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École Vickers Public School

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| Monday lundi | Tuesday mardi | Wednesday mercredi | Thursday jeudi | Friday vendredi |
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| | | | | HAPPY NEW YEAR! |
| 3 Welcome Back! Classes Resume | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 School Spirit – HAT Day |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 School Spirit- Pattern Day |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 School Spirit- Book Character Day REPORT CARDS |
| PLC No Classes | | | | |

Upcoming Important Dates:

February 21 – 25 February Break



We will be having three spirit days in January.

Jan. 14th - HAT DAY Jan. 21st - PATTERN DAY (wear stripes, polkadots, etc.) Jan. 28th - BOOK CHARACTER





Welcomes and Goodbyes

Welcome to Ms. Rhonda Sellar, who is returning from her maternity leave and coming to join the staff at Vickers. Ms. Sellar will be teaching Grade 4/5 in the new year.

We also welcome Mr. Jean-Elie Fortier who is joining Vickers in January to take over the Grade 6 FI homeroom.

Welcome to Ms. Whitney Bohmann, educational associate, who will be joining the team in Dev Ed in January.

Welcome to Macaylah Kennedy our new 0.5 Mentor beginning January 3. She will continue with same schedule of Tuesday/Thursday and Friday (a.m.).

Welcome to Lindsay Laughren our new School Secretary who is joining us January 3rd.

We are also saying goodbye to Mrs. Carleah Gotchia, Grade 4/5, who will be leaving to teach high school. Good luck in the future and thank you for your time here at Vickers.

School Community Council News



We had our AGM on Nov 17th and would like to welcome the newly elected executive:

Chairperson – Melissa Letkeman Vice Chair-person – Melanie Markling Secretary – Jordana Thiessen

We have planned a Family Skating Party for late January!



Warm Clothing Donations

Thank you, Vickers' families, for your overwhelming generosity and kindness.



Many thanks to the Alliance Church for the generous donation of knit toques and mitts!



COVID VACCINNATION CLINIC

Wednesday, January 26th

3:00 – 6:00 PM Ecole Vickers Public School (LARGE GYM)

Clinic is available to all students and families of Ecole Vickers Public School

RAPID TEST KITS AVAILABLE FOR ALL STUDENTS UPON REQUEST



Parents and Caregivers, if you enter the school, please wear a mask. (we can provide you with one)

Sanitize your hands and sign in with your name and contact information (on the table across from the office)

Thank you for your cooperation.

SCHOOL ACTIVITY FEE

If you have not paid your child's School Activity Fees please sign up using the link below for School Cash Online.

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.



Make online payments with SchoolCashOnline

- Field Trips
- Sports Events
- Activity Fees



Registration for School Cash Online is now available! Please visit www.srsd119.ca/school-cash-online/ for instructions.



INCLEMENT WEATHER

For the most part, we want our students to enjoy playing outdoors before school, during both recesses, and the noon hour.

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 staff parking lots are a "no drop off zone" as they are out of bounds for students.

We urge parents to support us in this safety endeavor by dropping off your 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 ask that you, please, respect the residents that border the school. Please refrain from turning around in or blocking neighboring driveways, as this is disruptive to the homeowners.

One other item of note, please remember that there have been changes made to the Traffic Bylaw which now prohibits U-turns in school zones.

In an effort to improve the safety of our children, the City of Prince Albert has added this safety measure. There is a \$100 fine for violating this restriction.

Our Vickers' school zone is between Bradbury Drive and Olive Diefenbaker Drive.

REMINDER TO PARENTS OF BUS STUDENTS: YOU ARE INVITED TO SIGN-UP

Bus Alerts can be sent to your phone advising you of sudden changes or cancellations of buses (due to winter weather warnings).





School bus info would like you to join Remind for updates about Ecole Vickers

Remind is a free app that lets you communicate with your teachers – right from your phone.

Get the free Remind app

1. Download the Remind app from





2. Sign up for an account and enter the code evsbus to join Ecole Vickers buses.



Or, sign up for text updates



Text (902) 701-9279 with the words "join evsbus" to get updates from School bus info via text message.

Don't have a mobile phone? Go to this link in your browser to receive messages via email: <u>rmd.at/evsbu</u>





For your safety and ours, masks are required for all visitors, staff and students in the Vickers' school building.



The link to purchase Vickers clothing is

https://evs.entripyshops.com/



| PIZZA | |
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| CHEESE | \$ 2.50 |
| PEPPERONI | \$ 2.50 |
| DAY OLD | \$ 1.50 |
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| LARGE SNACKS | |
| CRISPERS | \$ 1.50 |
| LARGE OREOS | \$ 1.50 |
| SUN CHIPS | \$ 1.50 |
| RITZ | \$ 1.50 |
| NIBS | \$ 1.50 |
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| SMALL SNACKS | |
| SMALL OREOS | \$ 1.00 |
| WAGON WHEELS | \$ 1.00 |
| RICE CRISPS | \$ 1.00 |
| LAYS CHIPS | \$ 1.00 |
| SESAME COOKIES | \$ 1.00 |
| HOT RODS | \$ 1.00 |
| FRUIT ROLL UPS | \$ 1.00 |
| GOLDFISH | \$ 1.00 |
| SMALL GRANOLA BARS | \$.50 |
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| DRINKS | |
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| WATER | \$ 1.50 |
| JUICE | \$ 1.50 |
| JUICE BOXES | \$ 1.00 |
| CHOCOLATE MILK | \$ 1.50 |
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^{**}SENDING A NOTE WITH YOUNGER KIDS IS ALWAYS HELPFUL!