



Principal's Message – Mrs. Karla Silbernagel

February 12-16 marks Staff Appreciation Week across the Province and I feel so very blessed to work with such wonderful people in my school. I want to thank my staff for making Mankota School a great place to learn and work! I really do have some of the best people and it truly is a remarkable thing when you love going to work and seeing each of them daily. Thank you to all my staff for your commitment, dedication and care for the students at our school.

Thank you to our SCC who provided lunch for the staff and some goodies. Thank you to Prairie South School Division for providing lunch as well. Thank you to Sophi Kress for making us a peppermint cheesecake and for her donation of eggs to the school. We feel very spoiled!

Congratulations to Will Rieder and his Kincaid curling team who earned a second-place finish at the district playoffs in Assiniboia. He and his team will be off to regional playoffs in Regina after the break. Best of luck to him and his teammates.

Our school has been celebrating Valentine's week with some Spirit days and whole school activities. We had three dress up days and are planning to make a picture book with our color groups to promote literacy and mental health and wellbeing. Thank you to the SLC for organizing the dress up days and to the teachers for organizing the book making.



Last week, our K-6 students enjoyed some belated literacy day activities. They worked in groups to solve some crime scene investigations. They had a lot of fun using reading and math skills to solve the crime. A special thank you goes to Mrs. Schafer and Mrs. Sayers for all their work in organizing the afternoon.

Ironically, our ski trip had to be postponed because of poor weather conditions. I thought it might be postponed because of a lack of snow, but our dump of snow created unfavourable driving conditions. We are hoping to rebook sometime in March. We will keep you updated on this endeavor.

Our students have been enjoying some curling this week in their PE classes. Thank you to Stan Scribner for helping facilitate that and prepare the ice for them.

As we head into the winter break, I hope everyone gets the opportunity to rest and relax and spend some quality time with family and friends. Please keep on reading this February break!

Mankota School Bus Routes

Please note your child's bus route number.
All notices on the PSSD website will be posted by the town and route numbers.

Mankota 1	Merles Kress
Mankota 2	Darla Briere
Mankota 3	Laurie Robertson

Please limit disruptions to learning by calling your child at recess or noon hour. Please refer to bell times listed on school calendar.

Please make sure to keep contact information up to date. Let the school know if there are any changes!

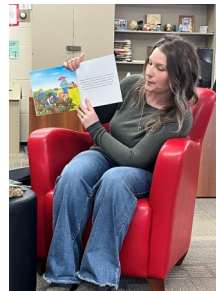
Author Visit



Melanie
(Zerr)
Larson



Maverick Alumni



Host an international high school student this school year - Enrich your family life, community and local schools!

Family focused student exchange company YES Canada is seeking families within the Prairie South School Division to host international students from a range of countries and cultural backgrounds throughout the school year. New international students are arriving in April 2024 for a 3 month stay from France. For these high school students, host families provide a home away from home in a safe and nurturing environment, three meals per day and the opportunity to become a family member. A monthly stipend is provided to host families to offset the cost of hosting. Local Coordinators and the experienced YES Canada team provide guidance and ongoing support for host families prior to and during a student's stay.

If you are interested in hosting an international high school student or would like to learn more about YES Canada's homestay program and the many benefits of becoming a host, we will be excited to connect with you. Hosting opportunities are available in the immediate term, for April 2024 for a 3 month stay, and next school year for possible durations of 2, 3, 5, 10 months.

For more information or to start your host family application contact us at:
Email: homestay@youthedservices.ca
Tel: 416-623-6220 ext. 410
Visit our website:
<https://youthedservices.ca/host-a-student/>



Join the Team



Food and Nutrition Services is hiring

The SHA offers employment opportunities in many areas. We are currently looking for **Cooks and Food Service Workers** to fill a variety of shifts. Safety and on-the-job training is provided. We offer comprehensive benefits and many rewarding career opportunities. Join our team that is focused on improving the health and well-being of the people of Saskatchewan.

Please note casual/relief work contains no set schedule or rotation, however there may be opportunity to work up to full-time hours based on location and need with the ability to apply for part-time and full-time positions as available.

Please contact Laurette St. Jacques laurette.st.jacques@saskhealthauthority.ca for information on Cook and Food Service Worker opportunities in the community of Mankota.

Visit <https://www.saskhealthauthority.ca/Careers> to learn more!

Healthy People, Healthy Saskatchewan

The Saskatchewan Health Authority works in the spirit of truth and reconciliation, acknowledging Saskatchewan as the traditional territory of First Nations and Métis People.



[saskhealthauthority.ca](https://www.saskhealthauthority.ca)



Join Our Team

Environmental Services is Hiring!

The SHA offers employment opportunities in many areas. **We are currently looking for cleaners/housekeeping (Environmental Services) Laundry, Stores to fill a variety of shifts.** Safety and on-the-job training is provided. We offer comprehensive benefits and many rewarding career opportunities. Join our team that is focused on improving the health and well-being of the people of Saskatchewan.

Visit <https://www.saskhealthauthority.ca/careers> to learn more!

We are hiring for Assiniboia, Lafleche, Rockglen, Mankota and Herbert, Coronach. Drop off resume at Admitting during the week:

Attention Denise Cronan, Manager
EVS SW6.

Please note: casual/relief work contains no set schedule or rotation;

however, there may be opportunity to work up to full-time hours based on location and need. You are able to apply for part-time and full-time positions as available. **High School students with their Grade 10 are welcome! Starting wage \$18.89-\$20.24 per hour.**

Email resumes to denise.cronan@saskhealthauthority.ca

Healthy People, Healthy Saskatchewan

The Saskatchewan Health Authority works in the spirit of truth and reconciliation, acknowledging Saskatchewan as the traditional territory of First Nations and Métis People.



[saskhealthauthority.ca](https://www.saskhealthauthority.ca)




Dates To Note:	
Feb. 16 - 23	No School - February Break
Feb. 26	Back to School
Feb. 28	Magnet PAA
March 1	School day
March 7	Magnet PAA
March 8	No School - Teacher Prep day
March 15	No School
March 19	Magnet PAA



Link to Mankota School webpage is:
<https://schools.prairiesouth.ca/mankota/>
 If you are viewing online:
 Hover mouse over maverick symbol
 and left click

Mankota Open Bonspiel
Feb.27th - Mar. 3rd

Entry fee - \$120.00/team
 Entry deadline - Feb. 25th
 Call or text Kevin:
 306-741-9582

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				15 K day	16 No School	17
February						
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
February Break - No School						
25	26	27 K day	28 Magnet PAA Pink Shirt Day	29 K day	1 School Day	2
March						
3	4 K day 	5	6 K day	7 Magnet PAA	8 No School Teacher Prep Day	9

Thank you! *Thank you!* *Thank you!*

To:

Our SCC for the Staff Appreciation lunch.

Mrs. Silbernagel for our Maverick go mugs and Valentine treats.

Our School Division Board for lunch for Staff Appreciation.

Mr. Ficzel for the visits and all the snacks for the students and staff.

Sophi Kress for the delicious cheesecake.

Stan Scribner and crew for preparing the ice for the students to practise their curling skills.



WOOD MOUNTAIN REGIONAL PARK

2024 Job Postings

Box 14
Wood Mountain, SK
S0H 4L0

SENIOR LIFEGUARD

We are currently accepting applications for Senior Lifeguards. This is a seasonal part time position with possibility of full time, approximate dates from the end of June to the end of August of 2024. Required qualifications include NLS Lifeguard certificate, Swim for Life & Lifesaving Instructor certificate, and Standard First Aid/CPR-C. Deadline for applications is March 15, 2024.

JUNIOR LIFEGUARDS

We are currently accepting applications for Junior Lifeguards. This is a seasonal part time position with approximate dates from the end of June to the end of August of 2024. Required qualifications include Bronze Cross and Standard First Aid/CPR-C. Applicants must be 14 years of age as of June 30, 2024. Deadline for applications is March 15, 2024.

POOL MANAGER

We are currently accepting applications for the position of Pool Manager. This is a seasonal part time position, approximate dates from the end of June to the end of August of 2024. Grade 12 diploma, preferred. Position requires the Pool Operators Course certificate. Duties to include scheduling lifeguards, swimming lessons, daily cleaning as well as office duties including office management, fee collection, cash outs, etc. Deadline for applications is March 15, 2024.

SENIOR MAINTENANCE

We are currently accepting applications for Senior Maintenance. This is a seasonal full time position with approximate dates from June to the end of August of 2024. A valid driver's license is preferred. Deadline for applications is March 15, 2024.

MAINTENANCE

We are currently accepting applications for Maintenance Staff. This is a seasonal part time position with approximate dates from June to End of August of 2024. Must be 14 years of age as of June 30, 2024. A valid driver's licence is an asset but not required. Deadline for applications is March 15, 2024.

To apply for a position, send a cover letter and resume to:

Board of Directors, Wood Mountain Regional Park
Box 14 Wood Mountain, SK S0H 4L0

Or email
woodmountainrp@gmail.com

MANKOTA PRIMARY HEALTH CARE CLINIC

Hours of Operation: Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Lab Hours: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

FEBRUARY 2024

**This calendar is subject to change without notice*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6 PHYSICIAN NP LAB 9:-3:	7 NP LAB 9:-3:	8	9	10
11	12	13 PHYSICIAN LAB 9:-3:	14 PHYSICIAN LAB 9:-3:	15	16	17
18	19 STAT	20 NO PHYSICIAN NO LAB	21 PHYSICIAN LAB 9:-3:	22	23	24
25	26	27 PHYSICIAN LAB 9:-3:	28 PHYSICIAN LAB 9:-3:	29		

If you have a medical emergency and require an ambulance call:
9-1-1

The nearest hospital emergency department is located at the:
* St. Joseph's Hospital (Gravelbourg)
* Assiniboia Hospital
For complete details please visit the former Cypress Health Region website at www.cypresshealth.ca

