



THE SOUTH CORMAN PARK SCOOP

March 2024

UPCOMING DATES:

MARCH:

- Mar. 1 – School wide field trip – Persephone Theatre / Eastview Bowl
- Mar. 5 – Gr. 2 Long John fundraiser delivery day!
- Mar. 7 – Booster Juice
- Mar. 11 – **NO SCHOOL**
- Mar. 12 – SCC Hot lunch – Family Pizza
- Mar. 18-24 – Domino’s Pizza Fundraiser
- Mar. 20 & 21 – Parent Teacher Conferences
- Mar. 21 – NU 2 U Book Fair
- Mar. 22 – **NO SCHOOL – Day In Lieu**
- Mar. 28 – Last day of classes before Spring Break
- Mar. 28 – SCC Hot lunch – Boston Pizza
- Mar. 29 - **NO SCHOOL**

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Blue = Kindergarten days

APRIL:

- Mar. 29 – Apr. 5 – Spring Break
- Apr. 8 – Classes resume after break
- Apr. 11 – SCC Steak Night at Sports On Tap
- Apr. 12 – SCC Hot lunch – Domino’s
- Apr. 18 – Kinder Play Day – 3:45-4:45pm
- Apr. 22 – **NO SCHOOL** – Teacher Prep Day
- Apr. 23 – SCC Hot lunch - Subway



Please send in your gently used books to donate. Students will receive a "ticket" for each book they donate, which they can use to "shop" for new books, "buy" books for their classroom, or share with friends and classmates.

Do you have gently used books that your family has outgrown or books that your family has already read and you're ready to pass on?

South Corman Park School is introducing a NU 2 U book fair!

Students can bring in gently used books to donate between March 18-21. For each book students bring in, they will receive a ticket, which they'll be able to use to "buy" books on March 21.

Each class will have a shopping time and we'll leave the NU 2 U book fair open for parents to "shop" during parent conferences that evening.

(Our grade 7s and 8s will be gone on their ski trip on March 21, but don't worry--they'll get an alternate day for their book shopping!)

Registration for 2024–2025 has started!

If you have a child or children that will be attending school at SCP in the fall of 2024 or if you are considering SCP for your child or children, please call (306-477-0001) or email the school (scp@spiritsd.ca). The child must be 5 years of age on or before December 31, 2024, to register for Kindergarten.

Children currently registered at SCP do not need to be registered again.

Changes to enrolment: Please advise us as soon as possible if your child will not be returning in the fall.

Staffing decisions can begin in March so your earliest attention to this would be appreciated.

We invite you to visit the following [link](#) which contains a few short videos on the importance your role as parents is regarding at home learning with your young child(ren) as their first teacher to their development



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Parent Teacher Conferences:

Parent conferences are scheduled for the evenings of March 20 and 21. March conferences are by request. If your child's teacher is requesting a parent conference, you will receive a note in Edsby, and conferences can be booked through the Edsby app.



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**SCC Corner:**

The March hot lunch dates are:

- Tuesday March 12 – Family Pizza
- Thursday March 28 – Boston Pizza

All hot lunch orders and payments are processed via [www.healthyhunger.ca](http://www.healthyhunger.ca). Orders must be placed five days prior to the scheduled hot lunch date.

**Steak Night:**

The SCC invites you to join us for a Steak Night Fundraiser! Your support will help create a more accessible and inclusive playground for all students.

Event Details

- Date: Thursday, April 11th
- Location: Sports on Tap ([2606 Lorne Ave](http://2606LorneAve.com))
- Cocktails: 6 PM
- Supper: 7 PM

Tickets are \$25 and available on RYCOR from now until April 7th. **Steak night attendees must be 19+ years old.**

The evening will include a Silent Auction and 50/50 draw. **We're seeking donations for the Silent Auction: If you or your business would like to contribute items, please contact us at [southcormanparkscc@gmail.com](mailto:southcormanparkscc@gmail.com).**





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### From the Office:

#### SCP School Handbook:

Check out our SCP School Handbook on our school webpage! You'll find lots of helpful information about busing, field trips, the milk program....and much more!

Click on the book to check out our newly updated School Handbook!



Click me!!

#### Domino's Pizza Fundraiser:

This month from March 18-24, buy pizzas from Domino's and \$5 will be donated back to SCP! These funds will be used in conjunction with the SCC in the implementation of adding onto our playground to make it accessible to all students. See the attached [poster](#).

So don't delay – go get your pie today!!

#### Booster Juice:

The proceeds from Booster Juice sales through Healthy Hunger will be put towards our outdoor learning space. We can say it's safe to say that both students and staff thoroughly enjoy the special area dedicated to learning outdoors – and we're all looking forward to utilizing it this Spring!

#### Newsletter Activity:

Congrats to Jan/Feb winners!!

Click [here](#) to have a look at this month's newsletter activity!



#### Kindergarten Ice Cream Parlour!





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**Cold Weather Gear:**

Cold weather is a reality for much of the year in Saskatchewan.

Our school wants our students to be able to enjoy being outside for recesses, weather permitting. We also want students to be safe on their bus/car ride to and from school. Please consider the temperature and weather conditions when assisting your child with clothing for the day.

- We expect **all** students to have outdoor winter gear once colder weather hits. This should include mitts, hat, neck warmer, boots, coat, ski pants.
- Most winter days will require a bare minimum of coat and mitts for our **grade 6-8** students, but **K-5** will be expected to gear up for each recess.
- Ski pants are required for students playing on hills.
- On colder days, we will require **all** students to wear **full** winter gear.
- For students of all ages, a change of clothes is helpful if clothing gets wet or need an additional layer.

We check the weather conditions before each recess. There will be times when the weather and the wind chill are deemed too cold for outdoor recess. Everyone will stay in on those days. Otherwise, students are expected to go out for recess.



**Bus Cancellations:**

When weather is extreme, and/or when temperatures (with wind chill) hit -45, schools typically remain open, but buses don't run. If weather/road conditions improve, buses will run at the end of the school day.

You can check the website <https://www.spiritsd.ca/buses/> for updates between 6 and 6:30 am and between 12 and 1 pm. Please feel comfortable making the decision that's safest for your family and let the office and your child's teacher know if your child will not be at school.

*Parent Pick Up and Drop Off*

**Morning Drop-Off** - When buses are not running, parent vehicles can enter through the north entrance on Baker Road, forming a single file drop-off line parallel to the sidewalk in front of the school. Please have students exit the vehicle curbside adjacent to the front doors. Vehicles can then proceed south and exit east to Range Road. Students are welcome to enter through the front doors.

**Afternoon Pick-Up** -

Loading Zone pick-up - 2:20-3:20

Based on buses, students can be picked up during the following times:

- 2:20-2:30—Darlene's bus
- 2:30-2:40—Jared's bus
- 2:40-2:50—Myles' bus
- 2:50-3:00—Janice's bus
- 3:00-3:10—Leanne's bus
- 3:10-3:20—parent-driven students

Vehicles can line up adjacent to the sidewalk, facing in a southern direction and a staff member will send your child out to the vehicle. **Please make sure your child is able to recognize your vehicle.**

*\*We recognize that this might not be convenient in all situations; please contact the office if you need to make alternate arrangements.\**

**Staggered pick up times will only apply when buses are cancelled due to weather.**