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Notes from Admin

Thank you to everyone who contributed to staff appreciation week this week. We are so grateful for all of the snacks, treats, lunch, gifts and well wishes. We have truly been spoiled by you and it is a pleasure to work with your children. Thank you.

As you have received notification from PSSD, when we return after the break, our school operations will be changing. On Monday, February 28, we will move to a mask friendly environment. We are respectful of the personal choices made by families and staff, and we ask you to please have conversations with your children about those personal choices and respectful actions towards everyone.

We are excited to welcome families back into our school, however, please continue to self-monitor. Please stay home if you are ill. If your child comes to school and obviously has symptoms, we will be phoning you to come pick up your child, as we have done in the past. Thank you for your support in keeping our school a healthy and safe place to learn.

We look forward to begin planning activities and events again, such as field trips and noon hour activities. For parents who wish to keep their children at home for an extended period of time, please be in contact with us for more information about PSSD educational programs and at-home learning opportunities. A reminder that if a parent chooses to keep their child at home, it is not an expectation of the teacher to provide learning opportunities for them.

PVS Admin Team



Upcoming Events

Feb 21-25 No School
March 7 – No School
March 11 – Animal Day
March 17 – Dress up green and gold day
March 25 – Grade 5 and 6 Curling Bonspiel
March 25 – Progress Reports



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Kindergarten Loves!

February is the month of LOVE! Throughout this month, the Kindergarten students have read many stories and poems about love and kindness. This has led to many discussions and activities about what it means to be kind and show love towards others and how to be a good friend. They have each shared what their thoughts on what love may look like, feel like and sound like. Here are some of the ways they have shared about times they have felt loved or have shown love to others.

K1: Giving someone a hug. -B.R. Giving Pizza to somebody. -N.F. I love my mommy. -C.S.
I love Cole and Brielle. – G.L. Sharing and being nice. -V.H. I would read a book to my sister. -M.S.
I colour with my sister. -I.D. I love my daddy. -J.D. My mom made a sticky note that said 'I love you'. – A.P.
Giving someone some of my toys. -J.E. My mom feeds me. -Z.A. I love Zander and I give him a hug. -S.A.
I like to hug my mommy and sleep in the bed with her and give her a hug and a kiss. -L.L.

When you share love to someone, you hug them to make them happy and
I love the whole entire class. – C.A.

K2: When I was taking the dishes to the dishwasher, that showed love. – E.S.

Giving someone a present. -S.Ba. Giving people candy. -L.J. Hugs. – N.S.
Hugs and Kisses. -T.S. My cousin gave me candy. -M.A.
I helped my mom do laundry. – K.B.
Giving people hearts. – S.Bo

Going to stores with love to get stuff and games. And playing with friends if they're lonely. -H.D.

If they don't have a jacket, you can give them an extra jacket. -R.H.

When you do something with your family that is nice. -M.D. Playing games with my brother. – B.D.

Giving someone a hug if they are scared of lightning. -W.T. Giving people a toy. -T.M.

My mom told me to clean up and she only had to tell me once. -E.J.

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School Community Update

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February 2022



School Community Council Update

Congratulations to Mrs. Tyndall's and Ms. Ivey's classes as they were selected as the classroom winners of our winter window decorating contest held in December! Both classes received a pizza party.

Our annual staff appreciation week occurred this week. We were able to provide donated treats throughout the week as well as a pizza lunch. It is really great to see our community working together to support our school, staff, and students. Thank you to everyone who took the time to celebrate our staff and contribute.



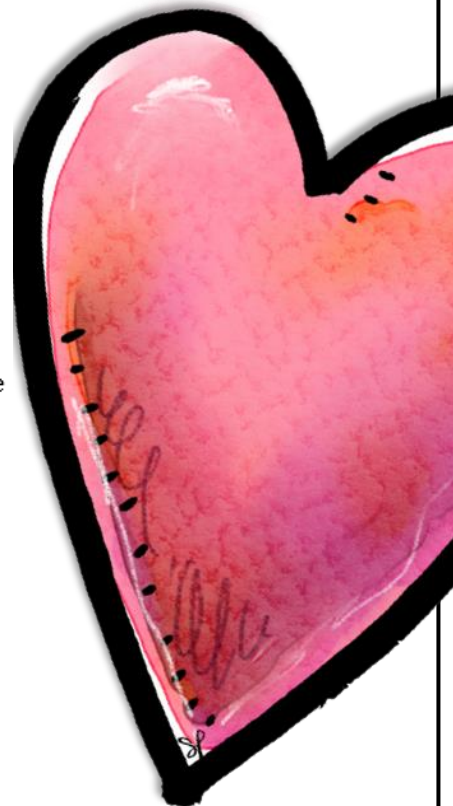
We have in the planning stages a few activities we hope to be able to do this spring. One of them, Family Bingo, was our last SCC family activity held in February 2020. Our January 20 meeting had to move online but we are hopeful to return in-person for our March 17 meeting. Free childcare is provided, and all parents and community members are welcome to attend. If you wish to attend or add something to the agenda, please contact the SCC Chair.

Scott Burant, SCC Chair

SCC Members include Melissa Buhler, Scott Burant, Kerri Gates, David Maier, Tara Mayor, Damaris Rempel and Carlena Scriven. PVS Representatives include Lesa Heath, Lee Coates and Rona Roth.



We're on Facebook!





We hope you will help us fundraise once again for Telemiracle. **This year our fundraiser is online through the Telemiracle website.**

Our school wants to raise as much money as we can and we have an incentive that we think is **SO EXCITING!**

When you make your donation through our online fundraiser you will be entered into a school draw for a \$150 Travelodge gift card so that your family can enjoy a **staycation** and their waterpark! (Donation deadline March 6)

One draw ticket will be issued for each \$5 value.

ie) If you were to make a \$20 donation you would be entered into the school draw with 4 entries.

The draw will be held the week of March 7th.

If you would rather keep your name anonymous online, you are welcome to email a screen shot of your completed donation to Mrs. Tew and your draw tickets will be entered.

(lisa.tew@spiritsd.ca)

Below is our school campaign page link!

<https://telemiracle.micharity.com/product/prairie-view-school-telemiracle-fundraiser/>

Donation receipts are issued by the Kinsmen and Kinettes every Wednesday through email for qualifying donations *\$10 and higher.