

# CANWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

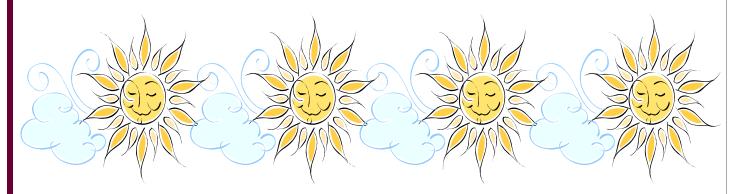
# SUMMER 2023

### **ADMINISTRATOR'S MESSAGE**

I think everyone is glad that summer is here! We've had a great year at Canwood Public School! June was a whirlwind of activity filled with finishing off learning outcomes, Kindergarten Graduation, High School Graduation, Track and Field and our Celebration of Student's Success. Look deeper into the newsletter for more information on these June events. We also celebrated Indigenous Peoples Month in a delicious way with Bison Stew in a Bannock Bowl and dessert on June 16th. A huge thank you to Mr. Duval and Mrs. Debbie Delisle and the PAA 9 and PAA 11/12 classes for organizing and cooking this meal. We had an amazing turnout for the Canwood Public School Variety Show and raised \$710.70 for our school. The performances were wonderful and very entertaining. Thanks to Mrs. Hamborg, who did a great job organizing, practicing with students and so much more to make this evening a memorable one. Thanks to everyone who helped and supported this endeavor!

We would like to thank students, families, the community and staff for all your contributions in making this year a success. It takes a village and a whole community to create a great school, "If you want to go fast go alone, If you want to go far go together" -African Proverb. We hope that everyone has a safe and fun summer. Remember to take time to slow down and take in all of the sights, sounds and joys of summer. See you in September!

-Mrs. Lisa Howat & Mrs. Sylvia Delisle



Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten Combination Classroom - In the fall Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten will be attending together on Mondays and Wednesdays, Kindergarten will attend on alternate Fridays. The enrollment of our school requires us to combine these age groups to have reasonable class sizes. It's important to us that all students have their learning needs met regardless of class configuration. This strategic decision to combine these early years classes was based on alignment and program structure. Alternative grade grouping were considered such as a K,1,2 split, but at this time the combination of Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten best meet the needs of our young learners. Pre-Kindergarten will continue to be an early intervention program (spaces are limited), families interested in applying are encouraged to do so, families with children in Kindergarten are strongly encouraged to register immediately for the fall. Children are accepted to Pre-Kindergarten by September 15<sup>th</sup> and families will be contacted. Thank you for your support and understanding on this upcoming change.

-Mrs. Sylvia Delisle

### SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

<u>Summary and Upcoming Events</u> - The SCC Board consisted of Elaine Holmes (Chair), Kerri Charbonneau (Vice Chair), Tabetha Person (Secretary), Heather Sten, Lorna Benson, Amie Bather, Sylvia Delisle (Principal), Lisa Howat (Vice-Principal) and Heather Hladun (Staff Rep).

As an SCC we have had a busy year. We supported a letter campaign for more support services in rural communities. We continued to contribute and support mental health awareness (Cody Demerais presentation Grade 7-12), literacy (\$5 Book Fair certificates), art appreciation (helped fund Beauty and the Beast tickets), physical education (helped with Ski Trip) and the school community (Kindergarten Grad t-shirts, wrapping supplies for Santa Shop and off set cost of yearbooks). We will be finishing off our school year with volunteer clean up for Grade 12 Graduation.

The SCC will resume the evening of "Meet the Staff" in September. Some of our focuses for this upcoming year are mental health awareness, parent engagement and fundraising. The SCC along with the school will be looking into design and funding for new playground equipment/outdoor classroom, as well as guest speakers to present to students, parents, caregivers and community. So please watch your school newsletter for upcoming SCC events and join our meetings. Our students, SCC and school appreciate your support and look forward to working together.

-Canwood School Community Council

### SCHOOL LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

This month, students were able to select SLC positions that they were interested in carrying out for the 2023-2024 school year. We are excited to present our new SLC representatives for the 2023-

STUDI AT COUNCIL

2024 school year:

President-Jaden Schutte

Secretary- Ava Eberts

Drama Coordinator- Elyse Whiteside

Interhouse Coordinator- Ebe Johnson

Canteen Coordinator- Nova Vaagen

Yearbook Coordinator- Becky Wilson

Classroom representatives will be chosen in the fall. Congratulations everyone! We are looking forward to another fun-filled year.

-Mrs. Vanessa Balicki

### **PAST EVENTS**

<u>Graduation</u> 2023 - On June 23<sup>rd</sup> the Canwood Gym was decorated in navy and gold to celebrate this year's graduates. Our 2023 graduates are Wesley Charbonneau, Kierra Dee, Josie Hoeflicher, Zander Hounsell, Caleb McLean, Cooper Taylor and Creeson Thomas.

The MC for this year's ceremony was Mrs. Kori Sansom. The history and prophecy was given by Josie Hoeflicher and Cooper Taylor. The graduates selected Mr. Greg Duval as their guest speaker and he shared some wise words and funny memories. Other well wishers included Mrs. Cher Bloom (SRSD Board Trustee), Mr. Tom Michaud (Superintendent of Schools) and Mrs. Sylvia Delisle (Principal). We also had a special graduate Kaylee-Anne Bloom join us after completing her courses through distance learning. The Valedictorian for this year's class was Cooper Taylor. Kierra Dee offered thanks to the guests on behalf of the graduating class.

The presentation of awards and scholarships was conducted by Mrs. Kori Sansom and Mrs. Sylvia Delisle. Mr. Richard Schwehr presented the PAATA scholarship and the Carlson Memorial Scholarship was presented by Mrs. Lorraine Benson and Mrs. Aldine Feige.

Financial Lit 30, PAA A30, ELA B30, History 30, Math Foundations 30, Biology 30, and Creative Writing 30 - Josie Hoeflicher. Chemistry 30 - Josie Hoeflicher and Zander Hounsell. PE 30 and ELA A 30 - Zander Hounsell. Law 30 - Wesley Charbonneau. Math Workplace 30 - Cooper Taylor. Most Improved Student - Kierra Dee. Congeniality - Wesley Charbonneau. Student of the Year - Wesley Charbonneau. Governor General's Medal -Josie Hoeflicher. PAATA Scholarship and Carlson Memorial Scholarship - Cooper Taylor.

Following the ceremonies, the graduates were once again able to hold a banquet to celebrate with their families. A big thank you to Neighbourhood Caterers for catering a delicious meal. MC of the banquet was Mrs. Kori Sansom and grace was said by Mr. Richard Schwehr. Toasts were given by Josie Hoeflicher and Cooper Taylor with replies from Mrs. Sylvia Delisle on behalf of the staff and Mrs. Lindsay Taylor on behalf of the parents.

It was a wonderful evening to celebrate the graduates, we thank all our special guests and community members who came to help us acknowledge the hard word and dedication of our graduating class.

-Mrs. Kori Sansom

<u>Celebration of Student's Success</u> - On June 26<sup>th</sup> we held our Celebration of Student's Success where we acknowledged the hard work and dedication of students to their learning and the school community. Here are the award winners:

### Grade 1

Outstanding Achievement - Hudson Schutte, Anders Schwehr Congeniality - Paris Olson School Spirit - Brynlee Aiken

### Grade 2

Outstanding Achievement - Bria Benson, Lincoln Hamborg, Leif Nordquist Congeniality - Rhonwen Johnson

### Grade 3

Congeniality - Shay Benjamin

### Grade 4

Congeniality - Kloe Benson School Spirit - Bree Isbister



### Grade 5

Outstanding Achievement - Belle Armstrong, Reese Hamborg, Maren Hansen, Leland Hegland, Ava Little, Cali Masuskapoe

Congeniality - Reese Hamborg School Spirit - Leland Hegland

### Grade 6

Outstanding Achievement - Brayzn Benson, Robyn Dionne, Elisha Johnson, Nica Villegas Congeniality - Elisha Johnson School Spirit - Robyn Dionne

### Grade 7

Outstanding Achievement - Rebecca Schutte, Jocelyn Lajeunesse, Reegan Arcand Congeniality - Kovie Nordquist School Spirit - Rebecca Schutte

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### Grade 8

Outstanding Achievement - Tye Vaughan, Tucker Danberg, Taiden Wrench, Sadie Schutte, Rebecca Millar, Rajko Hinson, Nolan Peters, Sarah Moritz, Brooke Nordquist, Aubrey Hansen

Congeniality - Rebecca Millar School Spirit - Sadie Schutte

### Grade 9

Outstanding Achievement - NovaLeigh Vaagen Congeniality - Cailyn Isbister School Spirit - NovaLeigh Vaagen



### Grade 10

Outstanding Achievement - Ebe Johnson, Jacklyn Sten, Elyse Whiteside Congeniality - Ebe Johnson School Spirit - Jacklyn Sten

### Grade 11

Outstanding Achievement - Hansyn Bahnuick, Bailey Hagel, Jaden Schutte, Fynnlayv Smart, Becky Wilson

Congeniality - Becky Wilson

School Spirit - Hansyn Bahnuick

### Recycling - Patrick Sten

<u>SLC</u> - NovaLeigh Vaagen, Ebe Johnson, Jacklyn Sten, Elyse Whiteside, Hansyn Bahnuick, Bailey Hagel, Robert Holmes, Becky Wilson

SRSD Students 4 Change - Jacklyn Sten and Josie Hoeflicher

-Mrs. Kori Sansom







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### THANK YOU

<u>Thank You</u> - to the Affinity Credit Union - Canwood Branch for donating some leftover office supplies to the school. These items will be very useful.

### **EXTRAS**

<u>Newsletter Next Year</u> - In the fall Canwood School newsletters will be mailed out to the community as usual, they will also be sent to parents/guardians on Edsby and by email. If parents/guardians would like a paper copy of the newsletter sent home with their child they must contact the school office.

<u>Registration for the Fall</u> - Any students who did not attend Canwood School this year and will be joining us in the fall need to submit a 2023-2024 registration form so that they are added to our student list before the first day of school. The registration form can be found on our school website cw.srsd119.ca.

<u>School Bus Registration</u> - Any students who did not attend Canwood School this year and will be joining us in the fall need to submit a School Bus Registration in order to be picked up by their school bus in the fall. The registration form can be found on our school website cw.srsd119.ca. Returning students only need to register again if their land location or contact information has changed.

<u>Prekindergarten & Kindergarten 2023-2024</u> - Anyone interested in submitting a PreK application form or enrolling their child in the Kindergarten program for the 2023-2024 school year can submit the forms on the Canwood School website cw.srsd119.ca.

### **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

VBS is back!!! - When- August 29-31, 2023—9:00am-3:30pm

Where- St. John's Lutheran Church, Shellbrook (rides are available from Canwood if needed, contact Christine @ 306-747-1387 call or text)

Who- ages 5-12 (younger kids welcome but must be accompanied by an adult) Bring a bag lunch! Watch for posters!!



# September 2023



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25 PreK & K	18 PreK & K	11	4 Labour Day No Classes		Mon
26	19	12	First Day of Classes Grade 1-12		Tue
27 PreK & K	20 PreK & K	13 <b>K</b>	<b>K</b>		Wed
28	21	14	7		Thu
29	22 <b>K</b>	15	8	I PLC No Classes	Fri
	school bus	16	9	2	Sat



PFIZER (age 6mths +), MODERNA (age 6 months +)

Walk-ins and Booked appointments (1-833-SASKVAX OR ONLINE)

## Wednesdays July 19th and Aug. 23rd, 2023:

9am—11:30am— appointments available

9am—11am and 1pm-4pm—walk in

2nd Floor L.F. Macintosh Building 800 Central Ave, Prince Albert

Booking online or by phone
1-833-SASKVAX (727-5829) or www.saskhealthauthority.ca

To find a clinic near you or to see who is eligible, visit

www.saskhealthauthority.ca



