



CANWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2023

ADMINISTRATOR'S MESSAGE

Thank you parents/caregivers for making your child's learning progress a priority. We loved having you at the school to make those valuable connections and to talk with you about your child's successes at school.

The ski trips in March were a fun time for all. We appreciated all of the volunteers and parents that joined us on these excursions. Thanks a bunch!

Our SLC continues to celebrate school spirit in our building. The students enjoyed all of the spirit week events this month. March Madness competitions ended with an assembly and the top group was awarded house points. The winner will be announced on Canwood School Facebook page.

April showers and warmer weather mean that spring has arrived, so do muddy puddles. Please remind your child to avoid the puddles and to bring extra clothes in case their clothes get wet...especially socks!

We are excited to once again host a Drama Production! Our Drama club have been working extra hard on learning their parts. Please see the Drama section in our newsletter to learn more about the details of this event.

Mom's Pantry fundraiser will begin on April 3 ending on April 21. We are raising funds for our new high jump mats. Thank you to the Elks Club on their generous donation to help cover some of the costs of the high jump mats! Every bit helps and we want to extend our gratitude to the community for supporting the school fundraisers!

Mrs. Sylvia Delisle



SCHOOL SPORTS

Badminton - Both Junior and Senior badminton are in full swing. We have a good deal of participants on both teams.

The Junior team has been to tournaments in Shellbrook, Debden & Big River and has hosted teams in our gym. Playoffs will be hosted by Big River on Wednesday, April 5. A huge thank you and shout out to all of the players.
Junior Coaches: Mrs. Hansen and Mr. Tibbs

Senior Badminton is off to a good start with Canwood players fairing very well thus far. We are in the Highway 55 league with Shellbrook, Debden, Ahtahkakoop, John Keenatch, and Big River. There are 2 weeks left in the regular season. Canwood visits Debden April 4 and then Canwood hosts Big River and John Keenatch on April 18. Playoffs are as follows: Conference April 25 in Shellbrook, Districts (tbd) April 29 Regionals in Nipawin May 6 and Provincials in Unity on May 13. Thanks to all those participating and Go Cougars!
Senior Coach: Mr. G. Duval

SLC & UPCOMING EVENTS

"Smokies & Perogies" Fundraiser On Thursday, April 6, we will be providing staff and students with the opportunity to purchase lunch of 1 smokie, 5 perogies and a juice box. The meal will cost \$5.00 and all proceeds will go towards the purchase of the new high jump mats. To guarantee your meal, please pre order by April 3. Staff and students can submit cash or pay online via School Cash.



SLC is organizing a "Mom's Pantry" fundraiser from April 3rd to April 21st. Proceeds will go towards new high jump mats for our school. Families can expect to see order forms being sent out for the month of April. There is the option to order online. To make an order online, please go to www.momspantry.ca, select the items that you would like to order, and follow the prompts at checkout. They will ask for the following information when you "checkout" online.

Group Name: Canwood Public School Order Number: 369465 Group Passcode: 20389

If you are **local** to our school, you can choose to **pick up** your order at the school. If you are not local or would prefer not to pick up at the school, you can have your order shipped directly to you, but shipping charges may apply.

If you choose to pick up your order from the school - it must be picked up the day of delivery as the school does not have room to store any orders. Once we are notified of the delivery date we will share that information with the public. When the order arrives we will post on Facebook and contact the sellers to pick up orders as soon as possible.

Dessert Theatre - The Grades 6-12 Drama production is back! This year the students will be performing the play "Larceny and Old Lace" by Van Vandagriff. Audiences of all ages will love this clever and well-crafted spoof of the community theatre classic! Harold Peabody's sweet aunts, Millie and Gertie, are gambling in Las Vegas while Harold stays at their home to watch over his eccentric Aunt Charlie, who thinks she is a pirate and is constantly "burying treasure" in the basement. When Harold hears the local bank has been robbed and then discovers a bag of money in the house, he declares that Charlie has buried her last treasure and decides she must go to a home for senior citizens. But Aunt Millie and Aunt Gertie can't imagine doing such a thing. After all, Charlie had nothing to do with the bag of money. How do they know? They stole it from a casino! They casually admit it was their thirteenth holdup of a gambling establishment, pleasantly reminiscing about their previous exploits. When Harold's jailbird cousin Mordred shows up with her own bundle of money and the FBI hot on her heels, the pandemonium multiplies. Join the madness as Harold attempts to keep his aunts out of jail, Mordred from killing them all, his fiancée from walking out on him and himself from going insane!



The performance will be on Thursday, April 27 at 6:30 pm and will have a selection of desserts and dainties made by the PAA classes. Tickets are \$15/person for the play and dessert, with assigned seating. Tickets can be purchased from the school office. Advance payment is required on or before Friday April 21.





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We're on the Web!

<https://cw.srsd119.ca/>



Spring is Coming! - As we anticipate a very wet and muddy schoolyard this spring, we ask that parents send extra clothes to school with their children. If anyone has clothes to donate to the school, it would be great to have some extras on hand.



Allergen Awareness - Please be aware that Canwood Public School is a nut-aware school. Any packaged foods brought in to the school by students should be "peanut free". Foods that "may contain nuts" are not acceptable and should not be brought in to the school. When in doubt when preparing lunches and snacks for your child, please click on the Anaphylaxis Information under the Safe Schools heading on the Sask Rivers Website, www.srsd119.ca. If you have any questions or require

THANK YOU

A great big **thank you** goes out to the Canwood Elks Club for their donation of \$2000.00 towards the purchase of our new high jump mats for our gym. This money was raised when Minor Sports hosted the ball playoffs last summer at Canwood Regional Park. Canwood Elks Club were in charge of the food booth with the help of workers provided by the Minor Sports Club. The new mats have been purchased and are being enjoyed by all the students.



Pictured Left to Right: Courtney Hansen—Secretary Canwood Minor Sports, Sylvia Delisle—Principal Canwood Public School & Richard Schwehr—Canwood Elks Rep.

EXTRAS

Canwood Public Library Branch of Wapiti Regional Library
The library is presently selling raffle tickets on 2 Easter baskets 3 tickets for \$5.00. Draw will be made on April 4. First name drawn has the choice of basket. Monies raised help to provide snacks at program events,

April 13 Regional Kids First Moms & Tots 10 am to Noon
April 20 Self Defense Classes For Ages 15 to Adult 6:30 pm to 8 pm Participation is **Free**. Limit of 10 Participants.
To Register Call Jessica at the Library @ 306 468 2501.

April 21—28 Kid's Club 3:30pm to 4:30 pm. Come make a craft & enjoy some snacks Ages 5 to 12

SCHOOL CLOTHING

School clothing is available now through to April 21st. Go to <https://canwoodschooll2022-23.itemorder.com/> Clothes will be delivered to the school and distributed to the students. We thank you for your order in advance. Enjoy your Cougar Swag!

April 2023

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School Cash On Line

One of the measures we are taking as a division is to establish our online payment system to minimize cash and check payments at our schools and encourage parents to make online payments from home. Through School Cash Online, parents can pay registration fees, course fees, field trips, yearbooks, school clothing, and more.

Parents who use School Cash Online have the ability to:

- Keep track of their child's school items and activity fees.
- Stay connected by receiving email notifications of new fees.
- Check their account history.
- View and print receipts.
- Pay for school fees anytime, anywhere, with a simple click.
- Easily link and access all students in a household.

School Cash Online payments can be made with Visa, Mastercard, or electronic check.

It takes less than 5 minutes to register. Please follow these step-by-step instructions so you will begin to receive email notifications regarding upcoming events involving your child.



How to Register

Go to <https://srsd119.schoolcashonline.com/> and click on Register

- Enter your first name, last name, and email, and create a password.
 - Select a security question.
 - Check **YES** to receive email notifications.
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2. A confirmation email will be sent to you. If you do not receive it, check your Spam folder.
 3. 3. Follow the instructions in the email. **Your email is used as your username in your profile.**

4. For assistance with registering an account, adding a student, making a payment, or troubleshooting, please visit the School Cash Online's helpdesk at www.helpdesk.supportschoolcashonline.com or Quick Youtube video at [Intro to School Cash Online – YouTube](#)

How to Add a Student

Sign in to School Cash Online through <https://srsd119.schoolcashonline.com/>.

1. Go to MY ACCOUNT.
2. From the dropdown menu, select My Students.
3. Click to add a student.
 - Type in your School Board Name.
 - Select School Name from the list.
 - Enter Student Criteria (Student Number, First Name, Last Name, Date of Birth).
 - CONFIRM

You may add up to **eight** students on your profile.

How to Make a Payment

1. You will be able to view any available items attached to your students that are set up on your account.
2. Select the item which you would like to purchase and click "Add to Cart."