

## CURBSIDE ASSISTANCE

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Or text: 306-314-8820

**MONDAYS  
TO FRIDAYS**  
8:30 - 4:00

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To keep our students safe, access to the school will be limited. Please give us a call if you require assistance and we can meet you outside.

- Registration help
- Lunch drop off
- Questions
- Pick up

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# École Arthur Pechey Public School








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**School Hours**  
Welcoming Bell 8:50 a.m.  
Classes Begin 8:55 a.m.  
8:55 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.  
Lunch 12:10 p.m. - 12:55 p.m.  
12:55 p.m. – 3:10 p.m.

## NOVEMBER 2020

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3	4	5	6
		<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> Madd Smart Wheels November 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>  Grades 4 – 6 – see inside for more info. </div>		
				<b>Twin Day</b>
9	10 Remembrance Day Virtual Assembly  <div style="text-align: center;"><b>Red Day</b> </div>	11 <b>Remembrance Day</b> <b>No Classes</b>	12	13 Report Cards go Home!  Hot Lunch Orders Due today!
6	17 SCC Meeting 5:00 – 7:00 - Library	18 <b>Backward Day</b> 	19 Student Led Conferences 3:15 – 8:15	20 Smoke's Poutinerie Hot Lunch 
23	24	25	26	27 <b>Wacky Hair Day</b> 
30	<b>Allergen Awareness:</b> There are children in our school with severe life threatening food allergies (anaphylaxis) to nuts and peanuts. This medical condition can result in death within minutes. Although this may not affect your child's class directly, we ask that any foods you send to school with your child be free from nut or peanut products. More information about anaphylaxis is available at the school. Please contact us. Thank you! <div style="text-align: right;"></div>			

## **Extra- Curricular Activities and Sport**

Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division is currently in the process of re-instating our Extra-curricular programs at a school and division level.

We at Arthur Pechey are currently still in phase 1 of the plan.

Phase 1 will include individual/ cohort skill based learning in the classroom (Physical Education) and noon hour recess.

**\*\*\*SRPSD extracurricular activities and sport (skill based learning, intramural or inter-school) can be withdrawn at any time by SRPSD and following guidance from the SK Health Authority\*\*\***

As a school we will be doing outdoor activities this month that include: Snow shoveling, Outdoor Education and Skating. Please ensure to dress for the cold weather!

Thank you so much for all your support during these times. Our #1 goal is to ensure the proper safety for our students staff and schools. Please stay tuned for further updates concerning extracurricular activities!

**Go Eagles!**

Mr. Kalika

## **Tipi Teachings**

Throughout the month of November, the students of Arthur Pechey will be learning about Humility and Happiness. Here is a quick summary of some of the key points that each class will focus on:

-Humility/**L'humilité** : We are not above or below others. We treat others equally.

-Happiness/**Le bonheur** : We must show enthusiasm to encourage others. We learn to be good-humoured and show positive feelings towards our families and those around us. We value making others happy.

Check out our Tipi Teachings website for resources and extra material to try at home:

<https://sites.google.com/view/aptipiteachings>

\*This website will be always updating. Please check into the website frequently to see any new or added information. Every Tipi Teaching will be located on our new website under each "Teaching" tab. On this website, there are a variety of ideas for how to practice the current teaching at home or at school.

Following Their Voices

Want to know more about Following Their Voices??

Check out Arthur Pechey's social media platforms (Instagram and Facebook) to see our school's video coming out this month!

Haven't had a chance to do our FTV parent survey?? No problem! You have until November 30<sup>th</sup> to complete it and be entered into the draw. The information that will be gathered from the surveys will help teachers support our students in the FTV program from a parent and caregiver's perspective. Once you have completed the survey, please screenshot that you have completed it and send it to [spilon@srsd119.ca](mailto:spilon@srsd119.ca). You will then be entered into win a gift card which will go towards AP's online clothing store.

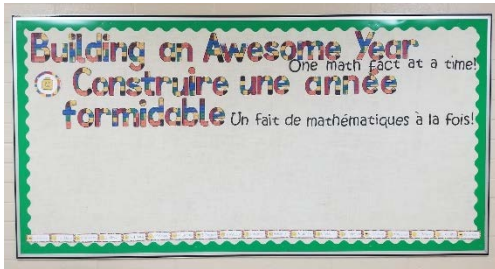
Here is the link to the FTV parent survey:

<https://followingtheirvoices.ca/ftv/surveys/#/anon/code/7aRkW0eS>

This code will appear on the survey please ensure it is correct: 7aRkW0eS

# Making Math Count!

## *Building an Awesome Year ... one math fact at a time!*



This year we are working hard on academics and math is at the top of our list.

Teachers are meeting students where they are at, filling learning gaps of missed outcomes during the learning-from-home months in the spring, and making plans for every math lesson.



Teachers are always finding new, safe, and COVID friendly ways to make learning fun and engaging for students.





Teachers are putting in countless hours analyzing curriculum and using the best strategies to make every minute of math class count towards making our students the strongest mathematicians around.



Parents! We need your help! Please talk to your child about all of the positive opportunities that math provides; making connections to all of the numbers around us – grocery shopping, reading traffic signs, even practicing basic facts while making or cleaning up dinner.

Talk about the *Math Expected Behaviours* to help support us in our hard work to make every student feel like a successful mathematician!

## Math Expected Behaviors

**1** I will give my best effort every day  
and keep my brain at 110% power.

**2** I will persevere when problems are challenging.

**3** I will explain my thinking and justify my answers.

**4** I will think about my classmates' answers and  
decide whether I agree or disagree

**5** I will raise my hand and communicate when I don't  
understand or disagree.

## Report Cards

The Ministry of Education has implemented a new information system called My Schools Sask (MSS) for all school divisions in the province. As a result, our report card will look different for the 2020-2021 school year. The report card will continue to provide parents and students with a summary of the students' progress and growth with respect to subject grade level expectations or outcomes. The outcomes describe what a student is expected to know, understand and do in a subject area for their grade level. In the past, we have reported on the strands of a subject, such as reading, writing, listening, speaking and viewing. Now, we will report whether a student is beginning, approaching, meeting, or exemplary in their demonstration of learning within subject and grade specific outcomes. Our goal is to continue to ensure that parents and students understand the progress that the student is making with respect to grade level outcomes. A report card should confirm all other communication that has happened between students, teachers and parents. Please talk directly with your child's teacher with any questions or concerns that you may have about your child's progress or about the report card itself. The following charts are intended to support your understanding of the language that will be used in the report card.

### Academic Achievement Scale

Numeric	Alpha	Term	Description
4	EX	Exemplary	Evidence indicates in-depth understanding, demonstration or application of the outcome
3	ME	Meeting	Evidence indicates understanding, demonstration or application of the outcome
2	AP	Approaching	Evidence indicates progression towards understanding, demonstration or application of the outcome
1	BE	Beginning	Evidence indicates initial understanding, demonstration or application of the outcome

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IE	Insufficient Evidence	The student has not yet demonstrated enough evidence for reporting purpose.
NA	Not Applicable	This topic, unit or outcome was not taught or assessed this term.
IG	Individualized Goals	The student demonstrates understanding of outcomes that are adjusted in number and complexity as discussed with parents/guardian prior to this report.

### Factors That Affect Student Achievement

Term	Descriptor/Definition
Lifelong Learner	The student is curious, observant and reflective as they imagine, explore and construct knowledge.
Sense of Self	The student possesses a positive sense of who they are and appreciates the diverse beliefs, languages and practices of others.
Engaged Citizen	The student demonstrates confidence, courage and commitment in their contribution to the community.
Work Habits	The student organizes materials and their time so that they are effective, independent and dependable learners.

### Scale for Reporting Factors That affect Student Achievement

C	U	S	R	IE, NA
Consistently demonstrates the characteristics	Usually demonstrates the characteristics	Sometimes demonstrates the characteristics	Rarely demonstrates the characteristics	Insufficient Evidence Not Applicable

## **MADD SmartWheels**

All students in grades 4 to 6 will have the opportunity to participate in the Smartwheels presentation.

**SmartWheels** is a curriculum based program for students in grades 4 through 6 and is delivered in a modern, leading edge fully equipped mobile RV. The presentations are 50 minutes and are delivered by a MADD Canada Facilitator. On-screen video hosts introduce short video clips throughout the hour that describe the effects of alcohol and cannabis on developing brains and bodies and discusses impaired driving consequences.

*SmartWheels* raises students' awareness about the risks of alcohol and drugs before they are exposed to them, influences responsible decision making and teaches safety strategies. Achieving these outcomes will result in better informed youth who are significantly more likely to make positive, responsible decisions, resulting in fewer injuries and deaths among our most vulnerable road users.

## **Bussing**

In October, our bus zone moved to 28<sup>th</sup> Street. This allowed for the addition of a 15-minute loading zone as well as a section for two-hour parking where the bus loading zone was previously located on 26<sup>th</sup> Street. We ask you to be aware of the parking signage when dropping off, picking up or parking to enter the school. As always, we would like to remind you that the staff parking lot is not available for drop off or pick up of students.



## **Supervision**

Our school provides supervision 8:35am-3:25pm. If your child requires supervision or child care outside of these hours, please make the appropriate arrangements.

## **Student Expectations**

As a school, we would like to remind our students and parents that there are no food or drinks allowed on the playground. In addition, only water is allowed as a beverage in the classrooms outside of lunch time. An additional reminder is that cellphones are to be kept in the students lockers unless given permission by their teacher and they are going to be used for an educational purpose. Thank you for discussing these rules with your child.



## **Recycling School Fundraiser**

We still have our school SARCAN Drop & Go Group Account making recycling drop off so easy. Feel free to donate your household recycling using the Drop and Go group phrase **APPS** in the touch screen terminal at the SARCAN depot.

All funds will be sent to the school by cheque, and will be used to help with transportation for a variety of school events throughout the year. Thank you so much your continued support!

## **Lunch Hour**

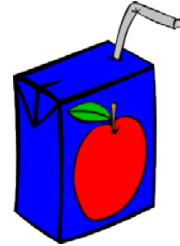
URGENT! Your child's safety and well-being is important to us. Please carefully read the lunch hour letter that was sent home with your child. We must have confirmation from parents/guardians if your child will be going home for lunch.

# CANTEEN NEWS

*Starting in November, we are going to expand the staggered re-opening of our canteen to include all grades. To reduce student traffic in our hallways and the mixing of student cohorts, we will continue with assigned days and times for each grade. Each grade will be assigned one day per week. Students will follow all safety guidelines including physical distancing while waiting in line. Students in kindergarten may use one of the canteen order forms that their teachers will send home. The schedule will be as follows:*



	12:10	12:30
MONDAY	Grade 8	Grade 7
TUESDAY	Grade 6	Grade 5
WEDNESDAY	Grade 4	Grade 2
THURSDAY	Grade 3	Grade 3
FRIDAY	Kindergarten	Grade 1



## Canteen Menu

Available from 12:10 to 12:45.

**\*Prices and availability are subject to change without notice\***

**Fresh Pizza:** Pepperoni & Cheese.....\$3.00/slice

**Leftover Pizza (frozen & reheated – sometimes available) .....**\$1.00

**Corn dogs .....**\$1.50

**Pizza Pops :** Pepperoni and cheese .....\$2.00

**Granola bars.....**\$1.00

**Beef Jerky .....**\$2.00

**Hot Rods .....**\$1.00

**Crispers/Pretzels/Popcorn/Chips .....**\$1.50

**Flavored water .....**\$1.50

**Juice boxes .....**\$1.50

**Desserts:** wagon wheel, pudding (chocolate & vanilla), frozen yogurt tubes ..... **\$1.00**





### Strengthening Families Program will run this fall & winter!

Get your referrals in so we can begin the registration process with interested families. SFP has a continuous intake – applications are accepted all year long. Due to Covid-19 safety protocols, our programs will have limited spots available. For more information, email: [strengtheningfamilies.cfspa@sasktel.net](mailto:strengtheningfamilies.cfspa@sasktel.net), call: 306-922-3202, call/text: 306-981-6882, fax: 306-922-7977 or check out: [www.cfspa.ca](http://www.cfspa.ca)



[Silver for Gold](#) was created with the hope of impacting families across Saskatchewan. We collect pop tabs and donate 100% of the money to Childhood Cancer Research and Awareness directly supporting [Small But Mighty SK](#) from [Saskatoon, Saskatchewan](#). Please save your tabs. If you have any questions, please contact Mme Shelley Mitchell. She is the representative for Prince Albert and area and will pick up your tabs.



### FALL 2020 PROGRAMS

(Updated October 2020)

COVID-19 SAFETY PROTOCOLS WILL BE FOLLOWED

**TAMING THE TIGER** - anger management for children ages 9-12 & their caregivers  
(entire program delivered in 1-day session)

Date: Oct. 17  
Time: 10 am to 4 pm.  
Location: CFS  
Registration: \$ FREE

\*Transportation Provided  
Funded by: Ministry of Justice – Victims Services

**RIDING THE WAVE** – for children ages 9-12 & their families exposed to violence and trauma  
(entire program delivered in 1-day session) – 3 dates available!

Date: Oct. 24, Nov. 7 or Nov. 14  
Time: 10 am – 4 pm  
Location: CFS  
Registration: \$ FREE

\*Transportation Provided  
Funded by: Ministry of Justice - Victims Services

**PARENTING from the HEART** – for caregivers of children ages 5-12

Date: November 21  
Time: 10:00am – 4:00 p.m.  
Location: CFS  
Fee: \$20/person

\*Transportation Provided  
Funded by: Prince Albert & Area Community Foundation

**CLIMBING THE ROCK** – for teens exposed to violence (ages 13-17)  
This group program will be offered if there is sufficient interest. There are 8 weekly 1.5hr sessions held after school.  
\*\*Ideal for participants from schools, families, community & agency groups.\*\*

Registration: \$ FREE  
Location: CFS

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**To register or for more information on the content of the programs please call:**  
Catholic Family Services 306-922-3202 or 1-877-922-3202 or email [cfspa@sasktel.net](mailto:cfspa@sasktel.net)

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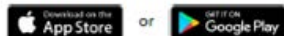


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### Get the free Remind app

1. Download the Remind app from



2. Sign up for an account and enter the code **srsdbus** to join All SRPSD buses.



### Or, sign up for text updates

Text (902) 701-9279 with the words "join **srsdbus**" to get updates from SRPSD bus info via text message.



Don't have a mobile phone?

Go to this link in your browser to receive messages via email: [rmid@srpsdbus](mailto:rmid@srpsdbus)

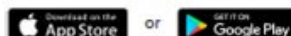


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