# Principal

# Vanscoy School Newsletter

## "Nurturing the Potential of All"

668-2056

Darin McKay Vice-Principal

October

## As of September 29, 2015



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30			
	Day 6	Day 1	Day 2			

Kinderg. Days: Sept. 29

Grade 8's to Delisle 8:30 a.m.:

Bus driver: Joanne Peacock

Band: Day 5 Beginners & Seniors

Day 1 Beginners & Juniors Sept 29

NO CLASSES:

Wed. Sept. 30: Jr & Sr Band @ Asquith after school

Wed. Sept. 30: Beginner Band Clinic Night @ Asquith 7:00-9:00



TERRY FOX RUN Here's how the run day will

Recess: 1:45-2:00 pre-assembly

Walk/run: 2:00-2:45

: 2:45-3:00 post assembly

(or next day)

Remember - Any amount of donation would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.



Terry Fox Incentives

- . . If any class raises \$1,000 or more they will earn ither a pizza or sub party for their class
- .. If overall collected donations reaches \$5.000. whole school
- . . OR if overall collected donations reaches \$6,500, Principal Derdall and Vice-Principle McKay will dress up in dresses with selected students giving Tue. them a 'make-over'!!



#### **VANSCOY & DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL**

**SOCIETY** The Grade 4 and 5 students attended a safety day put on by Vanscoy & District Agricultural Society last Tuesday. Students from Pike Lake and Delisle also attended. Students heard from multiple presenters on a

variety of safety-related topics and had many hands-on learning opportunities. A great big thank you to Linda Stevens and all of the wonderful volunteers who made this day such a success!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Day 3	2 Day 4	3
4	5 Day 5	6 Day 6	7 Day 1	8 Day 2	9 Day 3	10
11	12 No School	13 Day 4	14 Day 5	15 Day 6	16 Day 1	17
18	19 Day 2	20 Day 3	21 Day 4	22 Day 5	23 Day 6	24
25	26 Day 1	27 Day 2	28 Day 3	29 Day 4	30 Day 5	31

**Kinderg. Days:** Oct. 1, 5, 7, 9, 14, 16, 20, 22, 26, 28, 30

Grade 8's to Delisle 8:30 a.m.: Oct. 1, 9, 20, 28

Bus driver: Diana Berger

Band: Day 5 Beginners & Seniors Oct. 5, 7, 14, 16, 22, 26, 30

Day 1 Beginners & Juniors Oct. 7, 16, 26

NO CLASSES: Oct. 12 Thanksgiving

Thu. Oct. 1: Terry Fox Run in afternoon (see schedule within)

: Volleyball Practice 3:20-4:30

Fri. Oct. 2: Grade 5/6 Soccer Tournament in Dalmeny

Tue. Oct.6: Grades 1-4 Gym Blast @ Pike Lake School

: Volleyball Practice 3:20-4:30

Wed. Oct. 7: Jr & Sr Band @ Asquith after school

Thu. Oct. 8:Volleyball Game vs Asquith 4:00-5:00

Oct. 9: Student Photos in morning

Mon. Oct. 12: NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving

Oct. 13:Volleyball Practice 3:20-4:30

Oct. 15: Volleyball Game vs Langham 4:00-5:00

19-23 :Book Fair

Oct. 20: Boys Volleyball Game @Delisle

Wed. Oct. 21: Jr & Sr Band @ Asquith after school

Oct. 22:Tentative Hot Meal date

: Boys Volleyball Game vs Perdue 4:00-5:00

Oct. 24: Grades 6 & 7 Boys and Girls Volleyball Tourna-

ment @ Warman

Wed. Oct. 28: Jr & Sr Band @ Asquith after school

ACTIVITY/SPECIAL EVENT FEES: Please note that a \$30/student special event fee is due. Send either a cheque or exact change to the opportunities. A great big thank you to Linda Stevens and all of the wonderful volunteers who made this day such a success!

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION



**BUS SAFETY FOR STUDENTS** Parents/Guardians, student drop-offs and pick-ups must be from the designated parent parking area ONLY. When this is followed, no student will step into the pathway of school any vehicle. Do not use the street in front of the

school or the bus parking lane if there are any buses parked there. We do not want the students to be walking or running between parked buses or cars driving through the zone. The buses are big and visibility of students and unauthorized vehicles is limited and there is a lot of activity in these areas, especially at the beginning and ending of the school day. Also, when vehicles are parked on the street the buses are not able to turn onto the roadway.

Student safety is our number 1 concern. Please make it yours.

**REMINDER FOR STUDENT PICK-UPS** If someone, other than a parent/guardian is picking up your child from the school, please trips. In the unfortunate circumstances of needing this write a note to that child's teacher or call the school office. We must have parental consent before releasing a child to another person. Thank you.

Also, if your child(ren) rides the bus, please notify your bus driver of any changes either before 6:45 a.m. or 2:15 p.m.

#### Community Programs with contact name & numbers

Singing with Sylvia – Halloween Howl – Group rates available Oct. 29, 2015 @ 10:30 am and 1 pm Oct. 30, 2015 @ 10:30 am, 1 pm & 7 pm

@ The Refinery, 609 Dufferin Ave., Saskatoon Tickets: Advance \$7 or At Door \$9 (under 2 free)

Phone: 653-5191 www.ontheboards.ca

TO UPDATE CONTACT INFORMATION OR TO RECEIVE THIS NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL, PLEASE FILL IN BELOW AND RETURN TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE. Sept./2015)

Name	
Address Change:	
Home #:	Cell #:
Work #:	
Email:	
Signature:	

ACTIVITY/SPECIAL EVENT FEES: Please note that a \$30/student special event fee is due. Send either a cheque or exact change to the school with your child. His/her classroom teacher will forward it on to the school office where a receipt will be issued. Thank you.



PICTURE DAY Each student received a Picture Day form to select their pose(s) when they have their pictures taken on Friday, October 9<sup>th</sup>. Please fill in the form and have your child bring it to school. They will be handing their form to the

photographer when they have their photo taken.

**BLANKET STUDENT ACCIDENT POLICY** Prairie Spirit provides accident insurance through Industrial Alliance Insurance that provides insurance coverage if your child has an accident at school during the school day. Children are also covered if the accident occurs at a time when they are involved in any extracurricular activities before or after school hours, including school insurance, the school will need to be notified of the accident immediately so that they can submit an incident report to the insurance company and provide the parent or guardian with a claim form. The parent or guardian will need to pay any expenses initially, then ask the appropriate medical authority to complete and sign the form. The parent will then submit the form directly to Alliance Insurance. The claim process is between the parent or guardian and the insurance company. Industrial Alliance Insurance does offer additional KidsPlus Accident Insurance should you wish to purchase it. Details can be found in the KidsPlus Accident Insurance Package.

BABYSITTING COURSE The babysitting course started this week. There will be soon be more babysitters in our community. J

For more information please call Mrs. Reichert at the

school: 306-668-2056 or

Home: 306-658-3056

SCHOOL DRILLS/EVACUATIONS Vanscoy School held its first fire drill on September 24. The following dates are for upcoming drills for this school year.

Oct. 15 @ 10:05 am Evac. Drill Nov. 5 @ 1:35 pm Evac. Drill Nov. 19 @ 10:05 am Lockdown Dec. 10 @ 10:05 am Hold/Secure Jan. 14 @ 1:35 pm Lockdown

Feb. 4@ 1:35 pm Hold/Secure Drill Apr. 28 @ 1:35 pm Evac. Drill May 19 @ 10:05 am Evac. Drill June 2 @ 10:05 am Tornado Drill June 9 @ 1:35 pm Evac. Drill

#### INFORMATION TO KEEP ON HAND

Vanscoy School 306-668-2056 Emergency School Land Line if power failure 306-668-2010 PSSD Div. Office website: spiritsd.ca Phone: 306-683-2800 **Band Website** http://spiritsd.ca/band/west/default.htm Public Health Info http://www.saskatoonhealthregion.ca Early Learning Centre 306-668-6338