September 19, 2022

Aberdeen school report

# Enrollment and Staffing

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* Staff members:

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| Amy Orth | Principal |
| Haley Bartsch | Vice-Principal and Special Education (9-12) |
| Crysta Lalonde | Administrative Assistant |
| Charyce Ramler | Prep Coverage (K-8) |
| Shantelle Rempel | Kindergarten |
| Kara Farard | Grade 1 |
| Anne Rapley | Grade 1 |
| Gwen Peters | Grade 1/2 |
| Lesli Ann McLeod | Grade 2 |
| Jill Walter | Grade 3 |
| April Cator (Kaytlynn Seidel) | Grade 4 |
| Kelli White (Adam Fedorak) | Grade 5 |
| Olivia Ojukwu | Grade 6 |
| Mat Vedress | Grade 7 |
| Megan Ekstrand | Grade 8 |
| Colleen Sheppard | Special Education (K-8) |
| Kyle Males | Sr. Social Sciences and Grade 8 |
| Megan Printz | PAA (Home Ec) |
| Michael Maier | Sr. English |
| Johnathon Dueck | Sr. Math and Physics |
| Mark Antymniuk | PAA (Industrial Arts) |
| Justin Olnhoff (Ben Eggink) | Sr. Phys. Ed and Science |
| Dede Koscielski | School Counsellor |
| Sandy Kocay | EA |
| Trish Voldeng | EA |
| Tammy Wruck | EA/Admin Assistant |
| Tammy Lynchuk | EA |
| Barb Hagele | EA |
| Christine Hryniuk | EA |
| Renae MacSorley | EA |
| Rick Rance | Head Caretaker |
| Jennifer Norman | Caretaker |
| Troy Norman | Caretaker |

# upcoming events

* September 28 – Terry Fox Run @2pm
* September 29 – Pep Rally @2pm
* October 6 – Fundscript Fundraiser begins
* October 25/26 – Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences

# Extra-Curricular Activities

* Sr Girls’ Volleyball
* Cross Country
* SLT
* Sixes on Spirit

# Aberdeen creative preschool

* Up and running in Room 143

# facilities Update

* Fitness room and new computer lab are complete
* Plan to take down fencing around old skatepark
* Short term plan for old skatepark area is to grass it over. Asphalt surfacing for the two areas is too expensive at one time and the tree stumps may make surfacing impossible anyway. Additional consideration is the need for green space with school property lines in question following land sale. This short term solution would not preclude us from doing something else once the playground project is complete.

# Library update

* Library is now open every day at lunch. Grade 7-12 students welcome to eat lunch in library.
* Created a new elementary reading space – still working on some organization
* Looking for parent volunteers
* Looking for donations of board games
* Prairie Spirit Schools Foundation announced funding for K-3 classroom libraries

# school fundraising

* Fundscript and Fun Night are our two major school fundraisers, which help provide dollars for extra-curricular programs and field trips. Fun Night is scheduled for April 5th.
* Cargill was a major supporter of our school (Grade 12 scholarship, $ for Outdoor Classroom, $ for nutrition) – we will need to think about how to generate these dollars for the 2023-2024 school year.

# school clothing

* We are hoping to work with a local screen printer and do another clothing order at the end of October (so families/students can try things on during conferences)

# MSS and Edsby

* Edsby is sort of like Facebook but helps you manage attendance, announcements, general communication with school.
* MSS is system on our end – how we communicate with Ministry and where we store student data.
* We are all working to implement these two new systems.

# School Learning Improvement Plan

* We have three main focuses for the year:
  + How can we improve literacy levels for our K-6?
    - Literacy Intervention Groups
    - Consistency in programming
    - Focus on conferring
  + How can we foster caring and kindness in our students?
    - Continued use of Zones of Regulation
    - Homeroom philosophy in Grade 6,7,8
    - Carepartners
  + How can we better connect students to our school community?
    - Crusader Crew
    - School environment (library, fitness room)

# Financial Report

* Remaining from 2022 - $1423.77 (accounts for overpayment to S. Chelak)
* Budget for 2023 - $2000.00
* Require a motion in our minutes to pay $500 for Welcome back BBQ

Total available for 2022/2023 school year = $2923.77