



## FEBRUARY 2025

Dear ÉWES Families,

The month of February is upon us, and we are grateful for so many things happening out at about at ÉWES!! Our staff is working very hard on our Reconciliation school goal and are participating in a Residency with Prairie Spirit's Indigenous Perspectives, Partnerships and Outcomes Strategic Facilitators. Together, they are looking at our curriculum, units and lesson plans, resources and classroom libraries to ensure a deeper understanding and accurate teaching of Treaty Outcomes in our classrooms. We are also blessed to have visits from Indigenous and Métis speakers and storytellers to extend our learning which reaches the classroom. Our students are very excited for their upcoming care partner activity where they get to collaborate and reflect on "what actions can we take to show our appreciation towards the land?" We can't wait to add student voice to our goal wall in this month's prompt!!

We are also pleased that we have been able to complete our bus evacuation drills with the Transportation department and will work with our local School Resource Officer from the RCMP to assist us in completing our next Lockdown drill. These important procedure practices help us tremendously to improve our practice and to ensure we are prepared in case of emergency, helping keep our school and students safe at school and while on the bus.

Now that Kindergarten registration is open, please remind your neighbour to get registered if they have school-aged children. All the information is on Edsby and the PSSD website and we look forward to offering wonderful French Immersion and English options again next fall!!

We wish you a wonderful month as a family and a restful February break.

Yours in Learning,  
Mrs. Olson (Principal) and Mrs. Lockinger (Vice Principal)



### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

#### **February**

Indigenous Storytelling Month

#### **February 1**

Pre-K Registration Opens

#### **February 3-7**

French as a Second Language  
Week

#### **February 5**

World Read Aloud Day

#### **February 6 & 7**

Progress Reports - Kindergarten

#### **February 10-14**

Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week

#### **February 12**

SRC "Crushin' It" Valentine Sale

#### **February 13**

Healthy Hunger – Quiznos

#### **February 14**

Valentine's Day  
SRC Heartfelt Spirit Day - "Wear  
Your Love"

#### **February 14**

SRC "Crushin' It" Valentine Sale

#### **February 17-21**

Winter Break/ No School

#### **February 25**

SRC "Dress Like 100-year-old on  
the 100<sup>th</sup> day of School"

#### **February 26**

Pink Shirt Day - Be Kind and Lift  
Each Other Up!

#### **February 26**

Healthy Hunger – Taco Time

#### **February 28**

SRC Imitation Celebration Spirit  
Day – "Dress as your favourite  
teacher/student"



# REGISTERING FOR 2025/2026 MATERNELLE/KINDERGARTEN

## Registration Is Open!

IF YOUR CHILD WILL BE FIVE YEARS OLD BY DECEMBER 31, 2025 (BORN IN 2020), IT'S TIME TO REGISTER FOR KINDERGARTEN IN WARMAN FOR THE 2025/26 SCHOOL YEAR!  
FOLLOW THIS LINK FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
[WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN IN WARMAN](#)

### TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD:

1. GO TO THE FOLLOWING LINK: [PSSD STUDENT REGISTRATION FORM](#)
2. USE SEPTEMBER 2, 2025 (DEFAULT), AS THE "START DATE" ON THE REGISTRATION FORM
3. SELECT "WARMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS" AS THE SCHOOL IN THE DROPDOWN MENU
4. FOR PROGRAM, SELECT EITHER ENGLISH OR FRENCH IMMERSION
5. SELECT A SCHOOL PREFERENCE, IF YOU HAVE ONE
6. CHECK OUT THE [WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN RESOURCE](#) ON THE REGISTRATION PAGE



**ÉCOLE WARMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**  
403 - 4TH STREET WEST, WARMAN, SK 306-933-2066  
\*DUAL-TRACK SCHOOL, OFFERING PROGRAMS IN BOTH ENGLISH AND FRENCH IMMERSION



## Applications are now being accepted for 2025-2026 Pre-kindergarten

Prekindergarten (Pre-k) is active, experiential learning through play for 3 or 4 year old children (born 2021 or 2022)!

Please go to the Prairie Spirit website to complete an online application.



## Board of Education BY-ELECTION

**Subdivision 3:**

**Borden and Langham**

**Wednesday, March 19, 2025**

**Nomination deadline:  
February 12, 2025**



PRAIRIE SPIRIT  
SCHOOL DIVISION

Saskatchewan  
 Indigenous  
 Storytelling  
 Month

2025

FEBRUARY IS INDIGENOUS STORYTELLING MONTH. DURING THE WINTER MONTHS, THE TRADITION OF STORYTELLING IS A CHERISHED GIFT AND IMPORTANT TRADITION TO PASS ON KNOWLEDGE FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION, SHARING CULTURE, HISTORY, TEACHINGS, SPIRITUALITY, AND LANGUAGE

February 14<sup>th</sup>  
 SRC Heartfelt Spirit Day - "Wear Your Love"



February 25<sup>th</sup>  
 SRC "Dress Like 100-year-old on the 100<sup>th</sup> day of School"

February 28<sup>th</sup>  
 SRC Imitation Celebration Spirit Day - "Dress as your favourite teacher/student"

ÉWES  
**Stitch & Yarn Club**  
 Grades 4 - 7

STITCH AND YARN CLUB IS CONTINUING SEWING THEIR HEART MOBILE THROUGH THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

The graphic includes illustrations of sewing tools like scissors, thread, buttons, and heart-shaped fabric pieces.

ÉCOLE WARMAN  
 ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
 GRADE 5-7 DEBATE CLUB

THE DEBATE CLUB WILL CONTINUE TO MEET ON THURSDAYS AT LUNCH UNTIL FEBRUARY BREAK. WE ARE ENJOYING OUR TIME LEARNING TO DEBATE ABOUT VARIOUS TOPICS AND ARE CURRENTLY DEBATING WHETHER OR NOT IT WOULD BE GOOD TO BE FAMOUS. WHAT DO YOU THINK? 🤔

The background shows silhouettes of people at debate podiums.



# ÉWES INDOOR RELAY RUN CLUB

## Grade 4-7

**Congratulations** to all our running athletes who participated in the Knights of Columbus Meet on Jan 23 and 24<sup>th</sup>. They trained, ran hard, supported one another, and were rewarded with a great sense of accomplishment at the finish line. Our training continues every Wednesday after school from 2:45-3:45 and Thursday's at lunch recess as we look to refine our running form and baton passes for our final meet called the PR Meet on February 12. *Good luck to all our athletes participating!*

Upcoming running opportunities for the spring include [Marafun training](#) (for grades 3-7) Look for more information in the March/April newsletter.

A save the date reminder; we will be organizing another school family team for the [Step Up 5K Run](#) held in Saskatoon on Sunday, September 21. Registration opens the beginning of May so stay tuned for more details and reminders in the May newsletter.

# ÉWES CHESS CLUB

**GRADES 3 & 4**

The grade 3 and 4 Chess Club is buzzing with excitement as students sharpen their strategic thinking and problem-solving skills! Whether beginners or experienced players, everyone is learning new tactics and enjoying friendly competition. We're looking forward to more engaging matches as we sharpen our skills! The grade 4's meet on Wednesday at noon and the grade 3's meet Thursday's at noon.



# ÉWES BASKETBALL SKILLS CLUB

OUR GRADE 5, 6, AND 7 BASKETBALL SKILLS GROUP IS OFF TO AN EXCITING START! STUDENTS ARE BUILDING THEIR SKILLS IN DRIBBLING, PASSING, SHOOTING, AND TEAMWORK THROUGH FUN DRILLS AND PRACTICE GAMES. WITH A FOCUS ON FUNDAMENTALS, PLAYERS ARE IMPROVING THEIR CONFIDENCE. WE'RE THRILLED TO SEE THE GROWTH AND ENERGY FROM ALL THE PARTICIPANTS AND LOOK FORWARD TO MORE PROGRESS!



**JOIN NOW!**



In support of



ÉWES WILL HAVE HELPING HANDS AVAILABLE FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY IN SUPPORT OF TELEMIRACLE 49. FOR EVERY \$2 DONATION THAT A STUDENT BRINGS IN, THEY WILL RECEIVE A HELPING HAND TO ADD THEIR NAME TO AND STICK ON OUR LOBBY WALL. A HUGE THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CONTRIBUTES TO HELPING HAND WALL THIS MONTH - WE ARE SO PROUD OF OUR SCHOOL!!

**TOP SECRET**

**EWES SECRET AGENTS OF KINDNESS! CALLING ALL GRADE 3 STUDENTS!**



**TOP SECRET**

THE SUPER SECRET KINDNESS AGENTS ARE FORMING A SPECIAL SQUAD, AND YOU CAN BE PART OF IT! AS A SECRET AGENT, YOUR MISSION IS TO CARRY OUT UNDERCOVER ACTS OF KINDNESS THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL. ARE YOU READY TO ACCEPT THE MISSION OF SPREADING JOY? GRAB YOUR SPY GEAR (AND YOUR KIND HEART) - YOUR FIRST MISSION IS AT LUNCH ON WEDNESDAY FEB 5 IN MRS. HOANG'S CLASSROOM!

THANK YOU FOR BEING WONDERFUL!  
**HAPPY TEACHER & STAFF APPRECIATION DAY**

FEBRUARY 10-14, 2025

# ÉWES DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

**Grade 6 & 7 Club**



# École Warman Elementary School Healthy Hunger Information

Healthy Hunger is Back!! École Warman Elementary will once again be offering hot lunches through the Healthy Hunger program for the 2024-2025 school year. **Proceeds will be going toward the school enhancement fundraising initiatives.**

Healthy Hunger Lunch ordering is offered to all staff and students from K-Grade 7. Please note however, that for kindergarten classes, Healthy Hunger will alternate between Kindergarten A and B Days. **Please only order for kindergarten students on their attending day - double check your calendars!**

## Schedule:

February 13<sup>th</sup> - Quiznos - Kindergarten B & Grades 1-7. (Newly Added)

February 26<sup>th</sup> - Taco Time - Kindergarten A & Grades 1-7. (Newly Added)

March 27<sup>th</sup> - Booster Juice - Kindergarten B & Grades 1-7. (Newly Added)

April 30<sup>th</sup> - Subway - Kindergarten A & Grades 1-7. (Newly Added)

May 14<sup>th</sup> - Quiznos - Kindergarten A & Grades 1-7. (Newly Added)

May 29<sup>th</sup> - Venice House - Kindergarten B & Grades 1-7. (Newly Added)

June 4<sup>th</sup> - Booster Juice - Kindergarten A & Grades 1-7. (Newly Added)



If you already have an account, please proceed to the Healthy Hunger website ([www.healthyhunger.ca](http://www.healthyhunger.ca)) and log into your account. At the end of the school year Healthy Hunger always erases your child(ren) from your account so you will be prompted to add your child(ren) and which grade/teacher they are with for this school year. **Please ensure that you select the city/town as Warman and the school as École Warman Elementary School.** Once you have added your child(ren) you are then able to place your order. If you are new and have not created an account, please proceed to the Healthy Hunger website, and click the green *Learn More* button under Parents and then sign up for a free account.

- Once you are into your account you will notice that the hot lunch options/dates have been set up for the remainder of the school year (more dates will follow). If you would like to proceed and order all your lunches "available to date" you can. At any time, you may log back into your account to make changes to your orders.

If you have any questions regarding the lunches, please contact the school at [wes@spiritsd.ca](mailto:wes@spiritsd.ca). If you have questions or require technical help with the Healthy Hunger website, please call their helpline at 1-800-818-6260.

This option involves use of a third-party on-line scheduler. By using the service, you understand that Healthy Hunger is not affiliated with Ecole Warman Elementary School and that you are trusting Healthy Hunger with data you enter. Healthy Hunger's privacy policy can be found at [https://healthyhunger.ca/privacy\\_policy.php](https://healthyhunger.ca/privacy_policy.php)

**Thank You EWES Families!**  
With every Healthy Hunger Lunch purchased, fundraising dollars are collected and used towards enhancing our school environment. Currently our fundraising initiatives include classroom trips, the breakfast club and our future outdoor classroom space!

thank you



Thank you  
For Your Support

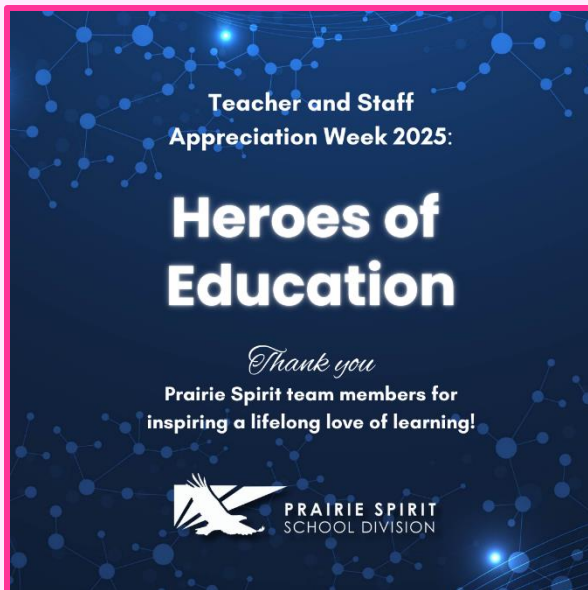
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SUPPORTING SPORT, CULTURE AND RECREATION IN SASKATCHEWAN!

EWES thanks SASK LOTTERIES for their donation which was used towards the purchase of basketballs and shot put for sport and recreation at our school!

## A Message from Our SCC ....

February has arrived and with that brings Teacher & Staff appreciation week!! February 9-15th, this year's theme is Hero's of Education! The teachers and staff at ÉWES work so hard every day to give our children a positive and safe environment to learn and grow in. So, thank you to all the teachers and staff for all you do in and out of the classroom. You are appreciated more than you can imagine! If you have a chance be sure to send a homemade card, a coffee or even a kind message to your favourite ÉWES staff member. February break is fast approaching, the SCC hopes you have a safe and restful break!



Teacher and Staff  
Appreciation Week 2025:

# Heroes of Education

Thank you  
Prairie Spirit team members for  
inspiring a lifelong love of learning!

PRAIRIE SPIRIT  
SCHOOL DIVISION

Join the SCC in celebrating our heroic teachers and staff during Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week, February 10-14!

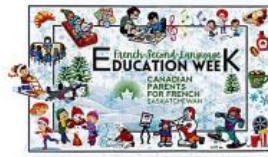
This year's theme is "Heroes of Education"

Papers will be coming home with your children later this week to fill out and return to their Teacher or EA so check their backpacks!!

Have fun with your child as they fill out this handout to honour our amazing educators!!

Thank you for helping us make them feel like the superhero they are!

~ Ecole Warman Elementary SCC



## French-Second-Language Education Week

February 3-7, 2025

Discover the cool side of French!  
Découvrez le côté cool du français!



### Dr. Hayley Wickenheiser

Four-Time Olympic Gold  
Medalist & Member of the  
Hockey Hall of Fame

Wednesday, February 5, 2025

Zoom

1:30 pm CST

All Grades Welcome

Open to Saskatchewan FSL Schools  
Free of Charge



### Will Stroet &

The Will's Jams Band  
JUNO-Nominated Musician &  
Nationally Recognized Educator

Thursday, February 6, 2025

YouTube Live

1:30 pm CST

Kindergarten to Grade 8

Open to Saskatchewan FSL Schools  
Free of Charge



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PARENTS  
FOR FRENCH  
SASKATCHEWAN

Saskatchewan!



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## ÉWES PINK SHIRT DAY

On Wednesday, February 26th, we'll be celebrating Pink Shirt Day at our school!

This special day is all about being kind, helping others, and standing up to bullying.

The idea started in 2007 when two students wore pink to support a classmate who was being teased. Now, Pink Shirt Day is celebrated all over the world to remind everyone how important it is to treat others with respect and kindness.



HERE'S HOW YOU CAN JOIN IN THE FUN:

- WEAR PINK ON FEBRUARY 26TH TO SHOW THAT YOU CARE ABOUT KINDNESS.
- SAY KIND WORDS TO YOUR FRIENDS AND CLASSMATES.
- BE A HELPER AND INCLUDE OTHERS IN GAMES OR ACTIVITIES.

LET'S WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE OUR SCHOOL A PLACE WHERE EVERYONE FEELS HAPPY, SAFE, AND INCLUDED.