

Star City
School
Community Council

Star City School Newsletter

April 2019

SR. SRC Update

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**Next SCC
Meeting
Monday
May 27
7:00 pm
Multi Purpose
Room
Star City School
Everyone
welcome!**

Coming off a busy February we took a subdued approach to March. We did however finish the month with a spirit week that was sponsored by SaskMilk. Rylie, our spirit committee coordinator, organized a dress up like a farmer or farm animal day, and a daily cow joke. The week concluded with marvelous performances of cow/milk related songs and raps. Nicely done and thanks for taking part for those who did. The students also enjoyed a scavenger hunt, which had them look for milk prizes that came in the chocolate form! Good job Rylie and helpers on making the week happen.

That describes the end of the month, but what about the start of it? Well, SRC members woke up well before sunrise on the Sunday of Telemiracle and made their way to TCU Place to take part in one of Saskatchewan's most popular events. If you were watching Telemiracle between the hours of 6 and 9am that Sunday morning you would have seen the SRC members hanging those big numbers that updated the totals. The members were able to be involved in this great annual tradition, with the bonus of learning how productions like Telemiracle are put together.

April is now here and a spirit week is lined up ahead of Easter break:

April 15- Bunny Ears day
April 16- Spring Colours Day
April 17- Bunny Hug Day
April 18- Floral Day

~Mr. Burke



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Pre-order Yearbooks

The Yearbook Committee is working to produce a 32 page soft cover yearbook. The yearbook will feature ALL COLOUR pages. The cost is \$5.00 per yearbook. Yearbooks may be pre-ordered by filling out and sending back the following slip to the office to place your order. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Wingert at the school at 863-2353. If paying by cheque please make any cheques payable to NESD #200.

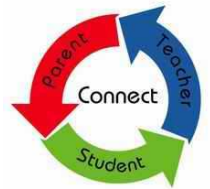
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I wish to order _____ copies of the 2018-2019 yearbook at \$5.00 per book.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Student Led Conferences

Report cards for Semester II Term 3 will be complete on Friday, April 12. We encourage parents to check their child's progress on a regular basis on Students Achieve. Student Led Conferences will be held this reporting period on the evenings of April 16 & 17 5:00 -7:30 pm both evenings. All parents and students are asked to attend this education open house with their child(ren). Specific timeslots will not be assigned this reporting period, parents may visit their child's classroom and teachers at any time on either evening. Report cards will be sent out electronically again this term. If you would like a paper copy, please contact the office 306-863-2353 to request one.



Reminder to Parents

Spring is upon us! Rubber boots are a necessity for Kindergarten—Grade 6 students for recess play and also be sure to mark your child's name in both boots as we have several pair that look exactly the same! Rubber boots, splash pants and an extra set of clothes including socks are a necessity until the playground is dried up!

Reminder to Dog Owners

Please pick up after your pets when you are out for a walk. There are several piles of dog feces on the school playground. We appreciate your help with this problem.



Contact Information Update

Just a reminder to parents that if you have moved, changed employers or have a new cell phone number or home phone number, we would like you to contact the office to update your information. It is important to keep our records current in case we need to contact you or there is an emergency.



Basketball:

The Senior Girls Basketball team ended their season on March 9th at Conferences in St. Brieux. The girls didn't come away with the win, but the girls played hard and it was the end of a great season. Thanks to all fans that came out to support us throughout the season!



Badminton:

The badminton season is flying by! The teams have been practicing for almost a month. The senior team has travelled to Porcupine Plain and Hudson Bay, and has hosted Naicam and Choiceland. The junior team has hosted Notre Dame and has travelled to Bjorkdale to compete. Both teams are working hard, improving, and having some fun along the way. The team consists of Meagan, Hailey, Ethan, Zander, Savannah, Rylie, Dylan, Ava, Konrad, Blake, and Zander. We look forward to finishing off the season strong. The final games for both teams are:

Senior:

Wednesday, April 3rd in Arborfield

Wednesday, April 10th in Tisdale - Pod Playoffs

Thursday, April 18th - NESSAC in Nipawin for teams that advance from Pod Playoffs

Junior:

Tuesday, April 2nd in Melfort

Tuesday, April 9th in Porcupine Plain

Monday, April 15th in Melfort - Pod Playoffs

Thursday, May 2nd - NESSAC in Melfort for teams that advance from Pod Playoffs



Archery

The Star City Archery Club took part in the 3-D Competition held in Tisdale March 16. The Tisdale Wildlife Club sponsored this event and our students did very well, we were successful in placing 1st in the High School Team Division. Archers will travel to the Provincial Competition in Moose Jaw on March 31 to compete against archers from all across the province. The first weekend in May we will travel to Regina for the National Competition. Good luck Falcons!



OverDrive!

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You can use the free OverDrive App to borrow and enjoy digital titles from your library. The overDrive App is available for Android, Chromebook, iOS (iPhone, iPad, iPad touch), Kindle Firetablets, NOOK tablets and Windows 8 and up

Step 1: Install the OverDrive App from your device's app store from app.overdrive.com

Step 2: If prompted, sign into the OverDrive app by clicking the [continue](#) button

Step 3: Click on [add a library](#) by name and enter North East School Division and click on [North East School Division](#) once it appears in the left side menu. Click on [Saskatchewan Schools](#).

Step 4: Select [North East School Division](#) from the drop down menu

Step 5: Click on [sign in](#)

Step 6: Username: [nesd\ use student network username](#) (eg. Nesd\jj123)

Password: [use your network password](#)

Step 7: Borrowed titles appear on your checkouts page. Add titles to your bookshelf in the app. Read, watch or listen to titles right in your browser (without adding them to your app) Checkout limit is 3 titles, hold limit is 3 titles, borrow time for each title is 2 weeks.

Step 8: Please remember to sign out of each session using both of these steps!
Click the [sign out](#) button on the top right hand corner of your screen. Click on the three lines (hamburger menu) in the top left corner of the screen and choose settings, then choose [Delete app cookies and choose to delete them](#). You need to complete both of these steps in order to completely sign out of the app.

- The OverDrive app has been installed on all of the school iPads for student use*
- If you have any questions or need help logging in please contact the school 306-863-2353.
- Convenient 24/7 access to thousands of titles! Students can access a wide range of books from home, on the weekends and during schools breaks. No books to keep track of, the titles automatically check themselves back in after two weeks.

Star City Elks April Brunch

Come out for a delicious breakfast at the Elks Hall

Sunday, April 21st 9:30-11:30 am

Pancakes, sausage, ham, toast,
scrambled eggs, hash browns, toast, fruit & beverage for \$7.00/person



Star City Library Paint Night

**Tuesday, April 16, 2019 at
7:00pm**

**To sign up and pick your
project go to
countrychic.ca**



Star City Library

Ladies Night Out

Saturday, May 4, 2018

Star City Elks Hall

Supper & Entertainment

Supper 6:00 pm

Tickets \$35.00/person

Numerous prizes, silent
auction, raffle items & games!



**KEEP
CALM
AND HAVE
GIRLS
NIGHT OUT!**