

We have had a great start to our school year. It has been wonderful to see our students and to meet all the new families who have joined us this year. We have a few reminders to help us keep on track.

- Please return all **forms and student fees** ASAP. Call Mrs. Cote if you have any questions.
- Remember to have a **water bottle** with you at school every day.
- Temperatures are changing. Please dress for the weather and always have a pair of clean, dry indoor shoes at school. It's a good idea to **label all of your outerwear**.

ILLINOIS JANE and the PYRAMID OF PERIL



Performances November 3rd & 4th

SPS Drama is excited to bring back live audiences to see **Illinois Jane and the Pyramid of Peril!** Come watch these student thespians as they perform this hilariously cooky, action-packed, tomb-raiding, one-act play. Watch as our heroine Illinois Jane and her sidekick, Sid, take on the odor-endowed French villain: Pierre LeMalodeur, his henchman Claude, and Mime of Evil, Marcel. There is even confused pirates that help our villain on the way (Spielberg never thought of that!). Join us, and our school community, as we put students back on the stage and audiences back in the seats!

Shaunavon Public School October, 2022

Thank you!

- SPS staff would like to thank all the families who were able to join us for Muffin Morning on September 15th. It was great to see our families back in the school.
- Thank you to all families who have returned all their child's forms and school fees. If you haven't returned your fees and forms, please do so by October 3rd.

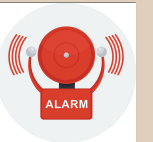
Wasps and bees have been making their presence known on the playground! We have been encouraging our students to eat their snacks inside the school to avoid attracting wasps to the garbage cans.



Due to the number of absences due to illness this time of year, Cypress Health Region has requested that we track Influenza-like Illness (ILI) symptoms as well as Gastrointestinal (GI) symptoms.



At SPS we practice many drills including fire drills, tornado drills, hold and secure drills, etc. All students are given instructions and are prepared by their teachers ahead of time.



Thank you to all the students who have signed up for **Safety Patrol** this year. Thank you for helping to keep our students safe.
Please note that there is a **new crosswalk** in the middle of the block where the buses park. Patrollers will be at this crosswalk at lunch hour and after school.



Shaunavon Public School

Feeling Happy - Feeling Safe - Learning Together - We Celebrate!

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At SPS, our families all have access to My School Sask. (MSS) which is the program you will receive your child's report card in. Report Cards go home twice each school year and will be published to the MSS Parent Portal for you to view and print if you wish.

If you are new to SPS, you would have received a username and password via email. If you do not know your username and password, please contact Mrs. Cote. She will be happy to help you.

[MSS Parent Portal Instructions](#)

If you have fall decorations that we can put in our outdoor planters at the school, we would welcome the donation!



Meet our Staff

Mr. Ross	Principal
Miss Leslie	Vice Principal
Mr. Wheeler	Student Services
	Teacher
Jade McGuire	Student Services
	Counselor
Mrs. Davis	Prekindergarten
Miss Casat	Kindergarten
Mrs. Phair	Grade 1
Mr. Michelson	Grade 2
Mrs. Lundsten	Grade 3
Miss Hastings	Grade 4
Mrs. Beauchamp	Grade 5
Mrs. Mokolki	Grade 6
Mrs. Stevenson	Grade 7
Mrs. Poppy	EA
Mrs. Groenewald	EA
Mrs. Oberle	EA
Mrs. Cooper	EA
Mrs. Hardin	EA
Mrs. Conradie	EA
Mrs. Envik	EA
Miss Maddess	EA
Mr. Wallis	Facility Operator
Mr. Sonen	Custodian
Mrs. Tetrault	Librarian
Mrs. Cote	Office Manager

Shaunavon Public School has been working on refining some of our procedures in regards to transportation of students on buses.

Please review the links below:

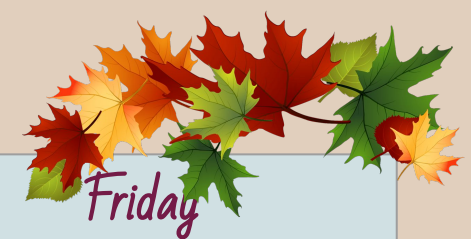
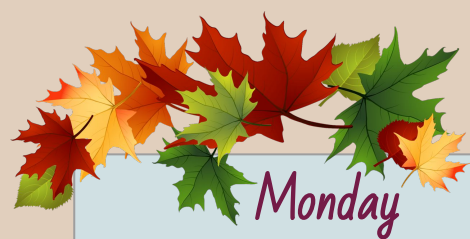
- The Transportation Procedures and Guidelines for Parents from the Chinook School Division Transportation Department;
[Parent Handbook](#)
- Administrative Policy 351: Student Conduct on Buses;
[AP 351: Student Conduct on Buses](#)
- The Student Bus Conduct form. This form is to be used by all bus drivers in the event of misbehaviour on a school bus that has not been corrected by a quick conversation and will be turned into school administration. School administrators will be dealing with any conduct arising from these forms.
[Student Conduct form](#)
- The new Shaunavon Public School Bus Discipline Policy, which will be included moving forward in our Student Handbooks.
[Bus Discipline Policy](#)

Thank you, and please contact the school if you have any questions. These links are also always available on our school website.



Please take time to review these links as a family. The safety of all students and the driver is of utmost importance while on the school bus and, therefore, it is important that all students follow the school bus rules.

October



<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
3 Assembly at 2:40 p.m. Day 2	4 Kindergarten Day 3	5 Day 4	6 Kindergarten Day 5	7 Day 6
10 <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i>	11 Kindergarten Day 1	12 Day 2	13 Kindergarten Day 3	14 Fire Prevention Week Presentation Day 4
17 Kindergarten Day 5	18 Day 6	19 Kindergarten Day 1	20 Day 2	21 Kindergarten Day 3
24 Day 4	25 Kindergarten Day 5	26 Day 6	27 Kindergarten Day 1	28 Day 2
31  Kindergarten Day 3	<i>Picture Retake Day November 2nd in the a.m.</i>  <i>Remembrance Day Poster & Literary Contest entries due November 1st</i>	<i>SPS Drama Production performances November 3 & 4</i>		



SPS collects student fees each year to cover the cost of agenda books, in-school performances as well as student excursions .

Kindergarten	\$15.00
Grades 1 - 7	\$20.00
Family Rate	\$50.00 (maximum fee per family)

Students names:

Student grades:

Total submitted:

Cash/Cheque (please circle one)

Please make all cheques payable to Shaunavon Public School.
Fees are due by September 30th.



things to say to your anxious child

1. I'm here with you. You're safe.

2. Do you want to do some dancing or running to get rid of the worried energy?

3. Tell me about it.



4. What would you like to say to your worry? What might your worry say back? Then what?

5. Let's draw it.

6. What does it feel like in your body? Where is the worry? How big is it?



7. Match your breaths to mine.

8. Let's think up some endings for what could happen (anxious ones, goofy ones, AND realistic ones).



9. What's something we could do to help you feel better?