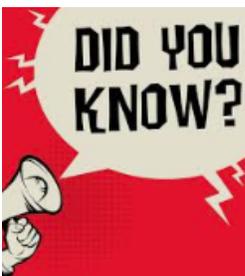


April 17th, 2025

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- April 17th - Grade 7 & 8 Report Cards go home
- April 18th & 21st - Easter Break - NO SCHOOL
- April 22nd - PD Day - NO SCHOOL for Students



PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

...TA Norris and Springfield Elementary School have teamed up for a mentorship program called *Healthy Buddies*. This initiative pairs current Grade 7 students from TAN with Grade 4 students from SES to help build relationships and ease the transition before their transition to TAN in the fall.

Change can be challenging—especially when it means leaving a school you've called home for five years. With new teachers, unfamiliar hallways, and a different learning environment ahead, it's natural for students to feel a bit anxious. *Healthy Buddies* is designed to ease those worries by giving students a chance to connect, ask questions, and get familiar with their future school.

Through the program, students take part in fun icebreaker activities, learn how to use a combination lock (a new skill for incoming Grade 5s!), tour the building, visit their future classroom, and meet some of the teachers and Grade 7 students—who will become the Grade 8 leaders next year.

This program has been a meaningful and positive experience for both schools. It helps students feel more confident and prepared for the move, and we're truly thankful for the ongoing support from the SES staff and administration who continue to make this initiative possible.



SCHOOL GROUNDS

With warmer weather approaching, I've noticed that some students are interested in heading out over the lunch/recess break. If you would like for your child to have permission to leave school grounds during this time, we ask that you please give consent via email to tanorris@prsd.ab.ca



GRADE 7 & 8 REPORT CARDS - THURSDAY APRIL 17th, 2025

Report Cards will be going home today April 17th, 2025 for our Grade 7 & 8 Students.

Bookings will be available online on April 15th, 2025.

<https://www.tanorrismiddleschool.ca/bookings>

Parent Teacher Conferences are April 22nd & April 24th, 2025



GRADE 6 EDMONTON TRIP FEES

The Fees for our Grade 6 Edmonton trip (May 15-16, 2025) have now been posted in school cash. <https://www.schoolcashionline.com/>



SCHOOL FEES

Please ensure all school fees are up-to-date for your child to participate in the upcoming **Grade 6 Edmonton Trip** and **Grade 8 Camp YoWoChAs Trip**. This includes Sports fees as well as Exploratory fees. Not sure if your fees are paid? You can easily check online <https://www.schoolcashionline.com/> or give us a call at 780-624-3144.



HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

Remember you can purchase a \$60 Lunch card (\$6 per meal for 10 lunches) through your SchoolCash Account so your child doesn't run out <https://prsd.schoolcashionline.com/> Lunch cards will be recorded /tracked in a google document here at the school which will alleviate any lost cards. Students will also be told when they have two lunches remaining on their card; they will need to let you know so you can purchase an additional Lunch Card. The following will be the new menu starting in the New Year:

MONDAY - Kita North (Chicken Balls) & Fried Rice (baked in house)

TUESDAY - Sausage & Perogies

WEDNESDAY - Mac & Cheese with Garlic Toast

THURSDAY - Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup (fundraiser)

FRIDAY - Free Lunch (Hamburger & Veggies)



SCHOOL CASH ACCOUNTS:

All Fees such as Hot Lunch Cards, Hockey Academy, Dance/Gymnastics Academy, Sports Team fees, Yearbook, damaged or lost school textbooks, will appear on your child's account. Please take the time to set up your SchoolCash account and make any fee payments as soon as possible. <https://prsd.schoolcashionline.com/>



ABSENT STUDENTS

TA Norris Middle School has implemented an automated voicemail system to notify parents of their child's absence. These messages will be generated on a daily basis at 9:35am. To ensure smooth communication, please notify the school by email westonan@prsd.ab.ca or phone 780-624-3144 if your child will be absent or late on any given day.

Peace River
MINOR BALL

NOTICE!!

**Registration deadline
for Softball & Baseball
is April 23!**

Find more information on our Facebook page and the links to register!

Montney League Tryouts Tentatively - April 26/27 - 11U, 13U, 15U, & 18U

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NOW OPEN

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IDEAL FOR KIDS 0 - 10 YEARS OLD

EASTER EGG-STRAVAGANZA

Peace Region Family Resource Network PEACE RIVER

KINSMEN PARK APRIL 19 1:00PM - 3:00PM

EASTER EGG HUNT, CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES, AND FUN!