



MITCHELL MIDDLE SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER February 2020

Upcoming Events

- Feb 3rd-5th:** The Scholastic Book Fair Jungle!
Our family event will be Tuesday, Feb 4th from 4:30-7:30pm.
- Feb 5th-7th:** Grade 8 Camp Cedarwood Trip.
- Feb 12th:** Parent Teacher Conferences.
- Feb 12th:** MMS Science Fair from 4:00-6:30 pm.
- Feb 20th:** Optimist Festival (Gr. 8 Band).

From the Music Room

On **February 20th**, the grade 8 band students will be going to the Optimist Festival. If you are able to chaperone, please contact Ms. Friesen at keifriesen@hsd.ca. Please make sure to hand in your permission forms.

Our Band trip will be taking place **May 11th-12th**! Planning with the other schools is coming along. It is open to anyone in grade 7 and 8 band. A \$50.00 deposit is due by February 18th. The total cost of the trip is \$250 per student. There will be more information sent home for those who are interested in attending.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Conferences will be held on **Wednesday, February 12th** from 4:30-6:30 pm. These conferences have been scheduled for the middle of Term 2 so that our conversations can help ensure your child's continued growth for the rest of this term. This will help create positive results on the Term 2 Report Card being sent home on **Friday, March 27th**.

A letter has been sent home with your child outlining the process for scheduling the Parent/Teacher Conference appointment times.

Please read the letter carefully and return it to school no later than **Monday, February 3rd** with your teacher selections and preferred times. Every effort will be made to accommodate your request(s). Please contact the school office at 204-320-9488 if you have any questions.



On behalf of Mitchell Middle School and the science program, we would like to invite you to browse the MMS Science Fair projects on **February 12th, 2020** from 4:00-6:30 pm.

There will not be a formal ceremony, but rather an unstructured opportunity to browse the different projects. This happens to be on the same night as parent-teacher interviews, so feel free to browse before and after the interview!



The Scholastic Book Fair Jungle! **February 3rd-5th**

Join us for the Family Event: Tuesday, Feb 4th from 4:30-7:30 pm in the Learning Commons. Enter a draw for your chance to win \$25.00 worth of books for you and your child's teacher. Students will be visiting the Book Fair during the school day. (Feb 3rd-5th)

**Human Ecology
Grade 7**

The Clothing and Textiles portion of Human Ecology will commence at the beginning of the term. Students will be constructing a **DRAWSTRING GYM BAG.**

Please help your grade 7 student put together a simple sewing kit with these necessary supplies:

Supplies for Laboratory:

- ✂ 3/4 meter of heavy fabric (ex. denim, corduroy, cotton/polyester fabric, etc.)
- ✂ 1 large spool of matching thread
- ✂ matching drawstring – 4 meters
- ✂ 1 stitch ripper
- ✂ 1 seam gauge
- ✂ 1 pair of sharp scissors
- ✂ 1 package of stick pins with ball heads
- ✂ 1 **extra large** resealable plastic bag (e.g. *Ziploc*)

**Fabricland and Fay's Fabric Villa (276 Main St unit 7., Steinbach) offer a student discount. Bring this handout into the store to ensure that you receive the discount.*

Supplies for Theory:

- ✂ 1 duotang labeled **Human Ecology**
- ✂ 1 blue pen
- ✂ 1 red pen
- ✂ 3 pencils

**PLEASE BRING SUPPLIES TO THE FIRST DAY OF CLASS
CLEARLY LABEL ALL SUPPLIES WITH STUDENT'S NAME**

**Human Ecology
Grade 8**

The Clothing and Textiles portion of Human Ecology will commence at the beginning of the term. Students will be constructing **PYJAMA PANTS.**

Please help your grade 8 student put together a simple sewing kit with these necessary supplies:

Supplies for Laboratory:

- ✂ 2.5 meters of flannelette fabric
- ✂ 1 large spool of matching thread
- ✂ elastic – 1 meter of 2.5 cm wide ~ non roll
- ✂ 1 stitch ripper
- ✂ 1 seam gauge
- ✂ 1 pair of sharp scissors
- ✂ 1 package of stick pins with ball heads
- ✂ 1 pincushion
- ✂ 1 **extra large** resealable plastic bag (e.g. *Ziploc*)

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Feel free to call me at Mitchell Middle School with any questions or concerns, 320-9488.

Mrs. Lana Hagberg
Human Ecology Teacher



SPRING SIXES



U12 and U14 DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

PROGRAM FEATURES

- Open to both Boys and Girls (**born 2007-2010**)
- Perfect for **new players** interested in trying tackle football, or players moving up divisions this coming season!
- Age-appropriate skills training based on Football Canada LTAD model
- Exciting games with performance-level coaching, including Bison and Rifles players

PLAYER DEVELOPMENT

- Players will have a chance to learn and play multiple positions
- Get game-ready for your 2020 football season
- Reinforced Safe Contact skills and concepts
- Increase your understanding of schemes

LEAGUE - GAME PLAY

- NEW FORMAT fast-paced, shootout style football!
- Every player has the chance to get the ball!
- Players will experience playing multiple positions each week
- Includes 6 action-packed games in addition to training with low coach/player ratios
- Primary focus on skill development and fun - not scores, wins or losses
- Teams use common playbooks – work on your football skills - not trick plays!

GENERAL

- Players will be required to obtain a full set of equipment including football pants

Contact the **Eastman Raiders Football Club**

<http://eastmanraiders.com/contact/>

Tuesdays 5:30-7:00pm (all players)

Saturdays 12:00-2:00pm (Atom)

Saturdays 2:00pm-4:00pm (Peewee)

5 fun weeks of football starting Tuesday, Feb 29th

only **\$249.00**

includes your 2020 Football Manitoba and Football Canada Memberships

Register at

www.footballmanitoba.com

Steinbach Arts Council

AN EXCITING WAY TO SPEND YOUR SPRING BREAK!

Make the absolute most of your spring break with Spring Break Out! Camp 2020 at the Steinbach Arts Council!

This five-day camp runs March 30 to April 3 (9 am - 4 pm daily) and is for kids ages 5-7 and 8-11. This week is jam-packed with music, dance, drama, visual arts, field trips, sports, swimming and more! Boredom does not stand a chance at SAC's Spring Break Out! Camp!

Fees: \$110 for members + \$6.50 for swim fees | \$125 for non-members + \$6.50 for swim fees. Register by February 15th, and receive the Early Bird Discount of \$10.

Register online at www.steinbachartscouncil.ca or call the office at 204.346.1077.

For more information: Randi Suderman, Steinbach Arts Council
Phone: 204.346.1077 E-mail: programs@steinbachartscouncil.ca

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Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Day 3 Scholastic Book Fair Jungle! Feb 3-5 th	4 Day 4 Book Fair Family Event 4:30-7:30 pm	5 Day 5 Grade 8 Camp Cedarwood Trip Feb 5-7 th Subs \$5.00	6 Day 6	7 Day 1 Double Cheese Pizza \$2.00	8
9	10 Day 2	11 Day 3	12 Day 4 MMS Science Fair 4:00-6:30 pm Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:30 - 6:30 pm Subs \$5.00	13 Day 5	14 Day 6 Pepperoni & Mushroom Pizza \$2.00	15
16	17 Louis Riel Day No Classes	18 Day 1	19 Day 2 Subs \$5.00	20 Day 3 Optimist Festival (Gr. 8 Band)	21 PD Day No Classes	22
23	24 Day 4	25 Day 5	26 Day 6 Subs \$5.00	27 Day 1	28 Day 2 Pepperoni & Cheese Pizza \$2.00	29