

# RCS BULLETIN

**ROSTHERN COMMUNITY SCHOOL — Relationships, Courage, Success**

Hello parents and guardians! Wow what a month September has been!

Students are full into their curriculum outcomes! We will have a round of Circle Letters and Learning Conferences taking place in October. These are both great opportunities for staff and students to share their learning journey, what they are learning and how they know they are successful in learning it!

**Extracurricular:** We are so excited to be offering junior boys and girls volleyball, senior boys and girls volleyball, football, SRC and a variety of clubs starting up. We are in full swing, students are so excited and wow does this take a lot of volunteer power! Without volunteers to coach, manage and score keep our teams would not exist. If you get a chance to thank a volunteer this month please do so! I know Mr. Luiten and I are so grateful for all of our volunteers who provide many opportunities for our students to participate in!

**The Huskies Café:** The lunch program will begin on **Tuesday, October 12!** To start our program off we will be offering it Tuesdays (Baked Spaghetti and Caesar Salad) and Thursdays (Taco in a Bag) and only to Grade 7-12 for the month of October. Students will need to purchase a punch card, as we will only be serving punch cards.. no cash! Students can purchase a \$20.00 punch card for 10 lunches, or a \$40.00 for 20 lunches at the office. Yes!! You read that correctly! For the month of October, lunches will be a special price of **\$2.00!** As we get more sure of our plan we will include more days and more classes. Future planning includes: offering the program every day and including Grades 4-12, with special days for K-3 classes!

**Pizza Fundraising:** We are continuing with the fundraising for our future accessible playground. Our next fundraising adventure will be..... **Little Caesars Pizza!** Last year this little fundraiser was great for our playground efforts! Please see the photos below of the FUTURE accessible playground space! We hope to share the total funds raised and yet to raise after this fundraiser!

**Truth and Reconciliation Day:** On Wednesday, September 29th our school recognized the importance of the work of Truth and Reconciliation. This learning is integrated into our provincial outcomes and we hope that our students can respond to these two questions: What is the significance of Truth and Reconciliation Day and why is it important to recognize the important work of Reconciliation. There is no school on Thursday, Sept. 30th.

**Halloween:** We will be sending out an email closer to Halloween. As of right now we are planning for a covid friendly and fun way to participate in Halloween. Stay tuned!

At this time, we would just like to extend our sincerest thank-you to the Rosthern parents for entrusting your children with us at RCS. We appreciate working alongside you to create the best learning opportunity for you child. We are so lucky to work in such a wonderful community!

Have a great October everyone!

Andrea Foster—[andrea.foster@spiritsd.ca](mailto:andrea.foster@spiritsd.ca)

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## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

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**Monday, October 4th—Picture Day**

**Friday, October 8th—No School Prep/PD Day**

**Monday, October 11th—No School—Thanksgiving**

**Friday, October 15th—Circle Letters—Grades 7-12**

**Wednesday, October 27th—Picture Retakes**

**Thursday, October 28th—Parent/Teacher Interviews—Grades 1-12**

### **Late and Absence Call Outs:**

We have an electronic call out system to inform families of any late arrivals and any absences that have not been parent excused. This important system allows both staff and family to make sure students are where they are supposed to be. **Call outs are sent at 9:15, 1:15, and 5:00.**

If you forgot to excuse your child for the day before the 1st call out, you can still call or email the office to clear the call out for the rest of the day.

[rca@spiritsd.ca](mailto:rca@spiritsd.ca) or 232-4868

### **Thank you!!**

Thank you to Amanda Rudyck & Nikki Rudolph for each donating \$200 from the Affinity Credit Union Community Spirit Fund.





## Little Caesars Pizza Fundraiser

We will be holding our annual Little Caesars Pizza Fundraiser this October—order forms will be sent home with your child **October 1st.**

**Forms Due: October 12th**

**Delivery/Pick up date: October 27 (tentative)**

Money raised will go towards RCS accessible playground - *see pictures below*



RCS accessible playground coming soon!!

Thank you for your continued support!

## PAA Shed Project

Our grade 11 & 12 Industrial Arts class is hoping to continue building sheds for the community. Our class is scheduled for the spring term—middle of April until the end of June. The plan will be for us to complete one or two sheds (depending on interest and class enrolment). We are hoping to find some interested parties (community members, businesses, etc.) who would help us out by buying the finished shed(s) for the cost of the materials that go into them.

Sheds are completely customizable to the size that you need and can be finished to match existing buildings.

If you are interested in more information, please call Patrick Wills at the school at 306-232-4868 or email [Patrick.wills@spiritsd.ca](mailto:Patrick.wills@spiritsd.ca)





September 22, 2021



## **YOUR VOICE MATTERS – STUDENT VOICE SURVEY**

### **INFORMATION FOR PARENTS**

Dear parents:

Prairie Spirit School Division is collecting student voice from our students in grades 6-12. A short monthly survey will be used to gather information on student experiences at school. This information will be used for planning and evaluating the work being done in our schools and across the Division.

The surveys are anonymous. No individual student information will be collected, and a summary of the responses will be shared with schools and, when appropriate, parents, students and School Community Councils.

The theme of the survey for the first two months of the school year will be mental health and well-being.

If you have any questions, please contact Liana Mckinley [liana.mckinley@spiritsd.ca](mailto:liana.mckinley@spiritsd.ca)

Regards,

Mitch Luiten—Principal