

EYE of the Storm

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MARCH CALENDAR



March



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
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2	3	Shay SWC Guest Speaker	4 Swim Gr. 1-4	5	6	7 Hidden Valley Ski Trip Gr. 4-9 Speech Hats on for MH	8
9 Daylight Savings Time	Kamille, Agatha	10	11 SWC Gr. 5-9 Funspiel Gr. 9 Farewell Mtg.	12	13	14 Report Cards Hats on for MH	15
16	17 Gr. 9 Yellow EBHS sheet due	18 SWC School Council Mtg. @ 9:00 AM	19 PT Interviews 3:30 - 6:30 PM	20 Marie Lambert	21 Grace SI DAY NO SCHOOL Schuler Badminton	22 tourney at EBHS	
23 Madeline	24	25 Mrs. Newby SWC Kindergarten field trip	26	27	28 Kindergarten Screening Hats on for MH	29	
30	31						

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Lyle's Lowdown

As we welcome March, I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to our students, staff, and community members for their unwavering dedication to supporting Schuler School. Our school thrives because of your continuous support!

This winter, our students actively participated in various programs that not only enhanced their skills but also fostered teamwork and community spirit. Our basketball teams showcased remarkable talent and sportsmanship throughout the season, culminating in a series of thrilling games. Our students excelled during our skating program, improving their abilities and building confidence with each session. Our Skate-a-thon was a tremendous success. Thank you once again for your support of this event. Additionally, the community curling program, a cherished tradition at Schuler School, continues to thrive, thanks to the dedication of our participants and the support of everyone to make this a huge success. We attended a bonspiel in Bow Island where we finished 1st, 2nd and 3rd! We also have our upcoming Gr. 5-9 Bonspiel coming up on Tuesday, March 11th. Please come out and support us.

These programs are integral to our commitment to providing diverse opportunities for student growth beyond the classroom.

March is a pivotal month for academic assessments. Teachers are diligently preparing report cards, which will be distributed later this month. These reports offer valuable insights into your child's progress and areas for continued growth. Following the release of report cards on March 14th, we have scheduled parent-teacher interviews on March 19th. These meetings are crucial for fostering a collaborative approach to your child's education. Engaging in open dialogue with teachers ensures that we collectively support each student's unique learning journey.

As we transition into spring, we eagerly anticipate upcoming events and programs that will further enrich our students' experiences. Your involvement and feedback are always welcome, as they play a vital role in shaping our community at Schuler School.

Thank you for your continued partnership and commitment to our school's success.

Warm regards,
Mr. Kennedy

Schuler School Calendar

- March 5Swim K-4
- March 7..... Hidden Valley Ski Trip
- March 11.....Gr. 5-9 Bonspiel, Gr. 9 Farewell Mtg.
- March 14..... Report Cards
- March 18.....School Council Meeting @ 9:00 AM
- March 19..... Parent Teacher Interviews (4:00-7:00 PM)
- March 21..... **SI Day ~ NO SCHOOL**
- March 25.....Kindergarten Field Trip
- March 28.....Kindergarten Screening
- April 17..... Easter Activities
- April 18 - April 27 ~ Easter Vacation ~ NO SCHOOL**
- May 9..... Muffins with Mom
- May Track & Field (TBD)
- May Track & Field (alternate day TBD)
- May 16..... **SI Day ~ NO SCHOOL**
- May 19..... **Victoria Day ~ NO SCHOOL**
- May 30.....Track & Field
- June 5..... Grade 9 Farewell (tentative)
- June 6..... SI Day ~ NO SCHOOL**
- June 10..... Last PreK & Kindergarten Day
- June 11..... Donuts with Dad (TBD)
- June 13.....Exhibition of Learning, Last Day of PreK/Kindergarten
- June 26..... Report Cards, Students Last Day - Early Dismissal @ 2:00 PM
- June 27..... Staff Last Day



Prairie Rose Public Schools Calendar



Prairie Rose Public Schools 2024-2025

August 2024							September 2024							October 2024							November 2024						
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December 2024							January 2025							February 2025							March 2025						
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April 2025							May 2025							June 2025						
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SI/PI 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	

Updated: May 29, 2024

FSLW ~ SWC

Please note the change in name:
 FSLW - Family School Liason Worker
 they will now be called:
 SWC - Student Wellness Councillor

Student Absences

New This Year!

Prairie Rose sent out the following information to you the parents over the summer. We encourage you to try this new link as **our primary absence reporting**.



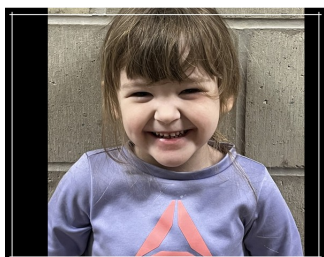
In an effort to streamline the process for reporting student absences, we have created a new online form where parents can excuse their child's absence. A confirmation of the absence will be emailed to parents once the form is submitted.

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)

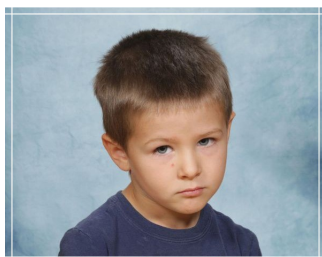
2. By adding the link to the home screen of a cell phone. Using the Safari browser on an Apple phone, or the Google browser on an Android, copy the following link (https://prrdweb.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0JMwNlsmWPfUIUO). At the bottom of the phone screen there will be a box with an arrow pointing 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.

Student of the Month



PreK/Kindergarten ~ Madeline Cote

This month's star student is Madeline. We love seeing Madeline at school as she always brings the energy up. She works hard on being able to dress and undress winter gear on her own or by politely asking for help. Some skills Madeline loves are all things sensory such as playdough, water table, sensory table, colouring, tracing and science experiments! She is not afraid to get her hands dirty and when you see her hands shaking in the air you know she is having a good time! Look forward to seeing how far Madeline comes in the next few months.



Grade 1/2 ~ Walker Green

The recipient of the Schuler Storm Award for the month of February is Walker! February is Kindness Month, so it is very fitting that Walker receives the award during this month. Walker is thoughtful and kind to his peers and to adults. He helps his friends clean up messes, tidy up piles of papers for his teacher, uses excellent manners, and gives his classmates compliments. He already has two "Caught Being a Good Human" slips in the basket this month! Walker is most deserving of this award and a WOW cat!



Grade 3/4 ~ Macey Bader

The February Schuler Storm Award for grade three and four is presented to a student who could have received this award every month. Each morning this young lady greets me with a radiant smile. She comes to class ready to work each day and is always kind and polite. She listens carefully to directions and does her work cheerfully. She always tries her best, but is willing to ask for help when she needs it. She participates in all classroom and school activities! The February winner of the Schuler Storm Award is Macey Bader!



Grade 5/6 ~ Emma Bader
This student may be small in stature, but she's big on



Grade 7,8,9 ~ Georgia Rieger

wisdom! Always the voice of reason, she keeps her classmates on track while still bringing kindness and a smile to every situation. Whether she's lending a helping hand or tackling her studies with determination, she proves that great things truly come in small packages! Congrats Emma Bader!

This month's Schuler Storm award winner is someone who could honestly win this award every month. This young lady is a strong leader in my classroom, always contributing her very best academic work. She does this while maintaining many responsibilities at home and playing multiple sports, including volleyball, and basketball. Not only is she a valued member of our school community, but in the Schuler community as she participates in 4-H and afterschool curling as well. Congratulations Georgia on a great year so far. Keep up the fantastic work.

Parent ~ Teacher Interviews

Our Parent/Teacher interviews will be on Wednesday, March 19th from 3:30-6:30 PM. Please select the link below to book your times.

[School Interviews Link](#)

Sports Update

Girls Basketball

This month brought the end of our basketball season. Finishing with a close win against CHHS in the first round of playoffs to qualify for the championship game against AMS. This brought an exciting B league consolation finals win! I am so proud of our girl's team for competing at this level and want to thank our grade 9's (Hanna and Georgia) for being kind and patient leaders to our younger athletes and wish them the best in their future sports.

Coach Hein

Boys Basketball

Our boys basketball team has officially wrapped up our season with a playoff game against St. Mary's. Unfortunately, we were unable to clinch a win and move forward in the playoffs. I would like to thank our parents for being very supportive and getting our boys to games and practices. The



refs and Medicine Hat Junior High Athletic Association for organizing the league. Most importantly I would like to thank all of the athletes who took part in basketball this season. We may not have had as many victories as we would have liked, but we showed up to play every single game. The boys worked very hard and showed great improvements from the beginning of the season. Many of the athletes are from the elementary grades, this is very promising as it sets us up to strengthen our program moving forward. Great job Schuler boys basketball. It was truly a pleasure to coach each and every one of you this season.

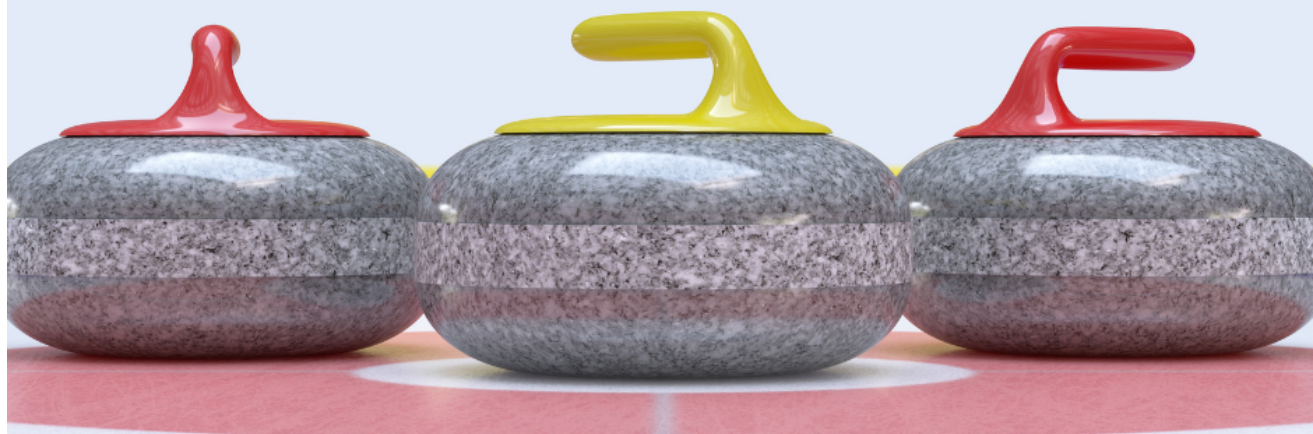
Coach Molzan

Grade 9 Farewell Meeting

All grade 9 parents there will be a Grade 9 Farewell meeting Tuesday, March 11 after Gr. 5-9 Funspiel.

SCHULER SCHOOL **BONSPIEL DATES**

Tuesday, March 11th ~ Grade 5-9 Funspiel



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

Bouquets

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

dropping off your child during the school day. Our doors are locked so please **RING THE DOORBELL WHEN YOU ARRIVE.**

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 you have questions or need help feel free to give me a call.

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School Council



School Council ~ Next Meeting is Tuesday, March 18th @ 9:00 AM

This meeting will be held at the school.

All parents are encouraged to attend this meeting. It's your school, come be a part of it!

- Get school updates
- Share ideas to build our school community
- Have your voice heard
- Participate in decisions that impact student learning

School Council Hot Lunch List

Welcome to a New School Year!

With the return of school, will also be return of regular hot lunches by the Schuler School Council. Each Month a few parents will be responsible for organizing a Hot Lunch for the school. Your group can decide if it will be a brought in Hot Lunch from a restaurant or if your team would like to prepare the lunch for the students. You will also be responsible for coordinating a date with Janice so it works with anything that may be going on in the school, and providing her with the details in ample time so she can set it up on the School Cash Online payment, as well she will distribute the information to the students. ECS and JK also enjoy participating in our Hot lunches so we do try and schedule them for days those students are at school. We usually aim for at least a week's notice. Each month will have a 'seasoned' parent to help lead the group. It is your responsibility to find a replacement person if you are unable to fulfill your month. There is a binder available at the office for you to review previous hot lunches not catered and an idea of costs. If you have any questions, please reach out to a member of the Schuler School Council. Please check your email for a reminder at the beginning of the assigned month with your lead contact.

Thank you!

Month	Lead	Assigned Families
October	Ely Herrmann	Elise Bender, Kristine Chalifoux, Allison Foley
November	Jamie Straub	Justine Enslin, Amber MacLean, Jenn Reiger
December	Laura Jans	Jackie Hanson, Danielle McNeill, Kandy Bender
January	Stephanie Green	Lana Cavan, Michaela Holt, Connie Fischer
February	Remy Campbell	Allison Jones, Michelle Schafer, Dawn Straub, Andrea Stewart
March	Anna Lowen	Margaretha Klassen, Helena Peters, Maria Rempel, Susana Wiebe, Maria Rempel, Margaritha Rempel, Susana Neufeld
April	Chelsi Bader	Kara Elik, Amanda Herrmann, Kelly Neigum
May	Jenn Zahn	Estel Cote, Sarah Kirschenman, Jenn Beck
June	Amie Thompson	Amy Ehret, Chelsea Hart, Dana Brock

EBHS

Community News

Home Alone/Babysitting Course

Hilda

Due to overwhelming response, the Home Alone and Babysitting Course at Hilda Hall on April 21st is full. It will be offered an additional day; April 22nd if there is enough interest. Home Alone is for 7-9yr olds and will be 8:30am-12:00; Red Cross Certification Babysitting is for 9-11 year olds 8:30am-4:30pm. Both courses cover basic First Aid, bleeding, choking, CPR and bandaging. (Those taking the Babysitting course, please bring a bag lunch and a stuffy or a doll). Cost is \$60/child. Call/text Cindy @ 403-866-4989 or 403-838-2510 to register.

A Fraud Prevention presentation will be held at the Hilda Hall on Wednesday March 19th @ 12:30pm. There will be a for purchase pizza lunch available at noon with the free presentation to follow.

Prairie Rose

COMING SOON



UPCOMING INFORMATION NIGHTS

EBHS Open House is March 12th at 6:30pm
Everyone is Welcome!



**3/
FEB**

FLIGHT ACADEMY

7-8pm at South Alberta Collegiate,
1531 30 St SW, Medicine Hat
Grade 9 students can pre-register for this program
at <https://www.myprps.com/dr-flight-academy>



**4/
FEB**

SCHOOL OF TRADES

5:30 - 7:30pm at Medicine Hat College
Meeting held in the T-Wing of the building,
head to area and look for signage



**11/
FEB**

HORSEMANSHIP

6:30pm at Eagle Butte High School
Paper application will be available for admission,
please return applications to EBHS



**12/
MAR**

HOCKEY ACADEMY

Please attend the Eagle Butte Open House at
6:30pm, details will be shared with prospective
students at this event



**19/
MAR**

FIRE RESCUE

6:00pm at the Dunmore Fire Hall
Program is for Gr 11 & Gr 12 students,
but interested Gr 9 & 10s encouraged to attend



Janice Herman

Janice is using Smore to create beautiful newsletters