



École Vickers Public School



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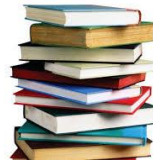
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7 <i>Classes Resume</i>	8	9	10	11 GYM BLAST!
14  Cupcake Sale \$2.00 each	15	16	17	18
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28 Family Literacy	29 Family Literacy	30 Family Literacy	31 Family Literacy	



Lunch with the Principal

Something new for 2019, Mrs. Green is planning on having lunch dates with every classroom in the school over the next few months! This is a chance to eat our lunches, visit, and hear what is going on around the school. Stay tuned to find out when she will be visiting your classroom for lunch.

Check out our Library!



Come and check out our updated library! We recently purchased some new seating for our school library. We are also getting a coloring table and Lego wall installed! Mrs. Fischer worked hard to reconfigure the library space and has made it even more warm and inviting for our students. Thank you, Mrs. Fischer!



READING CONTEST

This week, your child received a "Reading Bingo." Complete the "Reading Bingo" activities and drop it off in the draw box in the library. Students can win an ice-cream party for their class, served by the Principal! Your student's "Reading Bingo" sheet didn't make it home? Pick up an extra sheet from the main office, or the library. One draw will be made for grades K-3 and one for grades 4-8.

Entry deadline is January 25th.



The library will have guest readers during the week of January 28 – January 31 to celebrate Family Literacy Day! Some of the guests include members of the Prince Albert Police service, Prince Albert Raiders and players from the Prince Albert Mintos. Ask your students about their time in the library this week and what stories our guests shared!



CAUGHT BEING GOOD!

Thank you to the Clunie family for donating 4 sets of Raider season tickets. Students at École Vickers School, who we “catch” being good, are entered in a draw for tickets to each Raider home game!



In late January École Vickers School will be offering a Relaxation and Wellness Club. This club will be open to Grades 3 to 8 and will be held on Thursdays at noon. The intention of this club is to introduce a variety of techniques that promote overall well being and reduce stress. The club will look into topics of gratitude, journaling, calming breathing techniques and positive self-talk. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Melanie Mirasty @ mmirasty@srsd.119.ca. Have a great day!



Cupcake Sale

Monday, January 14th

\$2 each

*All proceeds for Telemiracle 2019



A big Thank you to the Alliance Church for the generous donation of knit toques and mitts!

SLC News

The SLC would like to thank everyone who wore a hat for our Hat/Jersey Day. We were able to raise enough to donate to get two food hampers for Riverside! The SLC is collecting pop can tabs which are donated to the Children's Hospital. We have also set up a collection bin by the library to collect old markers for recycling. If you have pop can tabs or markers at home that you wish to donate, we would happily take them! We will be holding hat days on January 25 and February 8 for Telemiracle. Thanks for all of your participation and support!

CURLING



► Grade 5 -8 Students

- Mondays 4:30 – 5:30 pm
- Prince Albert Golf & Curling Club
- Monday, January 7 & 14 - 2 weeks instruction
- February 4, 11, 25 & March 4 – followed by 4 weeks of league play
- \$20 per person
- **Bring a friend, challenge other schools**
- To register:
 - call Pat 306-764-2421
 - Angus 306-940-6101
 - Curling Office 306-765-5201

SCHOOL ACTIVITY FEE

If you have not paid your child's School Activity Fees please do so at the office.

This fee is collected to assist in covering the costs of optional activities or events that would enhance the regular school programming and would enrich the education of participating students. Some examples of these are out of school educational experiences, activities, presentations and/or speakers.

The fee is \$10.00 for Kindergarten and \$20.00 for Gr 1-8 & Dev Ed.

School Messenger/Safe Arrival

École Vickers Public School is now using the SafeArrival absence reporting system. Please use the toll-free number, the website, or the SchoolMessenger mobile app to report your child's absence in advance.

The toll free number is: **1-833-309-1241. If you have any questions or trouble reporting an absence please call the office.**

INCLEMENT WEATHER



For the most part, we want our students to enjoy playing outdoors before school, during both recesses, and the noon hour. On rainy days, we allow students to come into the school upon their arrival and remain indoors during all breaks. In the winter, we use -30 degrees Celsius as our cut off to remain indoors. If the temperature and/or wind-chill in combination with the temperature exceed -30, then all students are permitted in the school in the morning and during break times. **We do expect that all students be dressed appropriately for the weather, as there are many cold days that students are expected to be outdoors.**

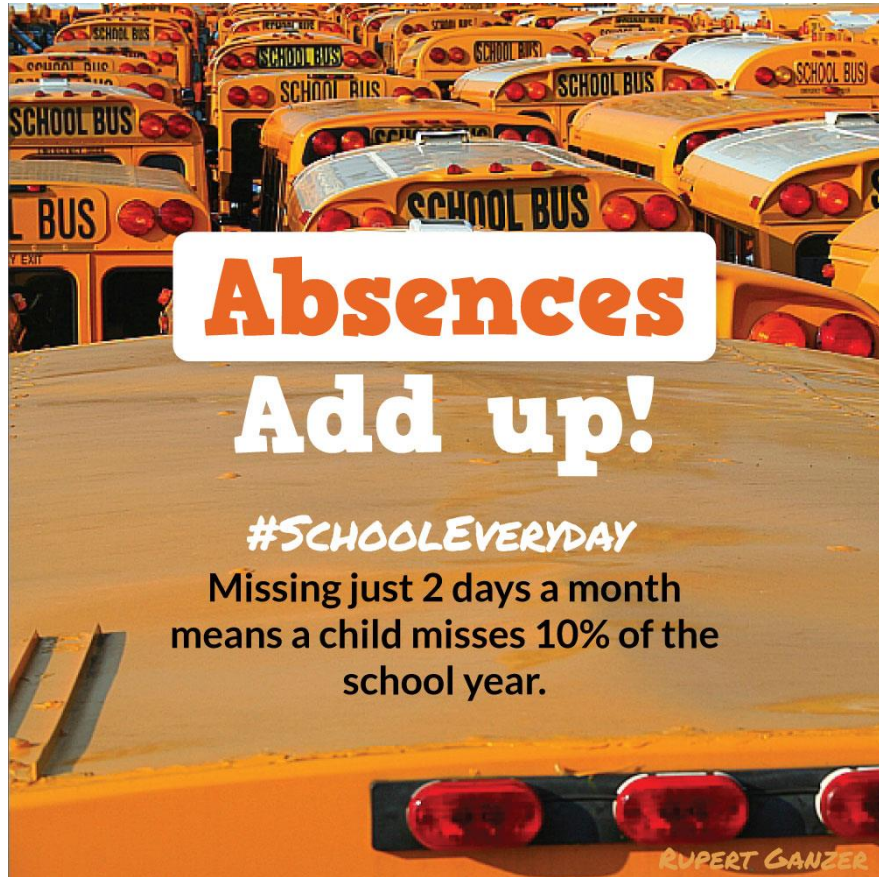


PEDESTRIAN SAFETY



Our parking lots are out of bounds for students. We urge parents to support us in this safety endeavor by dropping off their children on the west side of the school on Olive Diefenbaker Drive; on Bradbury Drive, east of the Special Needs bus zone and between Gisi Road and Olive Diefenbaker Drive. We encourage the children to cross all streets in a safe manner by crossing at the corner or at cross walks. Teacher supervision is also provided at our major crosswalks. The Community Club rink parking lot is the bus pick up zone after school for our French Immersion busses, and a convenient place for French Immersion parents to meet their children for pick up.

We must respect the residents that border the school. Please refrain from turning around in driveways, as this is disruptive to the homeowners.



Canteen Menu

Prices and availability are subject to change without notice

Pizza: Pepperoni & Cheese	
.....	\$2.50/slice
(Specialty pizza served on <u>Fridays only</u>)	
Breadsticks & cheese, granola bars & popcorn50¢
Crispers	\$1.50
Veggies & Dip	\$1.00
Cheese Buns	\$1.00
Individual packages of goldfish crackers	\$1.00
Cherry nibs25¢
Flavoured water	\$1.50
White/Chocolate milk	\$1.25
Juice	
Boxes	\$1.25
Cans: Apple & orange	\$1.50
Desserts:	
2 cookies, rice crispy square, wagon wheel, pudding (chocolate & vanilla), Canned fruit (peaches & oranges), applesauce, frozen yogurt tubes	
	\$1.00

***Please note we will no longer be selling wraps, sandwiches, and salads due to the increased cost of bringing them in.**

SEASONAL ITEMS MAY BE AVAILABLE FOR .50¢-\$1.00 (i.e. Easter eggs)



****SENDING A NOTE WITH YOUNGER KIDS IS ALWAYS HELPFUL!**