

# March 2020

# General Information

#### **REMINDER - Student Registration**

Registration is now open for new and returning students. New students can be registered using this <u>form</u>. Families of returning students, please check your email for a message from PowerSchool Registration Support with further instructions.

PSD requires all families to complete the registration process by **4:30pm on March 20, 2020**. This deadline allows them to determine the eligibility of bus pass applicants, the routing of buses, bus pass production and data verification before the summer break while schools are still operating. If you require further information, visit Parkland School Division's Registration webpage. Thank you for attention to this!

### **Report Cards**

Report cards will go live on March 19. On this day, you can access your child's report card through <u>PowerSchool</u>. Please note that the format of the report cards throughout Parkland School Division has changed this year. For further information, please see the <u>PSD70 website</u>.

### Spring Break

Our last day of school before spring break will be March 20. Students will return on March 31, as March 30 is a PD day for staff.

### Spring Fling Dance

Our PLCFF will be hosting a family dance on March 13 from 5:30-7:30. Please note this is a family event and all children must have parent/guardian supervision to attend this event. Come support our Fundraising Foundation and have some family fun!

### March Spirit Days

Friday, March 13 - Spirit Day (Wear your Puma wear or Blue/Green) Tuesday, March 17 - Green Day

### A Note From Jr. ATB

Dear Parents and/or Guardians,

*Jr.* ATB would like to invite you and your child to participate in our program and begin your child's savings journey by opening up their own Jr. ATB bank account!!

To get your child started you can pick up an account application form at the school office at any time or if you would like to meet our team, pick it up during one of our Jr. ATB Banking Days. Simply fill out the applicable



information outlined in the account application form and have yourself and your child sign it before returning it to the school.

From there a real bank account is opened and your child can start saving by making deposits into their new account on our Jr. ATB banking days and/or at any ATB branch. When your child is ready to start using their savings their money will be there in their account which they can access at any ATB Financial branch location as well!

Our team of Jr. ATB'ers come up with and execute a fun promotion every banking day for the kids. Our upcoming promotion for March 12 and April 9 will be open to all Prescott students. We will be playing some ladder golf/ball to win some cool prizes for non-ATB Financial clients! For our existing ATB Financial clients ANY deposit gets them the opportunity to play a SpringBoard game where they will select a random prize that may be some candy, maybe even \$20.00 in to their ATB Financial account!!

ATB representatives will be available on each banking day to answer any questions yourself or your child may have.

Listed below are our upcoming banking days, we look forward to seeing you!

March 12, 2020 April 9, 2020 April 23, 2020 May 7, 2020 (LAST BANKING DAY)

Jr ATB Marketing Managers Prescott Learning Centre



## Fine Arts

#### Choir

March 16th is the Virtual Choral Celebration for all of Parkland School Division from 10:00-noon. Our very own Prescott Choir will be performing "Put On A Happy Face."

March 18th the choir will also be performing in the Parkland Music Festival at 11:10am, at Hope Church in Stony Plain. It is open to people to come out and support our choir as they perform in the School Musical Theatre Production category.

# Athletics

### Basketball

<u>Jr Championships</u> are from Feb 25 - March 2 with the championship game on March 2. <u>Sr Championships</u> are from March 2 - March 9 with the championship game on March 9.

#### **Badminton**

Sr Tryouts - March 12/13 (grade 7-9 welcome) Jr Tryouts - March 18/19 (grade 6-8 welcome)



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# Calendar

This is only a snapshot of this month's calendar. To see the most up-to-date version, please click on this <u>link</u>, or on the calendar below.

# March 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	WCJHAA Senior Basketball Championship					
				Gr. 1A, 1B, 1C, 1/2 Sw	Gr. 1A, 1B, 1C, 1/2 Sw	
		3p Sr Boys Basketb	Grade 6 - Outdoor	6:30p School Coun		
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		6p Strong Families	2a Grade 2A, 2B, 2(	6:30p PLCFF Meetii		
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		6p Strong Families				
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	Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break	
29	30	31	1	2	3	2
	PD Day	5.		6:30p School Coun		
	Staff Planning & De					



# School Council & Fundraising Foundation

School Council February Minutes & March Agenda

Hello Prescott Parents.

It is that time of year again when we review resolutions that are made by schools that can directly or indirectly affect your children.

Please review the <u>resolutions by following this link</u> and come out to our meeting on March 5, 2020 at 6:30 in the collaboration centre to share your thoughts and ideas.

Thank you.

Advocacy Resoloutions Package 2020



### Fundraising Foundation

	Information	Contact
PLCFF monthly meeting- open to all parents!	Next Meeting: <u>March 12, 2020 at 6:30 PM</u> Collaboration Center A monthly summary of ongoing fundraisers, as well as discussions of upcoming fundraisers, and updates on our current plans. We always	executive@plcff.com
Playground Update	Iove to see new faces! <u>Congratulations Prescott!</u> We have raised over <u>\$100,000</u> towards our playground! This means we are ready to apply for some of those large grants. We still have a long way to go, but are well on our way! PLCFF would also like to thank MLA Searle Turton for his continued support and Education Minister Adriana LaGrange for meeting with our team on Feb. 20th to hear our playground concerns. If you know someone interested in donating or have a contact at a company that offers community/ playgrounds grants please email and let us know!	executive@plcff.com
Hot Lunch Program	Session 2 Hot lunch is open for ordering All hot lunch/ Blizzard day orders close 2 weeks prior to date at 6pm. <u>https://prescott.hotlunches.net</u> Access code: PLCHL. We will be on site Mar 6 to accept cash orders for term 2! Blizzard Day Friday March 20! Blizzard \$4 Dilly bar/ Icecream sandwich \$2	hotlunch@plcff.com



Spring Fling Dance!	Spring Fling Dance - Friday March 13, 2020 5:30-7:30 PM. Tickets online prescott.hotlunches.net (access code PLCHL) or at the door. This is a family dance and all students <u>must</u> attend with an adult. We will also have Cheese pizza available for preorder and a limited quantity available at the door as well as many concession items available at the door. We are still looking for volunteers, sign up online or Email <u>executive@plcff.com</u> for more information or if you are interested.	executive@plcff.com
Kernels Popcorn/	Kernels Popcorn/ Mixing spoon- Pick up March 6 from 2:45 - 6:00	executive@plcff.com
Mixing Spoon	PM in the small gym if you ordered.	
Coming Soon!	Session 3 Hot Lunch available online soon! Available online at Prescott.hotlunches.net Look for Session 3 Fundraising packages late March/ early April, including playground updates and all of our upcoming fundraisers: Write-on stationery school supplies, Krispy Kreme doughnuts, Trip Raffle, Freezie Fridays and our Golf Tournament <b>Saturday May 30</b> , <b>2020 at 8:00 AM</b>	executive@plcff.com
Booster Juice	Order Open: Ongoing Booster juice vouchers can be ordered through the <u>hot lunch website</u> (\$5.50 each). They are delivered weekly to your child's teacher for distribution. We will also have volunteers on site March 6th that will have vouchers for sale.	executive@plcff.com
Did you Know?	<ul> <li>Join our Facebook page to stay up to date with Fundraising (Prescott Learning Centre Fundraising Foundation) or check out our website (www.PLCFF.com)</li> <li>Use the following link to have the bottles picked up at your door, and funds are automatically donated to our playground fund. <u>Skipthedepot.com/plcff</u></li> <li>We are looking for someone with a truck to pick up bottles from the school every second week and deliver to Spruce Grove bottle depot, this can be a messy job but 100% of the funds go towards our playground!</li> <li>Fundraise for our school while shopping at your favourite stores! <u>Flipgive.com</u> See our Facebook page for more information!</li> </ul>	executive@plcff.com

#### How to Register for Hot Lunches:

1. Go to https://prescott.hotlunches.net

2. Click the "REGISTER" menu at the top right-hand corner

to sign up. Our school code is PLCHL

3. Enter your name, email address and phone, then a user id that you will use for access to the hot lunch application. Enter a password and then enter it again to verify that it is correct.

4. Once registered, you will be logged into the website

5. Please add your students by clicking on the "STUDENTS" button below or the "PROFILE" menu tab in order to proceed. Once your students have been added to the system you will be able to place lunch orders immediately by clicking the "Order" button below each child's name.

6. Set up a Paypal account to pay by credit card online – or wait for a cash day which will be posted prior to date.



#### Hot Lunch - Absent Child

If your child is **absent** for the day - these are your options - please email: hotlunch@plcff.com by 10:00 AM on hot lunch day to let us know of what you would like us to do with the lunch. (\*\*always give the student's name/class \*\*)

1) We can pass the lunch on to a sibling / friend in the school. We need the absent student's name / class and the person and class of where the lunch needs to be delivered.

- 2) We are happy to put the lunch in the office by 12:30 PM where it can be picked up that day.
- 3) Surprise your teacher, aide, secretary or hard worker within the school with lunch for the day!
- 4) You can let the lunch be donated. If no email is given the lunch is donated. Thank you for your support!
- If you would like to volunteer please email sign up online: https://prescott.hotlunches.net

#### Session 2

\*\*\* Orders close for each lunch date two weeks prior to lunch date \*\*\* Wednesday, March 4 – Jack's / Squares From Scratch Sides Thursday, March 12 - Dairy Queen / Squares From Scratch Sides Wednesday, March 18 - Pizza 73 / Squares From Scratch Sides



Next School Council Meeting: Mar. 5@6:30 p.m. in the Collaboration Centre

Next Fundraising Foundation Meeting: Mar. 12 @ 6:30 p.m. in the Collaboration Centre





Parkland School Division is proud to present another **FREE** information series for local families.

**Evening 1:** We will focus on defining the concept of addiction, exploring how addiction develops, identifying the types of drugs that youth may be using and how those substances can affect the brain and body.

**Evening 2:** We will focus on how to talk to your child/teen about drugs (and what to expect when you do) as well as what addiction and mental health services are available for families.

Dates: Tuesday, March 10 and 17, 2020 Time: 6–7:30pm Location: Centre for Education (4603 - 48 Street, Stony Plain) Presenter: Lisa Kimmerly (Alberta Health Services – Addictions)

Information and topics discussed will build on each other, so participants are asked to attend all dates, if possible.

A light supper will be provided. Limited childcare is available.

Space is limited, so please register early to reserve your spot.

#### To register, please contact:

Vicky Mamczasz, Family Supports Facilitator **phone:** 780-963-8472 **email:** vmamczasz@psd70.ab.ca

STRONG FAMILIES SERIES — psd70.ab.ca