

# October 2022

**Christopher Lake  
Public School**



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4 <i>Kindergarten Cross Country 11:30—2:30</i>	5 <i>Tornado Hunters (Gr. 1,2/3,5,6)</i>	6 <i>Kindergarten Girls Volleyball @ CLPS</i>	7 <i>PLC No Classes</i>	8
9	10 <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i>	11 <i>Kindergarten Picture Day</i>	12	13 <i>Kindergarten Girls Volleyball @ WR</i>	14	15
16	17	18 <i>Kindergarten</i>	19	20 <i>Kindergarten Girls Volleyball @ Osborne</i>	21	22
23	24	25 <i>Kindergarten</i>	26 <i>Digital Citizenship Day</i>	27 <i>Kindergarten</i>	28 <i>Kindergarten</i>	29
30	31 <i>Black / Orange (AM) Costumes (PM)</i>					

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## **CHRISTOPHER LAKE PUBLIC SCHOOL**

*Home of the LAKERS*

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### **Principal's Message**

Happy October to the entire Lakers Community,

It is a cliché that time flies when you are having fun. Well, I guess some sayings are clichés for a reason. Believe me when I say September could not have flown by for me any faster than it did. It has been a wonderful first month for me here at CLPS and I have truly had fun. I can't wait to see what October has in store.

October for me is the real beginning of Autumn and Autumn to me has always been a time to reflect. I suspect others feel the same way and I suppose that is one of the reasons we celebrate Thanksgiving in October. In keeping with that theme; I have decided to share with you what I have been reflecting on and what I am thankful for during my time so far at CLPS.

- I am thankful for each and every one of our students. I am trying my best to connect with all of you and to get to know you much better. Thanks for all of the times you pop into my office to say hello or to ask how my day is going. I told you all that doing so would make my day and believe me it does. You are all awesome and you make coming to school every day a welcomed adventure.
- I am thankful for all of the staff at the school. You have been patient with me as I make my way in my new role. I admire your dedication to our students and want to share with the community how much I appreciate the extra mile that you all take for your students. Whether it is coaching, planning special events, organizing adventures and field trips, fund raising, etc., etc. Please know that I am so very thankful. You all demonstrate enthusiasm, empathy, patience, creativity and skillful teaching and we as parents (myself included) are lucky to have you with our kids.
- I am also thankful for all the parents and caregivers who have engaged with us this year. So very many of you stopped by for the meet the staff BBQ. Thanks for that. It was awesome to catch up with many of you and really nice to meet many of you. Thanks, for the phone calls and the visits and the meetings. This whole education thing is truly a team effort and it is clear that our students are well supported.

I could go on and on but this is already quite a lot by my standards so I will stop there.

Enjoy the fall leaves and dust off that sweater that's been in the closet for 6 months and enjoy it before it is hidden under a parka.

Sincerely,

Mr. Lambert P. Schwartzenberger - Principal



### Picture Day

CLPS picture day will be on Thursday October 11<sup>th</sup>. Retakes will be on November 15<sup>th</sup>.

### 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.



Make online payments with  
**SchoolCashOnline**

- ✓ **Field Trips**
- ✓ **Sports Events**
- ✓ **Activity Fees**

**KEVGROUP**  
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**Registration for School Cash Online is now available!** Please visit [www.srsd19.ca/school-cash-online/](http://www.srsd19.ca/school-cash-online/) 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. **The bus zone includes the wheelchair accessible parking spot. 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 let you in and then send your child out.**

### **Halloween Day**

On October 31<sup>st</sup> we encourage students to dress in black and orange for the morning and then in the afternoon, if they want, they can change into their costumes.

### **Important School Bus Information**

Unfortunately, one of our school bus drivers in the Christopher Lake area is retiring this winter. Jean Howden has been driving school bus in the Christopher Lake and Meath Park areas for over 20 years but will be done this December. This wonderful lady is going to be very much missed.

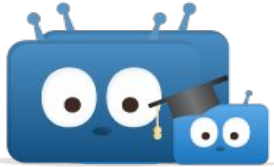
We expect that within the next 2 to 3 years we will have further bus drivers in your area retiring.

Coupled with the fact that we currently have no available sub drivers for Christopher Lake we may see future service disruptions should one of our drivers simply fall ill.

We are making every effort to recruit and train new drivers so as to avoid a shortage, but we need your help. If you or anyone you know is interested in full or part time work as a school bus driver, please contact Ryan Bruce, Manager of Transportation Services at (306) 763-2323. You can also apply online at [www.srsd119.ca](http://www.srsd119.ca).

Training can be done at your pace and can fit around almost any other schedule (work or home) you have to keep.

Thank you,  
Ryan Bruce



Edsby

## Grade 1-9 Grading Scale

When you log into Edsby and look at your child's "My Work" you will see IG, IE, BE, AP, ME, or EX.

EX - Exemplary	Evidence indicates in-depth understanding, demonstration, or application of the strand
ME - Meeting	Evidence indicates understanding, demonstration, or application of the strand
AP - Approaching	Evidence indicates progression towards understanding, demonstration, or application of the strand
BE - Beginning	Evidence indicates initial understanding, demonstration, or application of the strand
IE - Insufficient Evidence	The student has not yet demonstrated enough evidence for reporting purposes.
IG - Individualized Goals	The student demonstrates understanding of outcomes that are adjusted in number and complexity as discussed with parents/ guardians prior to this report.



## Benefits to Registering Today for SchoolCash Online

A new approach to paying for your child's school items and activity fees. No matter what your child's school experience, ensure your school to home communication is not disrupted.

Create an account today, and pay the fees using the SchoolCash Online contactless solution.

### Key benefits

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- Receive email notifications of new fees or items available for purchase.
- Check your account history and view and print receipts.
- Pay for school fees anytime, anywhere, with a simple click, using the contactless solution.
- Keep track of your child's school items and activity fees and manage all students in your household from one location.

### How to register

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1. Go to <https://srsd119.schoolcashionline.com> and click **Register**.
  - a. Type your first name, last name, and email address, and create a password.
  - b. Select a security question.
  - c. Select YES to receive email notifications. You will not receive any marketing emails. Selecting YES enables the system to send you fee notifications.
2. SchoolCash Online will send you a confirmation email. If you don't receive it, check your Spam folder.
3. Use your email address and password to log in.

### How to add students to your account

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1. Sign in to SchoolCash Online:  
<https://srsd119.schoolcashionline.com>
2. At the top of the page, navigate to MY ACCOUNT.
3. From the dropdown menu, select My Students.
4. Click to add a student:
  - a. Type in your School Board Name.
  - b. Select your school name from the list.
  - c. Enter student details. The system is fully secure, with PCI certification.
  - d. Click Confirm.

You may add up to eight students on your profile.

### How to make a payment

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1. You will be able to view any available items attached to your students that are set up on your account.
2. Select the item which you would like to purchase and click "Add to Cart."
3. Once you have finished adding items to your cart, select "Check Out" to make a payment.



**DON'T HESITATE, VACCINATE**

**PFIZER (age 5 yrs +), MODERNA (age 6 months +)**

**NOVAVAX at Gateway Mall only—walk in**

**Influenza Starting Tuesday October 11**

**Walk-ins and Booked appointments (1-833-SASKVAX OR ONLINE)**

**Gateway Mall (under the skylights)**

**COVID Clinics**

Oct. 1 —10am—3:00pm

Oct. 6— 11am—6:30pm

Oct. 8—10am—3pm

**Influenza & COVID Clinics**

Oct. 11—10am—5:30pm

Oct. 13— 11am—6:30pm

Oct. 14—10am—5:30pm

Oct. 15—10am—3pm

Oct. 17—10am—5:30pm

Oct. 18—10am—5:30pm

Oct. 20— 11am—6:30pm

Oct. 21—10am—5:30pm

Oct. 22-10am-3pm

Oct. 27-11am-630pm

Oct. 29-10am-3pm

**Prince Albert Grand Council  
Health Office (Wednesdays)**

Oct. 5—9am-4:30pm

Oct. 12—9am-4:30pm

Oct. 19—9am-4:30pm

Oct. 26—9am-4:30pm

