

SCC Principal's Report

Currently in exam week. We are two weeks ahead of other schools. By the end of the year we will be a month ahead.

Print Report Cards will be going out next Thursday. Honour Roll letters will follow by about a week or two.

MHS Drama Club presents *The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde*. January 28 – 30. Student Matinees on the 28th and 29th (grade 8s from Valley and Venture will be invited). Evening Dessert Theatre performances take place on the 29th and 30th. Friday's performance is almost sold out.

Grade 10s out trip to North Battleford (Skiing option and Pool / Art Gallery option) in March.

Grade 11 out trip and retreat will take them to Camp Kadesh in March as well. The grade 11 retreat is focused around helping our grade 11's prepare for grade 12 and beyond – making commitments to school, to themselves, friends and family. This was a very powerful experience for all involved last year.

Grade 9 students will have an out trip in May (13 - 15)

Grad is on the 15th.

About 45 of our students will participate in PISA again this year. This is the international survey of student knowledge that is used to rank a country's educational programs and many other items.

The MHS Voyage Club will be leaving for Europe from April 5th – 17th. The group is really excited and have been working toward this trip for two years. Sadly, we are uncertain about the future of the MHS travel program due to the Board's decision to remove Voyage Clubs from its umbrella of authority.

Our Jr Boys BBall team played really well on this weekend. Ms. Bader is the staff liason.

Sr. Girls are going to a tournament this weekend.

Teachers took some time at today's staff meeting to review our ERPP documents and consider planning for emergencies outside of the 5 period school day (before & after school and at lunch). We will be consulting with Division Office ERPP people to help us solidify planning in this area.

All three Martensville will be meeting with the City's Emergency Measures person next month to look at how we might best work together in larger emergency situations.