

CANWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

MAY 2022

ADMINISTRATOR'S MESSAGE

We are still waiting on the May flowers, hopefully we do not need to wait much longer. We had a very positive month of April with spirit lifting activities including pep rallies, trivia contests, dress up days, as well as a special guest speaker The Tornado Hunter. Other highlights were an active badminton season and reading goal activities such as Breakfast and a Book. These events have done wonders to bring the sense of community back into the school since restrictions have been lifted. We are looking forward to more fun spring and summer activities as we roll into the final two months of school.

Coming up this month we have senior badminton playoffs starting. Also, we are hosting badminton districts on April 30th with the winners moving on to the next round. Planning for the track and field season is well under way, our junior students will compete in Debden with the winners moving on to the P4A Meet in Prince Albert. Our senior students will first compete in Prince Albert with winners moving on to provincials.

The graduating class is hard at work planning their graduation ceremony. Many thanks to Mrs. Sansom for taking on the lead role of grad coordinator. After the success of last year's outdoor ceremony this year's class has opted for an outdoor ceremony followed by a banquet. The big day is booked for Friday, June 10^{th} .

Please take time to talk about water safety with your kids. It is easy to remember, as a child, the fun and excitement of playing in the puddles and ditches. Please remind your children the hazards of playing in water, to always play with a friend and to stay away from water whether it is rivers, dugouts, deep ditches or lakes. Speaking of safety, as seeding is ramping up, I wish all the farmers a safe and successful seeding season. Stay safe out there.

-Mr. Brian Linn



LIBRARY NEWS

Hello from the library! The new books have arrived and I have many new titles just waiting to be read!! Come into the library to check them out!!

A reminder to all students to return library books by the due date in order to avoid late fees and so that lending privileges will not be affected.

As the end of the school year is approaching, all library books will have to be returned by June 9th to allow enough time for inventory to be taken. You will be charged for any unreturned books in the fall.

-Mrs. Tracy Pease

PAST EVENTS

<u>Breakfast and a Book</u> - Before the Easter break, students and staff enjoyed "Breakfast and a Book". High school students partnered up with elementary students and everyone gathered in the gym to enjoy some muffins and fruit and read books. Thanks to the Canwood Cougar mascot for joining in on the fun and to Becky Wilson for capturing some photos for everyone to see! -Mrs. Vanessa Balicki











































SCHOOL SPORTS

<u>Junior Badminton</u> - The Junior team had a great showing at the year end playoffs in Debden on April 13th. Teasha Johnstone and Cailyn Isbister won gold in Girls Doubles, Tucker Danberg and Ryan Sanderson won bronze in Boys Doubles and Sadie Schutte won bronze in Girls Singles. Congratulations to the medalists, a huge shout out to all the players who participated and thank you to the coaches Mr. Tibbs and Mrs. Hansen.

-Mr. Keanan Tibbs







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EXTRAS

<u>Slow Down</u> - Canwood Public School staff and students would like to remind everyone to slow down in our school zone. We have noticed an increase in "speedy drivers" traveling past the playground and school building. Please pay attention to the speed limit when traveling through the school zone on 1st Street East.

<u>Parking Lot Safety</u> - Parents/guardians, if you are parked anywhere near the school to pick up students at the end of the day please remember that children may be walking between and/or behind parked cars on the way to their parent's vehicle, and might not be easily seen, or they may be riding their bikes home after school. Wait to pull away from the school until students have made their way to their vehicles or down the street, and wait until the buses have left the parking lot. Thank you.











<u>Prekindergarten & Kindergarten 2022-2023</u> - Anyone interested in enrolling their child in the PreK or Kindergarten programs for the 2022-2023 school year can fill in the registration forms on the Canwood School website. Contact the school office at 306-468-2150 for more information.

<u>2022-2023</u> <u>Calendar</u> - The 2022-2023 school year calendar is available on the Sask Rivers School Division website at srsd119.ca, under "Parent Information".

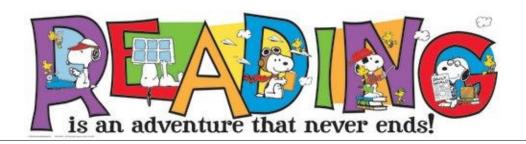
<u>Edsby</u> - We are asking parents and guardians to use Edsby to quickly and easily enter present and future absences for your child/children. Edsby has an introductory video that parents can watch - you can find it under the "support" link and then by clicking "parents". Edsby has a free app for all iOS and Android smartphones so that you can access school information or enter absences anywhere, anytime. Please call the school office for more information.



<u>School Cash Online</u> - We are asking parents and guardians to sign up for School Cash Online. Cur-



rently, school fees can be paid online as well as milk cards for the elementary students. More events and items will be added to School Cash Online as they occur and become available. If you have already paid for school fees or milk cards, sign up anyway and take a look at your payment history. Payments through this program are by credit card or electronic check which is a transfer directly out of your bank account.



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