KEEWATIN PRAIRIE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

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JANUARY NEWSLETTER

Message from Administration





Dear Families,

Happy New Year and welcome back to school! We hope you all had an enjoyable Winter Break and holiday season. We look forward to another exciting term at Keewatin Prairie School!

Please note a couple of staffing updates for the new year. Ms. Misty Perrun, vice-principal, will be on a leave of absence for a few months. While she's away, Ms. Jenny Bui will be supporting in the vice-principal role, and Ms. Christina Lewis will subsequently join our learning support team. In addition, we thank Mr. James Swan for his contributions to our learning community (Room 211) from September – December, and we're pleased to welcome Ms. Courtney Chubaty to our Grade 4 Team.

Our Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) is always looking for additional feedback, support, and ideas. Please feel welcome to join our upcoming PAC meeting on Tuesday, January 28th at 3:45 PM in the school's staffroom.

Many thanks for your ongoing partnership and support. Wishing everyone a happy, healthy, and peaceful 2025!

Jenny and Sari



Please ensure that your child arrives at school every day. If your child is going to be absent, please use our Safe Arrival system to report their absence. You can report absences the following ways:



1-855-278-4513 - Call the toll-free, interactive telephone system.

go.schoolmessenger.ca - Set up your Parent Portal account, then log in.



Safe Arrival App - Set up your Parent Portal account, download the Apple or Android app, then log in.

Students cannot leave the school during school hours on their own. If your child needs to leave school before regular dismissal times, a guardian must be called for Middle School students. Elementary parents must pick students up from the office and sign them out.



BREAKFAST PROGRAM INFORMATION

Students are welcome to come by through our front doors between 8:30 AM and 9:00 AM.



UPCOMING EVENTS

January 6, 2025 - First Day Back at School

January 31, 2025 – Professional Development Day for Staff – No School

February 17, 2025 – Louis Riel Day – No School

March 4, 2025 - Farewell Photos - Grade 9

March 14, 2025 - Family Conferences - No Classes

March 20, 2025 – Feast honouring Spring Equinox-Grades 4-7

March 31, 2025 - April 4, 2025 - Spring Break

April 7, 2025 – First Day Back at School

April 11, 2025 - Professional Development Day for Staff - No School

April 18, 2025 - Good Friday - No School

May 9, 2025 – Professional Development Day for Staff – No School

May 19, 2025 - Victoria Day - No School

June 13, 2025 – Professional Development Day for Staff – No School

June 18, 2025 - Feast honouring Summer Solstice - Grades 8 & 9

June 24, 2025 - Grade 8 Farewell - Morning

June 24, 2025 – Grade 9 Farewell - Afternoon

June 27, 2025 - Last Day of School - Early Dismissal



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3 / Day 1	4 / Day 2	5 / Day 3	6 / Day 4	7 / Day 5	8
9	10/ Day 6	11 / Day 1	12 / Day 2	13 / Day 3	14 / Day 4	15
16	17 Louis Riel Day	18 / Day 5	19 / Day 6	20 / Day 1	21 / Day 2	22
23	24 / Day 3	25 / Day 4	26 / Day 5	27 / Day 6	28 / Day 1	



