

THE JET PACK NEWS!

ASSINIBOIA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 2023



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

I hope this newsletter finds you well as we embark on the month of November. With the holiday season right around the corner, it's an exciting time at our school, and there are some important events we want to share.

Student-Led Conferences for Term 1 will be on the evenings of Wednesday November 22nd, and Thursday November 23rd. Teachers will be posting your child's report card via MSS on November 17th. If you have not done so already, please log in to your MySchoolSask account prior to the 17th as you may have to change/update your password.

Here is the link to MSS - <https://myschoolsask.ca/aspen/logon.do>

We will be using School Interviews program again to book your SLCs so stay tuned for that login information coming up.

The boys and girls volleyball season was filled with growth on and off the court. Thank you to all our volunteer coaches on both Boys and Girls Volleyball teams as our teams wrapped up

their season this past weekend at Sections and Districts respectively. Stay tuned for Basketball and Curling registration as it begins later in November. As we move through the month of November and approach the holiday season, let's continue to support our students in their education journey and celebrate successes on and off the court. We look forward to seeing you at the Student-Led Conferences later in the month.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school at (306)642-5891.

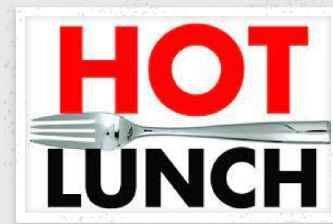
Sincerely,

Brian Ruthven



HOT LUNCH

Since it takes a lot of time to organize and prepare for the lunch we will **NOT be accepting late orders.**



On Wednesday, November 15, Mr. Ruthven and Mr. Rohrke will be serving Sloppy Joes, veggies and a juice box. The cost is \$8.00.

Hot lunch will be available on School Cash Wednesday, November 1, **and the deadline for ordering through School Cash is Tuesday, November 7 before midnight.**

NO CLASSES

There are no classes on Friday, November 10 (Prep Day for Teachers) and no school on Monday, November 13 (Remembrance Day)



REPORT CARDS AND SLC

Report cards will be available **ONLINE** Friday, November 17 at 3:30pm. Please make sure to log into your MSS account prior to alleviate any issues.



Student Led Conferences will be Wednesday, November 22 from 4:00-7:00 and Thursday, November 23 from 4:00-6:30.

We will once again book SLC's using School Interviews. This will be open Monday, November 6 and will close Monday, November 20.

CANDYLAND DANCE

Our annual dance will be Thursday, November 30. Admission is \$2.00 and there will be a canteen available.



Grade 5 - 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Grade 6 - 8 - 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm

All money raised will go towards yearbook costs.



SRC NEWS UPDATE

Some activities this month were... Spooky sprite pop sale \$2, pancake breakfast day for Staff and Students and Halloween dress up on the 31st.

Some of Novembers' activities will be... Crazy hair day, Multiples day, dress up as your favorite actress/actor day and a chip sale for \$2 . We will also have our \$2 Tuesday hat days. The money raised from those days will go towards Telemiracle.

By: Asilynn, Kenley and Sofia.

GRADE 5/6 SMASHBALL

The 31 eager students have grown so much in their understanding of our program, Smashball. We ran two sessions each week - a Wednesday group and a Thursday group.

The program is very much connected to volleyball, however it breaks up the skills to allow for understanding of concepts rather than focusing on the actual game. It focuses on progression of skills to allow for success with the final skills of setting, bumping, and hitting. The game itself is slowed down to encourage movement and communication.

To the grade 6s that continue to pursue the competitive side of volleyball, we wish you luck in grade 7 next year. To the grade 5s, we hope that you decide to come back and enjoy another season next fall.

Coaches

Mrs. Hawkins and Mrs. Wandler

GRADE 7 & 8 BASKETBALL

Basketball Season officially opens on November 20. Sign-up sheets will be posted at the school from November 1 until November 9. All players in grades 7 and 8 who are interested in joining should sign up. We will investigate schedule possibilities once we know who may be interested. Then, we can determine the number of teams and can ensure that we have coaches for each team. After that, we can arrange some possible practice times.

We ask that parents and players consider how much time they can commit to basketball and on which days they cannot. Basketball season runs from November 20 to February 10. The two teams who advance from the section tournament on February 10 will play at the District Championship on March 2.

We understand that players will be anxious to know how many teams there will be, who will coach and when practices or games will be; however, we will not be able to answer any of these questions until November 15 at the earliest (no matter how many times students want to ask 😊).

If anyone knows of adults who may wish to act as coaches, managers, or officials, please submit names to Rohrke.mitchel@prairiesouth.ca as soon as possible.

3V3 BASKETBALL

This year, the South Central District has established a trial season of 3v3 basketball. This will occur during the same months as 5v5. This version of basketball was used in the girls' spring club basketball coached by Al Wandler at ACHS.

3v3 will aid in promoting the game within schools which do not currently have enough players for 5v5. Therefore, we will also offer this as a possibility in addition to 5v5.

The sign-up sheet for this will be posted from November 1st-November 9th. Once we know numbers for interested players, we will discuss with the league organizers what role, if any, Assiniboia Elementary players may have in 3v3 basketball.

If you have any questions or concerns about 3v3 basketball, you can contact rohrke.mitchel@prairiesouth.ca

MS. THOMPSON'S GOOGLE CLASSROOM INFORMATION

Below is the class join codes for the Google Classrooms. Students can access the class anywhere there is an internet connection. If students are absent from class, they should check to see what they missed and complete the assignments. It is important to remember to insure that students are logged in to their google account using their Prairie South email address which will be lastname.firstname@prairiesouth.ca

They all have their own individual passwords to their google accounts. If you have any questions, please contact me at thompson.lynette@prairiesouth.ca

Social Studies 5 - luoacsk

Social Studies 6 - orcwfc2

Health 6 - g76xlu5

Science 7 - 47ptlwe



AES IS NUT AWARE

This means that nuts are permitted at the school for lunches and snacks **UNLESS** the ROOM is **DESIGNATED NUT FREE**.

LUNCH HOUR - TOWN STUDENTS

We are asking town students to go home for lunch if possible.

Students can return at 12:30.

Thank you in advance for your support.

STUDENT PICKUP AND DROP OFF

We encourage anyone dropping off or picking up students from our school to **NOT** park on 4th Street East or use the north parking lot. Instead, we are asking that you park on either 7th Avenue East or Assiniboia Avenue.

The intent is to keep our students safe at very busy times of the school day. We often see students and parents jaywalking and our buses are not able to pull away freely or if using the north parking lot, students need to use that entrance and it could be a safety concern.

Both 7th Avenue East and Assiniboia Avenue offer an area for pick and drop off that does not interfere with the buses and does not require students to cross the street outside the crosswalk areas. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

FAQ

Please click on the link for monthly [FAQ's](#).

SCHOOLCASH ONLINE

SchoolCash is available for parents to purchase items throughout the year. The program eliminates the need to send cash with your student as everything is done online. Some items that will be available for purchase are monthly hot lunches, field trips, milk, yearbook, etc.

In the "Please Read" section below are two attachments regarding setup instructions and the ways to pay. Just click on the preferred picture and it will enlarge for you to read.

MSS PARENT PORTAL - IMPORTANT!!!

Have you logged onto your Parent Portal yet?

If you have not, please make sure you do. All report cards and student placement for next year will be online only.

If you have forgotten your **username** or **password**, please contact Teresa Wandler (wandler.teresa@prairiesouth.ca)

THE DIVISION HAS INFORMED US THAT MYSCHOOLSASK REQUIRES PARENTS TO RESET THEIR PASSWORDS EVERY 3 MONTHS.

NOTE: You ***MUST*** create the account on a computer (not a mobile device or tablet). If you need to use a school computer to do this, please contact the school.

After you have created an account, you can log on anytime to see how your student is doing.

Printed Report Cards will no longer be available

Click on the MySchoolSask button below to take you directly to the login screen



MYSCHOOLSASK

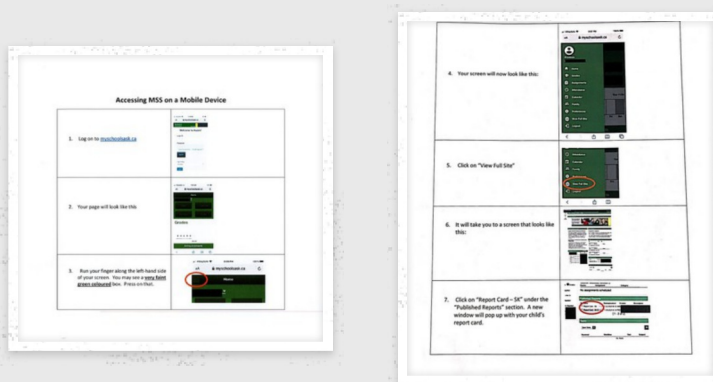
Accessing Report Cards in Parent (Family) Portal

1. After logging into **MySchoolSask** through the Parent (Family) portal, you will be sent to the **Home** screen.
2. Different headings such as **Welcome**, **Announcements**, **Published Reports** and **Recent Activity** will be shown.
3. In **Published Reports** (shown below), you will find progress reports that have been created and published (if they are not appearing, they may not be published yet). They will be available to **download** and/or **print**.



4. If you experience any challenges in accessing this information, please contact your student's school principal.

ACCESSING MYSCHOOLSASK ON A MOBILE DEVICE



AES ONLINE CLOTHING STORE

If you are interested in purchasing any Jets clothing, please click on the link below. This is **online only** so you will have to set up an account and pay them directly.

If you have any questions, there is a contact number and email form on the website homepage.

AES JETS CLOTHING STORE

PLEASE READ

2015-2016 School Year Calendar - NOVEMBER & DECEMBER & CARRYOVER

Month	Day	Event
November	1	Thanksgiving
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Register Today!

Use your computer, tablet or smartphone to register and use online.

- Create Your Profile**
Get to [SchoolCash Online](#) and click on "Get Started Today!"
- Confirm Your Email**
Check your inbox for the email confirmation and click on the link inside. Log in with your new login details.
 I agree to create an email notification for new fee changes to student and parents on member websites.
- Add a Student**
Click "Add Student" and fill in the required fields with your child's details.

Which payment methods are accepted?

- Credit Card**
Pay with Visa or MasterCard on School Cash Online by entering your credit card number. Our number card never expires to the bank of your credit card, card expiry date, and billing information.
- eCheck**
An electronic transfer of paper check used to make payments online. Associate with a checking or savings account and pay by check on School Cash Online.

Why sign up for School Cash Online?

- School Cash Online is an online parent portal that offers a safe, fast and convenient way to pay for school activities fees.
- Pay for your child's school fees online. Anytime, anywhere.
- Stop sending your child to school with money.
- Get automatic email notifications about upcoming school fees and activities.

Your Bank Information

Your bank account number:

This information is passed on your paper checks to record the purchase below. If you do not have a paper check, you can request this activation before or after opening. This information will allow for automatic or a Check Deposit or EFT (Electronic Fund Transfer) from your bank account.

Account Type: Checking Savings

Complete these fields:

Bank Transit Number: []

Account Number: []

Account Number (if known): []

The Enter Account Number: []

Apply for activation

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UPCOMING EVENTS

SLOPPY JOE HOT LUNCH AVAILABLE ON SCHOOLCASH

WHEN
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 1ST, 12AM

WHERE
AES

SCHOOL INTERVIEWS OPEN

WHEN
MONDAY, NOV. 6TH, 9AM

WHERE
AES

HOT LUNCH DEADLINE IN SCHOOLCASH

WHEN

TUESDAY, NOV. 7TH, 11:45PM

WHERE

AES

REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE AND FORMAL DAY

WHEN

THURSDAY, NOV. 9TH, 11AM

WHERE

AES

NO CLASSES/SCHOOL

WHEN

**FRIDAY, NOV. 10TH, 12AM TO
MONDAY, NOV. 13TH, 12AM**

WHERE

AES

SLOPPY JOE HOT LUNCH

WHEN

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 15TH, 11:45AM

WHERE

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REPORT CARDS ONLINE ONLY

WHEN

FRIDAY, NOV. 17TH, 3:30PM

WHERE

AES

SCHOOL INTERVIEWS CLOSE

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MONDAY, NOV. 20TH, 9AM

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