St. Louis Public School



January 2021

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
4 PK Day	5 K Day	6 PK Day	7 K Day	8 K Day	
Drivers Ed	Drivers Ed				
First Day back to On-line/at home learning Jan 4 - 15th					
11 PK Day	12 K Day	13	14 K Day	15 K Day	
Drivers Ed	Drivers Ed		SRSC Virtual Meeting	Gr. 4/5 & 6/7 MADD virtual presentations	
18 PK Day	19 K Day	20 PK Day	21 K Day	22	
Welcome Back to In-School classes! Drivers Ed	Drivers Ed Lunch Program open for orders staring today				
25 PK Day	26 K Day	27 PK Day	28 K Day	29	
Finals - Gr. 10-12	Finals - Gr. 10-12	Finals - Gr. 10-12	Finals - Gr. 10-12	No School	
	Daycare AGM virtual meeting	Family Literacy Day	Last day of Semester 1 for High School	Teachers Convention	



How to Correctly Wear a Mask

- Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer before and after touching the mask.
- Use the ear loops or ties to put on and remove the mask.
- Ensure your nose and mouth are fully covered, and that there are no gaps.
- Don't touch the mask while wearing it.













ADMINISTRATORS' MESSAGE

Mr. Jaret Nelson, Principal Ms. Dianne Broome, Vice-Principal

Thank you to all of our engaged families participating in emergency at-home learning during the three weeks surrounding Christmas break. Elementary teachers have been instructing ELA, Math, Art, and Phys. Ed. classes, our high school has been working in all of the their semestered subject areas, while all other staff have been busily preparing for our students return. We miss all of our students so much and eagerly await their return. We know the past couple of weeks have not been ideal but learning carried on and memories were made. Everyone needs to be proud of the persistence that they have demonstrated while adapting to a challenging situation.

The New Year brings with it pride and hope. We are so very proud of our students and our families for how each day they are following our procedures in regards to social distancing, cleaning, cohorts, and masking. Parents please be diligent. If your child is ill with any symptoms that are related to Covid 19, please make arrangements to keep them home for the duration that their symptoms are present, as well as another 48 hours after the symptoms are not present. With each of us working cohesively, we will all get through this.

All of our students, Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 12, will return to regular in-person classes beginning on Monday, January 18. Kindergarten will begin on Tuesday, January 19.

This month brings the end of our semester with finals starting on January 25 and concluding on January 28. Our grade 10 to 12 students will receive their report cards on February 5.

We will be scheduling a grad meeting in the coming weeks but we are waiting for an indication of what some of the guidelines may be surrounding this celebration.

Thank you everyone for a great first half of the school year.

Student Fees

All student fees are due

All student fees are required to be paid in full (including fees from past years that have not been paid) for students to participate in Graduation cap and gown ceremony.

Pre-Kindergarten – no fees.

Kindergarten: \$15.00

Gr. 1 to 7: \$30.00

Gr. 8 – 12: \$30.00 to pay for tissue, special projects and curricular trips.

<u>Caution Fees</u>: Grade 7 only: \$25.00. (reimbursed upon graduation if no books have been lost or damaged and accounts are nil).

P.A.A. Fees: Gr. 7 - \$20.00 Gr. 8 -12 - \$25.00

Graduation Fees: Gr. 12 \$50.00

(Cheques are payable to St. Louis Public School)

NEW Lunch Menu – Starting <u>Tuesday</u>, Jan. 19th

	\$2.00	\$3.00		
Monday	Small Mac & Cheese with fresh veggies	Large Mac & Cheese with fresh veggies		
Tuesday	Half Grilled Cheese & Tomato soup	Whole Grilled Cheese & Tomato soup		
Wednesday	Half Pizza Sub (warm)	Whole Pizza Sub (warm)		
Thursday	Half Chicken Quesadilla & Caesar Salad	Whole Chicken Quesadilla & Caesar Salad		
Friday	Small Hamburger Soup & Biscuit	Large Hamburger Soup & Biscuit		
	Milk/Juice - \$1.00, order with lunch in the morning			

For students who bring a lunch:

Due to fire safety regulations there are no microwaves in the school for students to warm up their meals. Please plan accordingly.



Thank You PC Children's Charity School Nutrition Grant

We are extremely grateful to President's Choice Children's Charity for a grant of \$6075.00!! This grant enables us to continue our snack program. Research shows that hunger can limit a child's ability to succeed. Our snack program helps all students to have a body & mind that is ready for learning!

Food Hamper Drive

A huge thank you to our St. Louis families and Harold's Family Foods who donated food items for the hampers during our 12 days of Christmas.





Grade 2/3

Happy New Year! The Grade 2/3 class will be "jumping into" Science by learning about materials and building structures. This includes learning about bridges, materials, beams, load, angles, curves and other parts of designing, engineering, building and quite possibly re-building a structure. We will continue with our Home Reading program which has been a great success. Many students are reading far more at home and are pleased with the results of improved reading strategies, comprehension and the reward box prizes! Here's hoping for a wonderful, healthy, happy 2021 for all of us.

- Ms. Hunter and the 2/3 students.

Royal Canadian Legion Contest Winners

Congratulations to the Royal Canadian Legion Contest winners for this year. They are Brie Boyer – 1^{st} in Senior Essay and 3^{rd} in Colour Poster; Jasmine Pala – 2^{nd} in Colour Poster; Saydi Tait-Sjogren 2^{nd} in Intermediate Poetry, and Rylee Mercredi – 2^{nd} in Elementary Colour Poster. We are very proud of how you represented our school!!

SRC Fruit Drive

We have had a long-standing Fruit Drive fundraiser in our community, and normally at this time of year, we would start calling for your orders. Unfortunately, the ability of our supplier to get the fruit here has been impacted by the pandemic. Therefore, for the first time in 19 years, we have to cancel the 2021 Fruit Drive. It is our intention to run this fundraiser next year and we hope that we will be able to count on your support at that time.

Grade 10-12 Final Exam Schedule January 25-28

	Monday Jan. 25	Tuesday Jan. 26	Wednesday Jan. 27	Thursday Jan. 28
Grade 10 Morning	W.A.M.		Science 10	E.L.A. / Native Studies
Grade 11 Morning	Law		Health Science	PreCal W.A.M.
Grade 12 Morning	Law		Health Science	PreCal W.A.M.
Grade 12 Afternoon		History	E.L.A.	



St. Louis Branch News Wapiti Public Library January 2021

WE'RE OPEN - BY APPOINTMENT ONLY - COME SEE WHAT'S NEW AT THE LIBRARY!

St. Louis Branch Library 2020 Meat Raffle Winners



As of December 10th, we were SOLD OUT for the 6th annual St. Louis Branch Wapiti Library meat raffle fundraiser. With all tickets sold, the accounting done, and school closing early, the draws were made on Wednesday, December 16th with library board and school staff present at the St. Louis Public School. Thank you to school secretary **Lisa Swain** for drawing the winning tickets.

Here are the 2020 meat raffle prize winners:

1st Prize: Louis Perillat of Duck Lake was the winner of the whole PORK donated by **Al Hanson** of Birch Hills with cutting & wrapping donated by **Virgil Kiefer** of Brancepeth (ticket sold by **Virgil Kiefer**)

2nd Prize: James Gaudet of St. Louis was the winner of the BEEF BBQ pack (steaks and burgers) sponsored by Marcel & Val Trumier – Trumier Electric of Hoey (and) Marc & Adrienne Blondeau – Kushneryk Funeral Service of Wakaw (ticket sold by Gaudet's Bellevue Garage)

3rd Prize: Garth Halcro of St. Louis was the winner of the CHRISTMAS TURKEY & HAM sponsored by Louis & Claudette Lavergne – NorPine Construction of St. Louis (ticket sold by Marcel Trumier Electric)

4th Prize: Angel Denis of Domremy was the winner of the BREAKFAST Bonanza (case of breakfast sausage, bacon & pancake mix) sponsored by Claude & Louise Tournier – Riverside Agencies of St. Louis (ticket sold by Rachelle Deault)

5th Prize: Justin Sjogren of St. Louis was the winner of the bag of ROASTING CHICKENS donated by the Winding River Hutterite Colony (ticket sold by Claude Tournier/Riverside Agencies)

For the 6th year in a row, our 1,500 tickets (at 3 for \$5) were sold out well in advance of the actual draw date. Thank you to our generous sponsors and all who sold/bought tickets. Tickets were available from library board members, the library and local businesses in St. Louis, Hoey, Domremy, St. Isidore-de-Bellevue, Birch Hills, & Brancepeth. SLGA lottery license # SR20-0525.

Funds raised in the meat raffle go towards library activities (author presentations, book readings & scholarships), computer upgrades, and supplies not covered by Wapiti Regional Library. Thank you for your support!

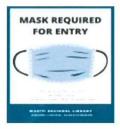
ZOOM with the St. Louis Branch Library Book Club



The St. Louis Branch Wapiti Library Book Club continues to meet by holding regular meetings via the ZOOM app. We ZOOM on the first Tuesday of each month.

The next meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 5th, 2021. For details on how to access the meeting, interested adults should contact Pierrette Pelletier at (306) 314-1261.

The St. Louis Branch Library, along with all Wapiti Regional branch libraries are OPEN WITH RESTRICTIONS (masks mandatory) for book loans and returns. For the safety & well-being of patrons and staff, all public computer use and in-house library programs remain suspended until further notice. Please check the Wapiti Library main page, the St. Louis Branch Library Facebook page, or call the St. Louis Branch Library for details.



St. Louis Branch Wapiti Public Library is open
4 nights a week <u>BY APPOINTMENT ONLY</u>
Call the library to book your time.
Starting Jan. 1st, 2021 the new hours for 2021 & 2022 are:
Mondays – 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.
Tuesdays – 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Wednesdays – 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Thursdays – 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.

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