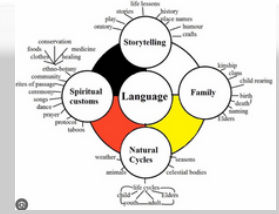




Sacred Heart School *Weekly Update*

Hold the Date

- June 26 - LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
- Aug 28 - Back to School Bar-B-Que
- Sept 2 - 1st Day of School



Cree Word of the Week
Later (see ya later) -
mwestas 7^C^ IPC

Important Links & Contact Information

School Cash

<https://starcatholic.schoolcashonline.com/>

Parent PowerSchool

<https://sh.starcatholic.ab.ca/parents/powerschool>

Attendance Email

sh.lg.attendance@starcatholic.ab.ca

780-352-9355



Hello June

"HAPPINESS is a habit."

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

When children regularly miss school, they miss out on fundamental reading and math skills and the chance to build good attendance habits for the future.



REMINDER: school class hours
are 8:40 - 3:15
doors open @ 8:30 AM



June 23 - June 27, 2025

**June 23
Monday
Day 5**

**June 24
Tuesday
Day 6**

**June 25
Wednesday
Day 1**

**June 26
Thursday
Day 2**

**June 27
Friday
Day**

**Gr 9 Math PAT -
part A**

**Gr 9 Math PAT -
part B**

**Gr 9 Social Studies
- PAT**

**Gr 9~
Science PAT**

**LAST DAY FOR
TEACHERS**

**Gr 7 & 8 - Math
part A Exam
students will leave
the school after
they complete their
exam and are
dismissed**

**Gr 7 & 8 - Math
part B Exam
students will leave
the school after
they complete their
exam and are
dismissed**

**Gr 7 & 8 - Social
Studies Exam
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and are dismissed**

**Sacred Heart
Feast Day Mass**

**Report Cards go
LIVE
on your Parent
PowerSchool**

**Div 2 (GR 4-6)
Trackmeet**

**Year End Mass @
Sacred Heart
Parish**

**Div 1 & 2 Assembly -
theme - KINDNESS**

**Gr 4,5,6
Swimming - PM**

**NO SCHOOL FOR
KINDERGARTEN**

**Welcome to
Kindergarten to
new students by
invitation only**

**NO SCHOOL FOR
KINDERGARTEN**

**NO SCHOOL FOR
KINDERGARTEN**

**LAST DAY OF
SCHOOL**

**NO SCHOOL FOR
KINDERGARTEN**

You can find all the above on our website site below:

<https://sh.starcatholic.ab.ca/>



We have to say Good-Bye...

As the school year comes to a close, we want to take a moment to say goodbye and express our heartfelt thanks to the teachers and EAs who are moving on. Your dedication, compassion, and hard work have made a lasting impact on our school community. You've inspired students, supported colleagues, and helped shape a positive learning environment that will be remembered long after you've gone. Though we're sad to see you leave, we wish you all the best in your next chapter and hope your journey ahead is filled with success, joy, and new opportunities. You will be truly missed!

Christa Howey
Cristina Fischer
Caitlin Hunt
Erin Daly
Melissa Burke
Jason Abtosway

Parent Council for the 2025-2026 School Year



Welcome!

2025-2026 Council Members

Chair- Amanda Johnson

Vice Chair - Sarah Seinen

Treasurer - Aimee Hiebert

Secretary - Tammy Hardie

Fundraising Coordinator & Committee - Sam Ali, Alanda Warford, Cherryl Hackelberg

Resigning Council:

Vice Chair: Ashley Cross

Treasurer: Miranda Hardy

Fundraising: Tanya Hendriks

Thank you to our 2024-2025 Council Members for all their help this past year.

Next Year!



School Supplies

Can be found on our school website:

<https://sh.starcatholic.ab.ca/parents/supply-lists>



Pop Up Navigation Centre

A project of the City of Wetaskiwin's Community Safety & Well-Being Strategy.



Wetaskiwin
THE CITY WE SHARE



One-stop-shop for easy access to local and regional resources.



June 25

11am-6pm



Wetaskiwin
Salvation Army
Main Office.
5102 50 Ave



Transportation
Opportunities
Available through
Brightview
Buslines Ltd



Food and drinks
provided.
Win some swag
and door prizes!

On-site services included, but not limited to:

Mental Health and Addiction Support, Domestic Violence, Health Navigation, Government Financial Assistance, Legal Advice, Virtual Opioid Dependency Program, Employment, FASD Support, Victim Services, Food Insecurity, Housing Support, and Information and Community Referral Services.

Additional partners include:



Transportation for the Navigation Centre



Graciously sponsored by the City of Wetaskiwin



3725 56 ST
SOUTHWEST
CORNER



4407 56 AVE

To increase accessibility,
transportation has been arranged
through Brightview Buslines Ltd.



11AM - PICK UP AT MALL, PICK
UP AT CHURCH, PROCEED TO
VENUE.

12:30 - PICK UP AT VENUE,
PROCEED TO MALL FOLLOWED
BY CHURCH (PICK UPS AND
DROP OFFS) AND RETURN
BACK TO VENUE.

2:00 - SAME ROUTE AS ABOVE.

5:30 - FINAL PICK UP AT VENUE
AND DROP OFF AT MALL
FOLLOWED BY CHURCH.

MOMENTUM SPORTS & ALBERTA BASKETBALL PRESENT

GROW THE GAME BASKETBALL CAMP

JULY 21-25

AGES 8-13

BOYS

8AM-10:30AM

GIRLS

10:30AM- 1PM



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CENTER

BASKETBALL
AND T-SHIRT
INCLUDED!
COST: \$250



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★ MOMENTUMSPORTSCAMPS@GMAIL.COM ★

Summer
Stuff

Hi Parents, Guardians, Staff, and Students,

Summer holidays are fast approaching and with that comes "less" school structure & adult supervision.

That being said, SCREEN time can become a huge problem ~ IF we allow it?!

Having the "tech talk" before they are consumed by "summer boredom" will help with bed time battles, brain fog, addiction, and arguments.

Some recommendations:

<https://protectkidsonline.ca/app/en/>

1. Sit down & talk with your kiddos about all things tech (video games, cell phones, social media, ipads etc.)
2. Discuss your expectations, dealbreakers, non negotiables, healthy & unhealthy usage & screen time.
3. Collectively design a contract / safety plan together.
4. Discuss "screen influence" i.e.: apps, websites, celebrities, influencers, content, and shows that are age appropriate/ not age appropriate.
5. Discuss the hidden dangers and what to do IF they feel uncomfortable about someone/ something.
6. Discuss privacy/ passwords, parent controls, limitations, private VS public access. It is highly encouraged to know your children's passwords ~ this is NOT an invasion of their privacy, this is parenting!
7. Discuss screen time, usage & night time expectations. It is highly encouraged that cell phones do NOT go to bed with your kiddos ~ think "safety!" After all, would you allow a stranger in your kids bedroom for a sleepover? The internet is FULL of adult content, predators, stranger danger, cyber bullying & blackmailing to name a few...

By creating healthy habits, establishing respect & rules around social media, screen time, and video games you will be teaching your child to manage screen time independently, know the dangers, listen to their gut, and trust you, so that they WILL come to you when they need to!!

Lastly, model healthy habits for them ~ monkey see/ monkey do...

Little extra info re: some of the "hidden" dangers & support if needed!

Alberta Integrated Child Exploitation (I.C.E.) Unit is a Provincial Integrated Unit involving the RCMP, the Calgary Police Service, the Edmonton Police Service, the Lethbridge Regional Police Service and the Medicine Hat Police Service. There are two teams; a Northern Alberta Team covering all areas north of Wetaskiwin and a Southern Alberta Team covering all areas south of (and including) Wetaskiwin. Each Team is comprised of a Team Leader, Investigators and Forensic Technicians.

Accessing, possession, distribution, importation, manufacturing of child pornography and any computer-related child sexual abuse
Child luring over the internet

Voyeurism involving victims under the age of 18 years

Child Sex Trade/Tourism

If you have any concerns regarding any of the above-mentioned child exploitation concerns, contact our local Police Department, Edmonton Police Service complaint line or,

www.cybertip.ca

an you believe June is here? We've almost survived another year...

I wanted to emphasize that June isn't just summer fun, sun, and relaxation. June also means good-byes, transitions, year-end assignments, tests, finals, and PATS for some, which can all shake & stress out the calmest of kids.

When it comes to change & goodbyes it is normal for kiddos to feel all the uncomfortable & sad feelings that come with these experiences. Even though it can be tough, allow feelings like sadness to visit and just like a guest in our home and those feelings will leave. Just like the weather changes, so do our feelings! It is important to recognize & name our feelings, as much as it is to experience them. This allows us & our kiddos to "grow" through tough times & overcome obstacles, thus build resiliency and bounce back!

When it comes to the pressure of exams (Finals to PATs) It is important to prepare for them! SMART goals can help with this! See SMART plan below:

SPECIFIC - Focus on the particular test or assignment coming up /due.

MANAGABLE - Break up the work! Do not try to do it all in one day or cram the night before.

ATTAINABLE - I have done it before - I CAN do it again!

REALISTIC - Can I reach the objective/ goal I have set for myself re: tests/ assignments? If you're sitting at 55% – don't expect ONE test or assignment to bring you up to honors in June, however, if you put in the work, the time, the effort – you CAN see positive improvement!

TIMELY - Plan, prep, and allocate a bit of time each day/ night to read, re-read etc.

Parents & Guardians, please remember - your child's Mental Health is more important than their grades! Know we are an email or phone call away! So please let your teaching team, admin, or myself know IF your child needs anything over the next few weeks xo

Love & Blessings,

Ms. Lefebvre, FSLW

Have a great Summer xo

Ms.L



Wetaskiwin & Area

Community Resources

click [HERE](#)



If you are experiencing an emergency, please head to your nearest emergency department, or call 911

About:

This resource was created by the Wetaskiwin & Area Community Collaborative Network. The Wetaskiwin CCN is a collaborative network of different agencies serving Wetaskiwin and the County of Wetaskiwin.

***School Is Closed for the
Summer
See you on September 2nd***

Message from our Principal



Dear Families,

As we wrap up another school year, I want to take a moment - on behalf of all the staff at Sacred Heart School - to sincerely thank you for entrusting us with your children's education. It is truly a privilege to walk alongside you in this journey, and we are grateful for the trust and partnership you've shown us.

Our students have accomplished so much this year, and none of it would be possible without the steady support, encouragement, and commitment from you at home.

In Matthew 11:28, Jesus invites us: "Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest." As summer begins, may we all find the time to pause, rest, and reconnect with the peace that comes from God's unfailing love. Let us continue to guide our children toward that same trust and faith.

Wishing you a joyful, safe, and restorative summer. We look forward to welcoming everyone back in the fall, refreshed and ready for another wonderful year together.

With gratitude and blessings,

Tara McBride

Principal, Sacred Heart School