

EYE of the Storm


JUNE 2023




Schuler School


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Calendar

<https://schuler.myprps.com/calendar>

If you wish to print a copy of the above calendar for your fridge, go to our website at

- <https://schuler.myprps.com>
- take a 'snip' snapshot
- print from your snip menu

Lindsay's Lowdown!

As much as I have tried to ignore the days passing, it is happening regardless of my repeated wishes to slow time down - just a little.

With each day that passes, I must acknowledge that my time at Schuler School will soon be ending. This recognition is difficult. I feel sad, I feel nostalgic, I feel scared, and I'm hugging your children just a little tighter these days.

You see - I accepted a new position in the division. It will be an exciting opportunity for me; however it was completely not the way I envisioned finishing my career. My dream was to finish at Schuler School. Life happens when you are least expecting it.

I could never have imagined how much this school and community have given me in 2 years. The love, acceptance, the tight-knit community feeling, the blending of school and community, the relationships



and willingness to always do what is best for our kids has rekindled my faith in education and in people! This community and this school are special.

I have made (hopefully lasting friendships) with the people I work with everyday. These people are all in for your children - a group of educators who are second to none I have ever worked with. Leaving the students is going to be incredibly difficult.

The students. This one is tough. It is difficult to acknowledge that I will have to say goodbye. Missing their morning hellos and hugs and the endless stories about calves, tractors, horses, rodeos, cats, baseball, curling and soooo much more are going to leave a hole in my day... and in my heart. I truly love your children - each and every one of them.

Please stay in touch.

"For time and the world do not stand still. Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or the present are certain to miss the future." - John F. Kennedy, 1963

Schuler School Calendar

June 7.....School Council Meeting
June 16 Exhibition of Learning
June 28 Report Cards, Students Last Day - Early Dismissal @ 2:00 PM
June 29 Staff Last Day



Achievement Test Schedule ~ Grades 6 & 9

June 20.....Gr. 6 LA Part B
.....Gr. 9 LA Part B
June 22.....Gr. 6 Math Part A
.....Gr. 9 Math Part A
June 23.....Gr. 6 Math Part B
.....Gr. 9 Math Part B
June 26.....Gr. 9 Social
June 27.....Gr. 9 Science

Prairie Rose Public Schools Calendar

2022-2023



Prairie Rose Public Schools

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SI/PD Days	
Statutory Holidays	
Truth and Reconciliation No School	
Holiday/Wellness Days	
Teachers Convention	
First / Last Day of School	
Early Dismissal @ 2pm	

Check out our back to school guide at www.myprps.com

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Teachers' Convention	
First/Last Day of Classes	
Early Dismissal @ 2pm	
Semester 2 Begins	

www.myprps.com

School Council Meeting

Wednesday, June 7th @ 9:30 AM





JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN

2023-2024

at Schuler School

SCHEDULE

Times: 8:50 AM - 12:50 PM
Dates: Tuesday & Thursday
Cost: \$135/month

Register online:
<https://www.myprps.com/register>

Questions

Call Janice @ Schuler School
403-839-3732

Children must be 4 years of age by Dec. 31, 2023 (unless they qualify for early entrance PUF funding)



SCHULER SCHOOL

FRIDAY, JUNE 16TH

EXHIBITION OF LEARNING

EVERYONE WELCOME

GRAND OPENING OF THE SCHULER OUTDOOR SENSORY SPACE

Come find out what our students have been learning this year!

Welcome 12:30 PM in the gym.

Student Exhibitions 12:45 - 2:45 PM

Staff Farewells

Coffee and Cake

2:45 - 3:15 PM

Schuler Gr. 9 Farewell Assembly



Best of luck to our 2 Grade 9 girls who are moving on the EBHS next year. We will miss you.

Angelina Coté
Mindy Straub

2022-2023 EBHS Graduates from Schuler School



We want to congratulate the following Schuler students at EBHS on their Grade 12 graduation. We still hold many fond memories of your days here at Schuler and wish you all the best as you begin your new adventure!

Driediger, Caleb
Herman, Zach
Jesske, Evan
Pleau-Stewart, Craig
Schick, Sam

Click Here to Pay School Fees

SCHOOLCASH ONLINE LINK




SchoolCash Online

Setup your account in less than 5 minutes!

1

Prairie Rose Public Schools Website

- www.myprps.com
- Click on  in the top right corner
- Select **SchoolCash Online**

2

Register

- Select **Register** and setup user profile details
- Select **Yes** to receive notifications so you can be alerted when a fee is added

3

Confirm your Email

- Check your inbox for the email confirmation and click the link inside
- You will be prompted to sign into your account. Use your email address and password you provided.

4

Add a Student

- Enter the School Board Name (Prairie Rose School Division)
- Enter the School Name (Schuler School)
- Enter your child's **First Name**, **Last Name**, and **Date of Birth**
- Confirm that you are related to the student

5

Pay for Student Items

- Click on the items under the student name and add to your cart
- Check out using Credit Card or e-cheque (bank account debit)
- Receipt available instantly

CONVENIENT. SIMPLE. SECURE.

Contact Janice@ (403) 839-3732 ext. 2004 if you need assistance

Schuler Storm Award



Grade 1/2 ~ Logan Coté

This months recipient of the Schuler Storm Award from the grade 1 and 2 classroom is Logan! Logan is receiving this award for his kindness and hard work. He can be seen around the school offering hugs and giving compliments daily. He has also been working very hard on his reading, and has improved SO much! Great work Logan!!



Grade 3/4 ~ Tyren deGroot

Our grade 3 and 4 Schuler Storm winner for May is a hard-working student who is focused on his work. Our student's goal was to be neater and more careful in his written work and to become a better skater and he has achieved these goals. When Tyren arrived at Schuler School his written work was difficult to read and he didn't always use the lines. Tyren's written work has improved a great deal. If Tyren misses a day of school, he pushes hard to catch up. Tyren receives the Schuler Storm Award!



Grade 5/6 ~ Nancy Klassen

This student has been hard at work all year turning in her best work. She is a good friend and classmate who tries hard to show everyone around her the golden rule. Congratulations Nancy!



Grade 7-9 ~ Mindy Straub

This month the recipient of the Schuler Storm Award from the grade 7-9 room is Mindy! Mindy is a leader in the school in her ability to build up students of all grade levels and make them feel like they belong in our school. Mindy has shown a strong work ethic this year, while also being respectful to her peers. Her unifying presence will be missed by all as she moves on to Eagle Butte High School!

Volleyball Summer Camp

@EAGLE BUTTE HIGH SCHOOL

AUGUST 21-25

GRADES 5 - 7

6:00 PM TO 7:30 PM

GRADES 8 - 10

7:30 PM TO 9:00 PM

\$100

SECURE YOUR SPOT!

→ [Register here for Grade 5-7](#)

→ [Register here for Grade 8-10](#)



contact: gregelgie@prrd8.ca

THANK YOU

-Thank you to Amie, Jenn R and Michelle for the terrific Boston Pizza hot lunch in May.

-Thanks to the Schuler Community Association for generously helping sponsor the Swirl's truck to come out to the school and community.

-A huge thanks to our School Council for all you do all year long for the students and staff. We really appreciate everything!

-The Playground Committee deserves many kudos for all their planning and hard work to bring our wonderful Outdoor Sensory Space to fruition in time for the Schuler Centennial. It really does look amazing and we are all enjoying the new space!



Summer Library Contest

Rise to the challenge and do the summer reading challenge below. Bring it back in the fall and we will award you with a prize.

Summer Reading Challenge

Challenge yourself, your friends, your parents to read over the summer. How many of these can you check off?!

Keep this form and get your parent to initial each one that you accomplish. Bring it back in September for a chance at an AWESOME PRIZE!!

- 1) Read my best friend's favorite book
- 2) Read a graphic novel or comic book
- 3) Read a book outside
- 3) Ask my librarian for a book recommendation
- 4) Do a book swap with a friend or neighbor
- 5) Ask my parent about their favorite book
- 6) Read a book set in another country
- 7) Read a mystery
- 8) Read a book with a girl main character
- 9) Read a book with a boy main character
- 10) Tell my parent about my favorite book and get them to read it.



mental health literacy



Curious about how to support your child's mental health? Not sure when to be concerned about your teen's behaviour?

Join Trisha Drescher, Program Manager - Mental Health Capacity Building, Alberta Health Services and Michelle Sauve, Health Promotion Facilitator, Alberta Health Services, on **Tuesday, June 6 at noon** for a **virtual presentation** called "Mental Health Literacy for Parents and Caregivers".

"**Mental Health Literacy for Parents and Caregivers**" focuses on understanding what Mental Health Literacy is, when to be concerned about your child's mental health, and how you can support them. We will discuss stress and its impact on youth mental health as well how you can boost youth mental health and promote resiliency. To conclude the session, various resources will be shared.

Join this virtual presentation via Zoom by clicking on the link below:

<https://albertahealthservices.zoom.us/j/63641102797?pwd=cDJWLTlrNnUweHxQWFhSDhWkZ2pvZz09>

PLEASE NOTE: This presentation is best viewed on a tablet, computer, or laptop.

If you have any questions about this presentation, please contact Michelle Sauve at michelle.sauve@ahs.ca



Our service area:
Services may be provided in the home, in clinics, at community health sites or childcare facilities throughout urban and rural Southern Alberta.



Is there a cost for services?

There is no cost. All assessments and treatments are covered by your Alberta Health Card.



Another Option:

Various webinar topics for parents or any caregiver in the community at AHSweb.ca/MHA/Pwebinars



Please contact our department to make an appointment.

Children's Allied Health

Phone: 403-529-8966
Fax: 403-529-8859

Behavioral Services

Phone: 403-502-8257
Fax: 403-528-8135

Audiology & SLP

Phone: 403-528-8175
Fax: 403-528-8190

Health Link Alberta
Call 811



Children's Allied Health

Supporting children, youth, and families in Southern Alberta communities.



Services Provided:

Intake Services:

Supports the family with intake services in the modality preferred by the client (phone, zoom, clinic).



Audiology (Hearing):

An Audiologist assesses hearing ability, identifies hearing loss, provides recommendations, and works with the client & family to improve communication.



Occupational Therapy:

An Occupational therapist (OT) evaluates and treats a child's ability to function in activities of daily living, such as self-care skills (dressing, feeding, sleeping and toileting), productivity and leisure.



Physiotherapy:

A Physiotherapist (PT) works with children to improve flexibility, strength, coordination, balance, endurance, gross motor skills (i.e. rolling, sitting, walking, jumping, running, etc.) and mobility through play and exercise. PT can also address head shape & neck tightness (torticollis) concerns in babies.



Behavioral Services:

A family based early intervention program, designed to provide behavioral strategies to children, and support parents to manage behaviors occurring in the home.



Speech Language Pathology:

A Speech Language Pathologist (SLP) assesses and treats communication difficulties such as speech sounds & language, hearing loss supports, voice and fluency as well as feeding and swallowing concerns.



Social Work:

Provides information and support to access resources, plans transitions, supports a diagnosis query & addresses financial or other barriers to service.



Additional Services:

Children and youth may also receive:

- Mobility & positioning equipment
- Seating Services
- Augmentative & Alternative Communication (AAC)
- Specialized supports for children with hearing loss
- Splinting, Orthosis, Serial Casting
- Dietitian supports
- Referral to the Developmental & Behavioral Diagnostic Clinic



Family Centered

Parents and professionals work closely together to understand the strengths and needs of each child and family. The family helps to determine goals, activities, and is encouraged to participate in the child's treatment program.



Eligibility - Infants & children are eligible for all services before school entry.

New eligibility for children enrolled in school:

Episodes of care for a new functional need are provided by AHS therapists for eligible services (includes speech sound services birth to 18 years)





BE A HOST FAMILY!!

@prairierosesd8



SCAN ME



FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL
HEATHERSCHNEIDER@PRRD8.CA OR
403-502-3135



We are creating an International School Program to attract students from other countries to join our Prairie Rose family. We need your help to find Homestay Families to house our new students.

We are looking for families that live in an area of one of the following schools:

- Coulee Collegiate - *Medicine Hat*
- Eagle Butte High School - *Dunmore*
- Foremost School - *Foremost*
- Irvine School - *Irvine*
- Schuler School - *Schuler*
- Senator Gershaw School - *Bow Island*
- Seven Persons School - *Seven Persons*
- South Central High School - *Oyen*

Prairie Rose School Division is looking for homestay families to host international students for a short or long-term stay. Students may stay for one month, two months, one semester or up to one school year.

Remuneration, depending on the length of stay, is offered to offset the student's living costs.

Homestay Families willing to open their hearts and homes to these international students are asked to provide the following amenities:

- ❖ Private bedroom
- ❖ Quiet, well-lit & heated study space
- ❖ Hot water & facilities for bathing
- ❖ Emotional & academic support
- ❖ Participation in family activities
- ❖ Three wholesome meals a day & snacks as required
- ❖ Access to the common living areas of the house
- ❖ Laundry facilities
- ❖ Interaction with family members
- ❖ Internet connection

Please be aware that all host family residents over the age of 18 will need to provide a Criminal Record Check (*including a Vulnerable Sector Check*).

If you would like more information about the Homestay Program or to refer a family, please contact us immediately.

For more information, please contact: Adelee Penner, Director of International Education
(403) 949-3469 or email: adeleepenner@prrd8.ca

Heather Schneider, Homestay Coordinator
(403) 502-3135 or email: heatherschneider@prrd8.ca

PRPS JUNE 2022

Community News

Schuler Centennial 2023

NEXT MEETING

Date: Tuesday, June 13

Time: 7:00 PM

Where: Schuler Curling Club

EVERYONE IS ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND



Please check out the Schuler Centennial 2023 Facebook page to keep up to date about planning for our 100 Birthday!!

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=schuler%20centennial%202023>



Registration include meals for both days
Adult \$20; Children 12 & under \$10; 2 & under: Free

E-TRANSFER: schulercentennial2023@shaw.ca

Mail cheques: 17 3rd Street West Schuler, AB T0J 3B0
Cheques payable to: Schuler Centennial 2023

Camping available upon registration

FRIDAY, JUNE 30

- Early Registration for campers

SATURDAY, July 1st

- Welcome Registration
- Parade
- Food Breakfast, BBQ & Banquet
- Kids Activities
- Beer Gardens
- Dance with 4 Live Bands
- School & Town Tour
- Antique Tractor Display

SUNDAY, July 2nd

- Church Service
- Pancake Breakfast
- Wrap up by Noon

Any questions or concerns: email: schulercentennial2023@shaw.ca
Brad Herman 403.952.7040



Hilda Centennial Anniversary Celebration



July 22, 23, 2023

Come home and celebrate!

Registration is \$20 per person, 12 and under free

E-transfer registration payment and details to hildacentennial@gmail.com

Registration deadline: June 15th, 2023 - have a chance to win one of our door prizes!

Registration link can be found on our Facebook page or email us for a printable version

For more information:

Follow our Facebook page – Hilda Centennial 2023

Contact: Hildacentennial@gmail.com

Friday July 21st

Early Registration pkg pickup: 7 pm to 9 pm

At the Community Hall

Light Refreshments available

Saturday – July 22

Registration pkg at Hall: 9 am to 10:30 am Music Jam Session: 3 pm to 5 pm

Parade: 11 am (bring lawn chairs)

Class Photos: 2 pm at the Hall

Kids' Activities: 1 pm to 4 pm

Catered Supper: Starts at 5 pm

Food Trucks on site: 11:30 am to 4 pm

Street Dance/Beer Gardens: 7 pm to 12

Sunday—July 23

Church Service: 10 a.m.

Pancake Brunch: 11 a.m.

So long and safe travels!

ATM on
Site

Limited Camping Spots
By Ball Diamonds
First come, first serve basis



Kids In the Middle provides children a safe place to work through their questions, concerns, and anxieties with other children their own age.

What is United Way Kids In the Middle?

A fun, 7-week program offered in group format, which helps children process their feelings, and give them tools to communicate more effectively.

Who can attend?

Children between 8-12 years of age, whose parents are experiencing separation and/or divorce.

Is there a cost?

\$60.00 per participant.
Subsidies are made possible through a generous grant from Southeastern Alberta United Way

Program Start Date: April 25 -June 6 /2023

Time: 5:30pm – 7:00pm

Place: Medicine Hat Family Service

Call 403-504-8026 to register

Presented by

