KING GEORGE PUBLIC SCHOOL

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November 2023

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	Sp	1 Clan Shirt Day	2 TWIN DAY	3 PJ DAY
6	7	8 Indigenous Veterans Day	9 Remembrance Day Assembly 10:45	10
		Clan Shirt Day	Remembrance Day List We Forget	NO CLASSES
		SCC Meeting 6PM In the school library	Money Due for 14 th Boston Pizza lunch	
13 NO CLASSES	14 Pre-Paid Boston Pizza Lunch	15 Clan Shirt Day Oednesday is Clan Shirt Day	16 PreK and K Parent Engagement Night 6-7:30pm in the	17 Grades 1V & 6/7G Forest School Little Red Park
	Library Night 5-6		King George Gym	
20	21 Money Due for 24 th Pizza Lunch	22 Clan Shirt Day	23 Parent/Teacher Interviews 3:10-8PM Flu & Covid Vaccines Picture retakes @ PACI school	24 Pre-Paid Pizza Lunch
			Scholastic	Book Fair
27	28 Library Night 5-6	29 Clan Shirt Day Oednesday is Clan Shirt Day	30	
Scholastic Book Fair				

Class Times: 8:25 – 11:40am, 12:30 – 3:00pm

Principal's Message

King George Public School has a goal of all students to be meeting or reaching an exemplary level in Reading and Comprehension. We hope, that as a King George Community, we can all work together to reach this goal. Many reading activities, classroom and school wide, will be presented to the students. Reading scores also improve with a minimum 15 minutes of reading at home every night. Please check out our library nights during the month of November. As well, classrooms will have a chance to win prizes for monthly attendance. Students should not miss more than 10% of classes (2) per month.

As we move into November, parents and students will have their first interviews. The reporting format remains the same as last year as there is no report card at this time. Please check your Edsby app for up-to-date reporting. The first report card will come out in January. Interview night will be held on Thursday, November 23, 2023. As well, please keep the communication lines open with your teacher so that you are aware of all happenings throughout the school year.

While at interviews, consider getting your flu and updated Covid-19 booster vaccine. Members from Prince Albert Public Health will be here to provide vaccinations.

The annual School Community Council annual general meeting (AGM) will be held on Wednesday, November 8 beginning with a pizza supper at 6:00 pm followed by the meeting. Information on possible teacher sanctions will be available through a question-and-answer period. All parents are welcome.

Have a great month! Mr. Art Feher Principal

Library News - Miss Bantle

We are hosting the Scholastic Bookfair at the end of the month. We invite your entire family to come to our Scholastic Bookfair and check out the new titles. Our bookfair will run from November 23 to November 30. We will be open during Progress Conferences (November 23) from 3:00 – 8:00

Your support of this vital literary event is a key part of helping us obtain new books and resources for our library.

There will be a reading pillow (made by Miss Bantle) as a prize at the bookfair. Tickets on the Dragon Reading Pillow are 25 cents each or 5 for \$1.00. Draw for this will be made on the last day of the fair.

All adults that come to shop at the bookfair will get their name entered for the parent tote.



School Community Council (SCC)

Thanks to everyone who attended the Halloween Dance! It was great fun! Also, thanks to all who sold tickets Halloween Basket Raffle and congratulations to the winners! The next SCC meeting and Annual General Meeting is Wednesday, November 8th, 2023 at 6:30 pm. We will be planning a Christmas fundraiser event. We will be having a pizza supper before the meetings at 6:00 pm. All parents/guardians are welcome to attend, we would love to see you there! To ensure we have enough food please RSVP by letting the school office know how many are attending on or before Monday, November 6th, 2023 and if there are any allergy issues we should be aware of. Thank you!

Christine Koroll SCC Chair

IMPORTANT PICTURE RETAKE INFORMATION

Picture retakes and students that missed getting their picture taken will be done differently this year. Retakes for King George School will take place at PACI on November 23rd. To sign up for a time, please follow the link below.

https://book.appointmentplus.com/1drclp14/?employee_id=13581

Program Enhancement Fees

The school, along with the SCC, implemented Program Enhancement fees. \$15.00 for pre-k and k students, \$30.00 for students in grade 1-8 up to a total of \$75.00 per family.

Your Fees can be paid by cash or check at the school office or through KEV.



Every Wednesday is Clan Shirt Day at King George School, with a clan assembly on the final Wednesday of each month. Students are encouraged to wear their Clan shirt or Clan colour on Wednesdays. Students can earn points for their clans by doing the following:

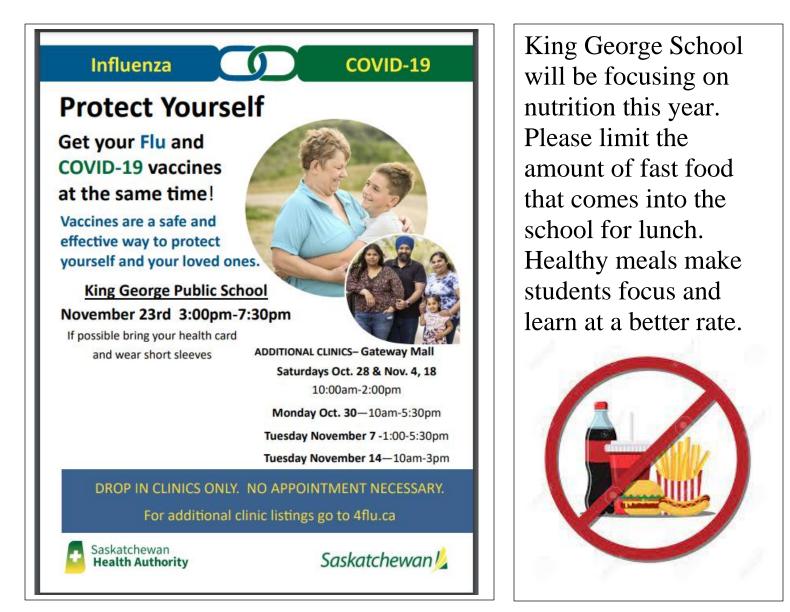
- Wearing their clan shirt/colours on Wednesdays
- Coming to school every day and on time
- Participating in Spirit Week
- Participating in Clan Assembly group building games

The winning Clan for the month will win a prize for their clan (Ex: Hot meal, sliding party with hot chocolate, treat bag etc.).

In June we will have the Clan Cup games to determine the winner of the Clan Cup.

Your child was given a Clan shirt shortly after they started at King George. If they have lost their shirt, or have outgrown it, a new shirt can be purchased for a cost of \$10.00. Please call Mr. Pilon if you are wanting to order a new shirt.





Volunteers Needed for Operation Red Nose 2023

The Prince Albert Lions Club will be sponsoring Operation Red Nose in Prince Albert again in 2023. Community volunteers are the key to the success of the program. In 2022 we provided 130 rides to 275 clients who were impaired or who did not feel fit to drive their own vehicle. They all got home safely.

Although the service is free, clients usually provide donations, which under the provisions of the Operation Red Nose Program must be allocated to youth groups or groups that support youth in Prince Albert and area. The Prince Albert Lions Club has selected area schools as the recipients of these donations to assist with programing for students. As a result of the campaign a total of \$4,400 was donated to 11 elementary schools in Prince Albert and area.

The program operates on Friday and Saturday evenings. This year will be starting on Friday, December 1st and run for 5 weekends plus New Year's Eve. We start around 9 pm in the evening and usually run until 2 am the next morning. New Year's tends to run a bit later due to house parties.

Volunteers must be at least 19 years of age. They are organized into teams of 3 people, an escort driver, designated driver and navigator.-All volunteers, require a police background check (provided at no cost) and are insured for liability by our provincial sponsor the SGI. Volunteers do not have to use their vehicles since escort vehicles are provided by vehicle dealerships in the city

Volunteers can choose to work one night, a weekend or the whole season. Come as an individual or put together a team of 3 people. We find News Year Eve is one of our busiest nights. Volunteers are provided with food, coffee and camaraderie during the evenings they work.

If you are interested in helping out with Operation Red Nose, please contact me at (306)763-7434, (306)425-7804(cell) or by email at <u>rbraaten@sasktel.net</u>.



