

*We will continue to schedule all times using School Interviews. Please ensure all times are booked by **November 3rd**. Families are encouraged to check out our Scholastic Book Fair and school clothing samples when they are here for conferences! Contact Mrs. Cote if you have any questions.*

School Interviews Booking Information

To book your child's parent teacher conference, please click on the link below or access School Interviews using the QR code.

[School Interviews SPS Booking link](#)



**Bookings are due by
November 3rd**

School picture retakes will be held on Friday, November 10th. If your child would like to get retakes, please contact your child's teacher to let them know. Thank you.



Our annual Remembrance Day Service will be held on Thursday, November 9th at 11:00 am.

Operation Christmas Child Boxes

Each class at Shaunavon Public School will be putting together a few boxes for Operation Christmas Child this year. If you would like to contribute, please click on the link below for instructions on what to send, and what not to send.

Shaunavon Pharmacy will give our families 20% off all items purchased for these shoe boxes, just let them know what it's for. If you would like to participate, but don't have time to shop, cash donations will be accepted.

Shaunavon Public School will cover the \$10/box charge for shipping. Items must be received no later than November 17th.

[Samaritan's Purse gift instructions](#)

Scholastic Book Fair



November
15th, 16th, & 17th!

Please join us November 15th and 16th during Parent Teacher Conferences to have a look at the Scholastic Book Fair and to check out the school clothing samples. Students will attend the Book Fair with their class throughout the week, so watch for those wish lists!

Grant a wish for a classroom!

Parents are invited to help build classroom libraries by purchasing a book from their teacher's classroom wish list! Wish lists will be posted at the Book Fair for each grade. Please check them out.

Safety Reminder for Parents and Students

- Please ALWAYS use the crosswalks around our school and encourage your children to do the same.
- The bus loading zone on the west side of the playground is incredibly congested during pick up and drop-off times. Please ensure the east side of 3rd street is left completely open for buses to park.



SPS wishes to thank all our parents for modelling safe pedestrian behaviour around the school. We truly appreciate it.

Poppies from the Legion are available at the school office by donation. If you would like your child to purchase a poppy from the Legion, please send them with their donation money to see Mrs. Cote.



THANK YOU

- FOR YOUR FEEDBACK -

WE APPRECIATE EVERYONE WHO MADE TIME TO RESPOND TO OUR FAMILY ENGAGEMENT SURVEY.

OUR STAFF AND SCC WILL BE CAREFULLY REVIEWING EACH OF YOUR RESPONSES AND WE WILL BE WORKING TOGETHER TO PUT YOUR IDEAS INTO ACTION MOVING FORWARD.





EDUCATION FUNDING

Informational Meetings

CHINOOK STUDENTS
NEED YOUR ADVOCACY
AND SUPPORT!



Chinook parents, families, staff and community members are invited to attend any of the scheduled Education Funding Informational Meetings.

Join us and learn about education funding in Saskatchewan and the impact on your local school division's budget, programs, services and resources.

MONDAY
23
7:00 PM
October

SWIFT CURRENT
Central School Auditorium
121 Dufferin St W

THURSDAY
26
7:00 PM
October

MAPLE CREEK
Maple Creek Composite School Gym
311 Louis Ave

MONDAY
06
7:00 PM
November

CABRI
Cabri School Gym
420 Prospect Ave

TUESDAY
07
7:00 PM
November

SHAUNAVON
Shaunavon Public School Gym
251 5th Ave

If you would like to learn more about what our School Community Council (SCC) does for our school, please give us a call. We would love to have you join us.

School clothing order information was emailed home earlier this week. If you would like a paper copy of the order form, please stop by Mrs. Cote's desk. Clothing samples will be available November 15th and 16th during Parent Teacher Conferences, if you would like to check sizes. Thank you to our SCC and Get Loud Apparel!

Please click on the link below to access parent notes and some very helpful hints to assist parents in learning about internet safety and digital literacy.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1uWR9sDH-g_Hlf4839TujDrODS4-fvUuH/view?usp=share_link

Thank you to White Hatter for the very informative presentation.

SPS would like to send a warm thank you to our local Catholic Women's League for donating items from their rummage sale to our students. Your kindness and generosity brought many smiles to our students.

Thank you to Jade, our Student Services Counsellor, for all the great ideas to help our students.

finger breathing

An easy breathing technique for kids



NOVEMBER ACTIVITIES

● Make a gratitude jar

● Create watercolor resist leaves



● Watch a movie inside a blanket fort

● Have a family pajama day

● Have a family game marathon

● Prepare homemade gifts for family and friends



● Go on a nature walk



● Create a thankful wall

● Fall-inspired art activity

● Have a family puzzle night



● Read books about gratitude together

● Have an indoor scavenger hunt






● Build a homemade bird feeder



● Make an act of kindness

● Have a fall picnic



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 Day 4	2 Assembly @ 2:40 pm SCC Fall Forum Kindergarten Day 5	3 Day 6
				
6 Kindergarten Day 1	7 Educational Funding Informational Meeting 7:00 pm SPS Gym Everyone is welcome! Day 2	8 Subway Hot Lunch forms due Kindergarten Day 3	9 Remembrance Day Service @ 11:00 am Day 4	10 School Picture Retakes Kindergarten Day 5
13 Day in lieu of Remembrance Day No school 	14 Day 6	 SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR 		17 Subway Hot Lunch School Clothing orders due Kindergarten Day 3
20 Day in lieu of Parent Teacher Conferences No school	21 Day 4	22 Kindergarten Day 5	23 Day 6	24 Kindergarten Day 1
27 Day 2	28 Kindergarten Day 3	29 Day 4	30 Kindergarten Day 5	 REMEMBRANCE DAY <i>LEST WE FORGET</i>