October 2021



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5 Kindergarten	6 Boys Volleyball @ Queen Mary	7 Kindergarten Picture Day Girls Volleyball @ Vickers	8 PLC No Classes	9
10	11 Happy Thanksgiving	12 Kindergarten	13 Boys Volleyball @ Westview	14 Kindergarten Girls Volleyball @ Westview	15 Kindergarten Cross Country Exravaganza @ S.H. "Laker Gear" Day	16
17	18 Interim Reports SCC AGM @ 7:00pm (Venue Pending)	19 Kindergarten	20 Boys Volleyball @ Vickers	21 Kindergarten Girls Volleyball @ CLPS	22	23
24	25	26 Kindergarten	27 Boys Volleyball @ Westview	28 Kindergarten Girls Volleyball @ Wild Rose	29 Kindergarten Orange/Black (AM) Costumes (PM)	30
31 Happy Halloween						

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CHRISTOPHER LAKE PUBLIC SCHOOL Home of the LAKERS October 2021

Hello CLPS Parents and Caregivers

It is hard to believe that our September school start-up has come and gone! With the arrival of October, and school programming in full-swing, there are a number of events happening in October! Volleyball league games begin (Oct. 4), Cross Country Extravaganza (Oct. 5), School Pictures (Oct. 7), the CLPS Year-End Cross Country Run (Oct. 7), PLC Day (Oct. 8), Thanksgiving (Oct. 11), Interim Report Cards (Oct 18), and Halloween (Oct. 31). And those are just the big ones! There are so many experiences happening at CLPS on a day-to-day basis. We are excited to see our students be able to have an array of experiences such as these this year.

As I am sure that you have consistently seen in the news these days, the COVID-19 pandemic is still with us, and as of late the new case numbers are exceedingly high. I would like to take this moment to thank parents and caregivers for the diligence shown this fall already in keeping CLPS staff and students safe and healthy by keeping their children home when they are sick. I want to encourage all of you in this diligence and care going forward into the fall and winter months when all manner of colds and flus are prevalent. If, at any time, you are unsure about being a close contact or wondering about whether you should self-isolate, please be sure to contact Public Health by calling 811.

Thanksgiving is just over a week away, and I want to take this time to wish all of you a wonderful and joyful Thanksgiving. Although there is, at this time in society, significant turmoil and tribulation, there is much still to be thankful for as well. Know that there is good in the world. Know that you are the good in the world!

If, at any time, you have a question or concern about the happenings here at CLPS, please feel free to give me call or send me an e-mail. I am always happy to talk with our CLPS partners in education!

Sincerely,

Mr. Dejan Letkeman - Principal

Student Fees

All students from Kindergarten to Grade 8 must pay a \$30.00 student fee. This fee will be used to support student learning in the classroom. Student fees can be paid to the school or directly online (Instructions below). If paying to the school, please make cheques payable to Christopher Lake Public School.



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

Student Safety: Bus Loading and Unloading Zone

For the safety of all students, it is critical that the bus loading/unloading zone is clear of parked vehicles and traffic at the beginning and end of each day. Please refrain from driving or parking in the bus zone from 7:40 to 8:15 am and from 2:15 - 3:00. <u>The bus zone includes the wheelchair accessible parking spot.</u> When dropping off or picking up your children, please park to the south of the parking lot by the back gate during bus loading/unloading times. Please do not use visitor parking for dropping off and picking up your children. Also, please do not let your children onto the playground until 7:55 as that is when our supervision schedule starts.

During School Student Pickup

If you are picking up your child during the school day - for whatever reason - we ask that you notify the school ahead of time of your pickup time and then ring the doorbell by the front door when you come. We will then send your child out. If you do need to enter the school, we ask that you put a mask on and sanitize your hands upon entry. Thank you so much for your partnership and giving our students the best possible school and academic experience!



CLPS picture day will be on Thursday October 7th. These will be just individual photos. Class photos will not be happening at this time. Bring your best smile on the 7th. Retakes will be on November 18th.

School Community Council

The SCC will be having their AGM on Monday, October 18th at 7:00 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. Venue is pending.

Spirit Days

We will be having "Laker Gear" day on October 15th. Please dress in your Laker gear, school colours which are blue, green and grey, or anything that represents our "Laker" school spirit. You could wear your favourite fishing hat in support of our fish mascot! On October 29th it's orange and black day in the morning and then in the afternoon, if your child would like, we will put on our Halloween costumes. Get involved and show your school spirit!!

Junior Curling

Junior curling will not be held this fall as there will be no ice. The curling club will re-evaluate their decision for a possible startup in January. However, I have decided to retire from coaching Junior Curling at Christopher Lake. For the students who wish to curl please contact the Prince Albert Curling Club. Thank you to everyone for all your help with the curling program over the years. I do hope they will find someone qualified to take over the program at Christopher Lake. To all my curlers, you are excellent curlers and I wish you success in the future.

Respectfully, Leisjea Horseman



PRINCE ALBERT GOLF AND CURLING CENTRE

Teen Curl—Juniors Instruction & League

Mondays 4:30 – 5:30 pm Ages 12 – 19 years old Equipment supplied October 27 to February - Cost - \$70.00 Windup, prizes & banquet

High Noon Optimist U15 & U18 Junior Cash Spiel December 4—6

Viterra Youth Prairieland Curling Camp December 11—\$50

PAG&CC are following CurlSask guidelines— All participants must be fully vaccinated for Covid 19.

Register online

https://prince-albert-golf.curling.io/en/leagues

Or Information / Registration Nights Sept 22 & Sept 28—5:00—8:00 pm

For more information, contact Pat Bibby—764-2421 bibby@sasktel.net Glenn—306-961-7734 or pagcc_curling@hotmail.com Prince Albert Golf & Curling Club 765-5201



High Noon Optimist



Junior Curling

Session 3 Nov 3rd 8 4th Session 4 Nov 29th & 30th Session 2 Oct 26th 8 27th Session 1 Oct. 20th & 21st **NEUROSCIENCE & BRAIN INJURY PREVENTION** JOIN US ON NOOM EACH STUDENT WILL RECEIVE THEIR VERY OWN PACKAGE WITH EVERYTHING THEY BRAIN WAVES PRESENTATION LET'S HAVE FUN LEARNING ABOUT Free Interactive FOR GR 4-6 STUDENTS 9 - 10 am 9 - 10 am] - 2 pm 1 - 2 pm



Brain Talk Newsletter

September 2021

Gearing Up For Sports



This newsletter is published by the Acquired Brain Injury (ABI) Education & Prevention Coordinator from Saskatchewan North ABI Services.

Participating in sports is a great way to make friends, get in shape & keep your brain healthy. Sports help us learn important lessons



about cooperation, determination, resilience and being part of a team.



Playing a sport can put you at risk to sustain an injury. Your body is moving in all sorts of complex ways. If you aren't careful, you could tear a muscle, break a bone, damage your joints beyond full repair or sustain a concussion or brain injury.

Here are some ways to stay protected!

 Make sure you have all the necessary protective gear for your sport. Ensure that it fits you properly, and is in good condition. Wear your gear EVERY TIME you play; practice & games.

2) Stretch your body before and after. The more flexible your joints and muscles are, the better your body will accept the strain and impact of your sport.

3) HYDRATE! Not drinking enough liquids through the day can cause exhaustion, headaches, severe cramps and even a trip to the ER. 4) Know your sport. Understand the rules & regulations. They are there to allow you to play aggressively while keeping yourself and others safe.

5) Keep your head up! Watch out for players who might not see you standing there. If they aren't paying attention, make sure you are.



6) Don't play if you're already injured. you won't be helping your team or yourself if you're already hurt. You could risk aggravating your injury. This is an easy way to take a minor injury and turn it into a lifethreatening one.



*Remember concussions are injuries too! If you do not allow your brain to heal it can put you out of the game a lot longer.



7) Remember, it's just a game. Listen to what your body is telling you. Take breaks, and eat a healthy diet full of the nutrients necessary for you to be a strong athlete and competitor.

As your gearing up for your fall sport to go into full swing, remember how important it is to keep yourself safe. Have fun this season!

We are always on the lookout to connect with communities interested in injury prevention. Please email jennie.knudsen@saskhealthauthority.ca for more information. We want to hear from you!

* Begins Wednesday Sept. 15.

Youth Open ART Studio

\$: FREE PROGRAM for 8-16yrs old

EVERY Wednesday - September to March.

Session 1: 5:00-6:30pm & Session 2: 6:30-8:00pm

Join us at the PA ARTS CENTER, 1010 Central Avenue



Instructor: Lana Lorensen

Designed for selfmotivated youth who are interested in art. Materials are provided and creativity is encouraged. Sponsored and administered by the Prince Albert Council for the Arts. Funding provided by the Saskatchewan Lotteries **Community Grant** Program.

Drawing, Coloring, Painting, Beading, Paper Mache, Knitting, Clay, Chalk Pastels, Charcoal, Pencils, Oil Pastels, Paper Mache, CREATING !!!