**Principal’s Report for Parent Council**



**Wednesday, May 17th, 2023**

* Guest Artist: Brooke Eastgate, an artist from Ontario, was at the school the week of May 1-5th. Brooke worked with all students to create beautiful Spring artwork using a variety of mediums. Brooke is a landscape and graphic design artist, and she shared many new theories, techniques, and ideas with our students. Thank you to Mrs. Kohut for arranging this excellent experience. Please check out the bulletin boards, school website, and our upcoming Art Show to view some of the amazing artwork created.
* Art Show and Volunteer Tea – Wednesday, May 24th. Everyone welcome! The public may view the Art Show from 11:00 am – 1:30pm. Please RSVP for the Volunteer Tea to Mrs. Clark-Jago (clark-jago.wendy@bsd.ca) so we can prepare enough refreshments and seating. The entertainment will start at 2:15 pm.
* Upcoming Extra-Curricular Activities: Cross Country Running (Gr. 4-8) completed their two races last Wednesday and today. Thank you to Mr. Ferguson for organizing this club!
* Swimming Lessons – Monday, June 5th – Friday, June 9th (12:30 – 2:30 pm) at the Souris Pool. Please let Mrs. Filewich know if you are on our Approved Volunteer List and can help out with supervision or driving.
* Congratulations to Ms. Rousseau on being recognized and celebrated at the Honouring the Good Road Gala.
* Staffing Update for 2023-24:

**K-1** Mrs.Krista Clayton

**2-3** Mrs. Sam Kolesar

**3-4** Mrs. Shannon Kohut (0.75) / Mr. Thomas Weber (0.25)

**5-6** Miss Mackenzie Wright

**7** Miss Alissa Swaenepoel

**8** Miss Jordie Hale

**PE & Health** Mr. Thomas Weber

**Music & Arts** Ms.Kelsey Brown

**Reading Recovery & Continuous Improvement Coach** Mrs.Laura Kirkup

**Academic Support** Mrs.Laura Kirkup / Mrs. Shannon Kohut

**Guidance Counsellor** Mrs.Lisa Bridges (Day 1, 3, 5)

**Resource Teacher** Mrs.Kate Locke –> term posting Sept. – Dec.

**Principal** Mrs. Lindsay Filewich

* Upcoming Dates:
	+ Wednesday, May 24th – Art Show & Volunteer Tea (PM)
	+ Thursday, May 25th – Grade 7 and 8 Winnipeg Trip – Skills Canada
	+ Friday, May 26th – Westoba Way Celebration (2:30 pm)
	+ Wednesday, May 31st – Alexander School Track & Field
	+ Monday, June 5th – Friday, June 9th – Swimming Lessons (Souris Pool)
	+ Monday, June 5th – Wednesday, June 28th – Full Time Kindergarten
	+ Monday, June 5th (6:00 pm) – ABC and Me in Kindergarten Event
	+ Wednesday, June 21st – PC Free Lunch
	+ Thursday, June 22nd – Ag in the Classroom: Seed Survivor
	+ Friday, June 23rd (2:00 pm) – Grade 8 Graduation
	+ Wednesday, June 28th (12:00 – 2:00 pm) – Souris Swimming Field Trip