

EYE OF THE STORM

FEBRUARY 2026

Happy Valentine's Day

What's Cupid's favorite band? Kiss!



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Lyle's Lowdown

February has been a busy and energizing month at Schuler School. Even in the heart of winter, our students continue to stay active, engaged, and connected to our community which is something we are very proud of.

I would like to extend a sincere thank you to the Schuler Skating Rink for generously providing skating lessons for our students. These experiences not only help build physical skills and confidence, but they also create lasting memories for our kids. We are so fortunate to have such strong community support.

A special thank you as well to the Schuler Curling Club for organizing our school curling program. Curling is an important part of our local culture, and it has been wonderful to see our students learning the sport, working as a team, and having fun on the ice. We look forward to watching our

junior high students curl in our Jr. High Bonspiel, Friday, February 13th. Please come out and watch them curl!

Partnerships like these truly make a difference in our students' school experience and reflect the strong sense of care and contribution that defines our community. Thank you to everyone who continues to support Schuler School.

As we move toward the spring months, we look forward to continued learning, growth, and opportunities to celebrate our students' successes.

Warm regards,
Lyle Kennedy
Principal, Schuler School

Schuler School Calendar

 <h1 style="text-align: center;">February</h1> 						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	BB League Girls/Boys	Schuler Olympics (hockey)	Winter Walk @ 2 PM National Soup Day	Western Tractor	Hats on for MH	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
SPIRIT WEEK 	Cozy PJ Day/PJ for Purpose \$5	Twin Day Gr. 3/4 Field Trip School Casino SWC Schuler Olympics (curling)	Backwards Day School Casino Free Pizza	Wacky Hair Day Western Tractor	Pink/Red/White Day Jr. High Bonspiel Hats on MH	
Mrs. Farion 15	16	Ms. Jones 17	18	Mrs. McLean 19	20	21
Family Week Break/Teachers Convention						
22	Kenneth 23	24	25	26	27	Annie 28
		SWC Olympics (bobsled)	Pink Shirt Day	Western Tractor	Hats on MH Student/Bus Driver Big Breakfast	

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February Printable Calendar

Prairie Rose Public Schools Calendar



Prairie Rose Public Schools 2025-2026

August 2025							September 2025							October 2025							November 2025						
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April 2026							May 2026							June 2026							
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SI/PI/Staff Days No School	
Statutory Holidays	
Truth and Reconciliation No School / SI Day	
Wellness/Holiday No School	
Teachers' Convention	
First/Last Day of Classes	
Early Dismissal @ 2pm	
Semester 2 Begins	

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2025-2026 Important Dates

- February 3.....Schuler Olympics (hockey)
- February 4..... Winter Walk Day @ 2:00 PM, National Soup Day
- February 5.....Western Tractor (Gr. 7/8)
- February 9-13.....Spirit Week (see below for details)
- February 9.....PJ's for a Purpose (MHC fundraiser for MH Hospital Pediatrics)
- February 10.....Schuler Olympics (human curling), Gr. 3/4 Field Trip
- February 10/11.....School Casino
- February 11.....Free Pizza
- February 12.....Western Tractor
- February 13.....Jr. High Bonspiel
- February 16 ~20 **Family Day, Teacher's Convention ~ NO SCHOOL**
- February 24.....Schuler Olympics (bobsled)
- February 25..... Pink Shirt Day
- February 26.....Western Tractor
- February 27.....Big Student Breakfast & Bus Drivers by staff
- March 5.....Western Tractor
- March 6..... Hidden Valley Ski Trip
- March 7..... Schuler Badminton Tourny @ EBHS
- March 13..... Report Cards, 4-9 Funspiel
- March 18..... Parent Teacher Interviews (4:00-7:00 PM)
- March 19.....Western Tractor
- March 20..... **SI Day ~ NO SCHOOL**

April 2..... Easter Activities
April 3 - April 12 ~ Easter Vacation ~ NO SCHOOL
April 24..... SI DAY ~ NO SCHOOL
 May 8..... Muffins with Mom
 May 15..... **SI Day ~ NO SCHOOL**
 May 18..... **Victoria Day ~ NO SCHOOL**
 May 29..... Track & Field
 June 3..... Track & Field (alternate day)
 June 4..... Grade 9 Farewell (tentative)
 June 12..... Last PreK & Kindergarten Day
 June 19..... Donuts with Dad (TBD)
 June 25..... Awards Day, Report Cards, Students Last Day - Early Dismissal 2:00 PM
 June 26..... Staff Last Day

Schuler Storm Student



JK/Kindergarten ~ Kaydence Bender

This month's Schuler Storm Award goes to Kaydence Bender. Kaydence has really warmed up to school and being in our Kindergarten classroom. She is spiky and full of life. She is so playful when it comes to centers and will play with anyone. She has a great imagination and can use her growth mindset when she is asked to try again. She always has something funny to share each day which brings a smile to everyone's face! Keep being you!



Grade 1/2 ~ Grayson Ehret

The recipient of the Schuler Storm Award for the month of January from the grade 1 and 2 classroom is Grayson! Grayson is receiving this award for his kindness and his growth mindset. Grayson is a kind and helpful friend to his classmates, he always quickly jumps up to help if anyone drops something or needs a hand. Grayson has developed a strong growth mindset, persevering through challenges and hard work. Although he is in grade 1, he often asks if he can try grade 2 level work! For showing kindness and growing his growth mindset, Grayson deserves a WOW cat!



Grade 3/4 ~ Kevin Cote

This month's Schuler Storm Award goes to **Kevin**, a student who truly leads with his heart! Kevin is always thoughtful and kind, and he consistently shows care and respect toward everyone around him. His work is incredibly neat, showing pride and attention to detail in everything he does. On top of that, Kevin is an absolute math whiz, he tackles numbers with confidence and determination every day!

We *love* the way you add+ kindness and subtract— worries to make our classroom a better place to be.



Grade 5/6 ~ Marcus Gibson-Stewart

Marcus has shown consistent growth this month, both academically and, even more importantly, in his behavior and overall attitude toward school. He approaches his learning with a more positive mindset and continues to make strong choices each day. We are proud of the effort and progress he is showing. Well done, Marcus!



Grade 7,8,9 ~ Kyptan Jans

The student of the month for the month of January is someone who has worked very hard to improve himself this year. He is working really hard to complete all of his assignments on time and takes homework when necessary. Not only does he work hard in class he is one of the hardest workers on the basketball court. Congratulations Kyptan. Keep up the great work.

National Soup Day!

National
**Homemade
Soup Day**

Feb 4



Soup for sale

\$2 bowl

choice of turkey or potato

Add a bun for \$1

Cash sales only, so don't forget your money Feb 4.

Spirit Week ~ Feb. 9-13



Valentine's Spirit Week

Feb 9-13



Monday- Cozy/ PJ Day

We will be teaming up with the MHC to raise funds to create a sports-themed patient room in the Pediatrics Unit. \$5 donation and you can wear PJ's to school.



Tuesday- Twin Day



Wednesday- Backwards Day



Thursday- Wacky Hair Day



Friday- Pink, White & Red Day

Grade 1&2 Fundraiser for The Mustard Seed and the SPCA



February is the month of love and kindness, so the grade 1 and 2 class has decided that they would like to put on a fundraiser to raise money to give to The Mustard Seed and the SPCA.

They will be having a candy bag sale starting February 9th and continuing throughout the week.

The candy bags will be custom made by the grade 1/2s with a delicious assortment of candies. Each candy bag will cost \$2.

Free Pizza Lunch

We would like to thank Richardson Pioneer in Dunmore for volunteering to provide a free pizza lunch for our students at the Schuler Skating Rink. Thanks to Justin for organizing this.

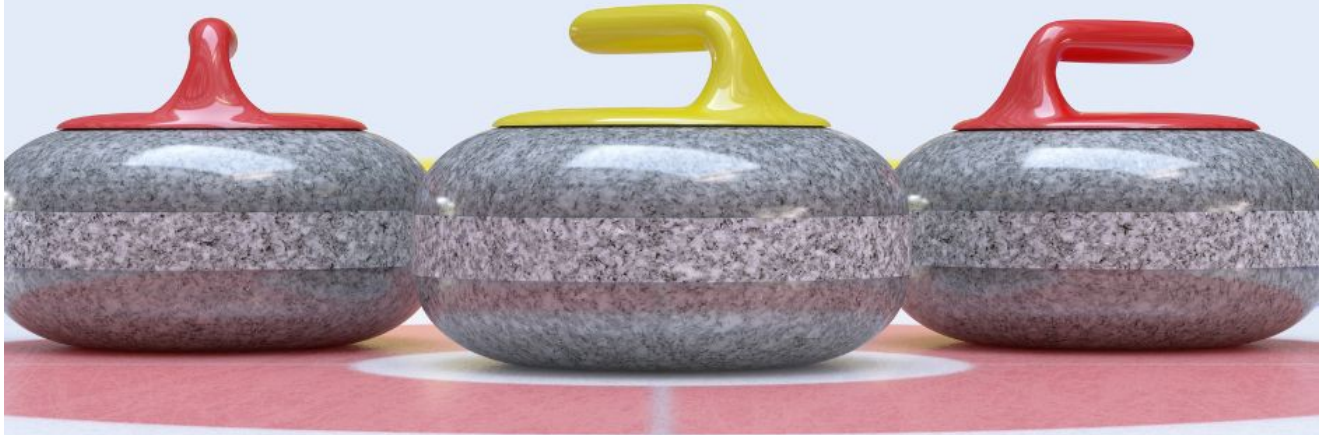


Bonspiels

SCHULER SCHOOL

BONSPIEL DATES

Friday, Feb. 13th ~ Jr. High Bonspiel
Friday, March 13 ~ Gr. 5-9 Funspiel



Keep these dates in mind and come cheer us on while enjoying good company and great food from Pebbler's Kitchen!

NEW *****PEANUT ALLERGY*****

We have a students with a peanut allergy this year. What that means for all of us is that we need to make sure there is no food sharing between kids and no items containing peanuts/peanut butter is given out. Other students are fine to bring items containing peanuts, and no extra sanitizing is required. Items that say 'may contain peanuts' are fine.



STUDENT ABSENCES

Please be sure to notify Janice of any absences, including any holidays when your children will be gone. You can call the school, text Janice or enter it online as described below.



In an effort to streamline the process for reporting student absences, we have an online form where parents can excuse their child's absence. A confirmation of the absence will be emailed to parents once the form is submitted. There are two ways for parents to access the online reporting feature:

1. The school website under the Useful Links found at the top right corner waffle menu (the waffle menu is the nine dots - look for Report an Absence)

2. By adding the link to the home screen of a cell phone. Using the Safari browser on an Apple phone, or the Google browser on an Android, copy the following link (https://prrdweb.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0JMwNlsmWPfUIUO). At the bottom of the phone screen there will be a box with an arrow pointing upward. Click on that option and scroll down until you see "Add to Home Screen". Click Add. A new icon will be added to your phone screen. To report an absence, click this button and complete the form.

Sports Update

Boys Basketball

The boys basketball team had 3 games in the month of January. We played Notre Dame, Roy Wilson and Alexandra, the boys keep improving every game. Even though we have a limited bench the boys continue to work hard every game. We have one more game in the regular season against St. Mary's followed by playoffs. I would like to congratulate the boys on a great season, even though we haven't seen the results in the win column they continue to show up, and learn something every game. The boys should also be commended for showing terrific sportsmanship and mentorship towards our younger athletes. They embody what it means to be a team.



Girls Basketball

The Schuler girls basketball team continues to show great growth and determination. While wins haven't come our way this month, the team has improved each week through hard work, teamwork, and a positive attitude. Their effort, resilience, and commitment to getting better are something to be proud of, and we're excited to see their continued progress as the season goes on.



School Cash Online

School Fees were due Oct.1st. If you have not paid yet, please try to pay in a timely manner.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the fees, please call Lyle or Janice at the school.



Student Drop Off & Pick Up

We will be following the same protocol as the end of last year if you are picking up or dropping off your child during the school day. Our doors are locked so **PLEASE RING THE DOORBELL WHEN YOU ARRIVE.**



Hot Lunches

We will continue to offer our hot lunches online only now as we did last year. **In order to access the hot lunch YOU MUST SIGN UP FOR SCHOOLCASH ONLINE.** I cannot set this up on my end for you, YOU must do it. Please select the link below to do this and select 'REGISTER'. After this is done you will receive emails each time something is available to be purchased. If

