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NEWSLETTER

April 2023

Dear Victory families,

Spring officially arrived this week. Now we are waiting for the weather to become more spring-like! Hopefully warmer temperatures are heading our way in the coming weeks.

Thank you to our families that joined us in celebrating your child's learning this term at our Family/Student/Teacher conferences. Children further understand the importance of learning when their family and friends also take an interest in their school and schoolwork.

We are so proud of all our students for their hard work and performances at our "Winnie the Pooh" concert evenings. Thank you to our music specialist, Mrs. Lisa Rumak, for her tireless effort in teaching and encouraging the students. The entire Victory staff supported the children through the production from the start of rehearsals to the concert nights. We appreciated the kind words and messages of support we received from families following the performances.

Students in Grades 3 -5 viewed a live performance of "Frozen River" by Manitoba Theatre for Young People that took place in our school gymnasium earlier in March. Frozen River is a new play, co-written by Michaela Washburn, Joelle Peters and Carrie Costello. In the play, Grandmother Moon tells the story of two eleven-year-olds, born under the same blood moon, but in different parts of the world. The play follows their stories as they meet in a forest, and that of their descendants who meet in the present day in what is known as Manitoba.

Wishing you all a very restful Spring Break! See you back on Monday, April 3rd!

CBC Canadian Music Class Challenge

Congratulations to our Victory School musicians! This year our Grade 3 and Grade 5 instrumental ensembles placed in the top 3 in their categories in the 2022 CBC Canadian Music Class Challenge!

First place was awarded to the Victory School Grade 3 Instrumental Ensemble in their category Primary Instrumental (K-3). In addition to the plaque, they received \$3000 to



purchase instruments for Victory School! Second place was awarded to the Victory School Grade 5 Instrumental Ensemble in their category Elementary Instrumental (Grades 4-6). We are so proud of our young musicians for this amazing accomplishment!





Winnie the Pooh Kids

Congratulations to the cast of Winnie the Pooh Kids for your fabulous performances at the Seven Oaks Performing Arts Centre! This was such a fun show to work on and all our Victory School students presented a wonderful performance. Well done everyone!







SAVE THE DATE!

Victory School Grade 4 and 5 **Talent Show** will be held on June 7th!





The students in Room 19 enjoy reading a variety of books. The students look forward to different moments during the day when they can rest, relax, and read. Here are some books that they have enjoyed so far. We hope this list of books will help you decide what book you should read next!

Title: Dog Man

Author: Dav Pilkey

"I like the humour in this series." - Luke

Title: The Baby-Sitters Club: Boy-Crazy Stacey

Author: Gale Galligan

"I like the part when Stacey fell in love." - Vivien

Title: Wings of Fire: The Lost Heir

Author: Tui T. Sutherland

"My favourite part was when Tsunami found out that she has a sister." - Brynlee

Title: My Friend is Sad

Author: Mo Willems

Andrei likes when people around him are happy.



Title: Dork Diaries: Tales From a Not-So-Dorky Drama Queen

Author: Rachel Renee Russell

"I picked this book because I like this series." - Avery

Title: Investigators

Author: John Patrick Green

"I really like how the two alligators were trying to save their chef." - Zakkery

Title: Oh My Gods! 2: The Forgotten Maze

Author: Stephanie Cooke and Isha Fitzpatrick

"I like the characters in this book." Cassandra

Title: Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days

Author: Jeff Kinney

"It is neat that Greg is in high school and he gets embarrassed by his friend." - Bayne

Title: Wings of Fire: The Brightest Night

Author: Tui T. Sutherland

"This is the fifth book of the series. I couldn't put the book down." - Dovovan



Title: Judy Moody: Gets Famous!

Author: Megan McDonald

"This book has some funny characters." - Agam

Title: Dog Man: Grime and Punishment

Author: Dav Pilkey

"I like the humour and drawing style in this book." - Diamond

Title: Show; Don't Tell: Secrets of Writing

Author: Josephine Nobisso

"This book shows you how to communicate to people in many different ways." - Londyn

Title: Dog Man: Brawl of the Wild

Author: Dav Pilkey

"I liked when Dog Man went to dog jail and his owner rescued him." - Ben

Title: Once Upon an Eid

Author: S. K. Ali and Aisha Saeed

"I like how there are a whole bunch of different stories put together into one book." - Katelyn



Title: Volcano and Earthquake

Author: Susanna Van Rose

"It teaches you where to go if there is an earthquake." - Raiden

Title: Real Friends

Author: Shannon Hale and LeUyen Pham

"I like the part when they met new friends." - Emily

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REGISTRATIONS CONTINUE FOR SEPTEMBER 2023-2024

The registration process will be completed online at www.7oaks.org

In person registrations available by appointment only.

The following is required to register your child for kindergarten:

Your child must be born in 2018

2 copies – proof of address document showing name and address

Acceptable documents: Utility bills, lease or home purchase documents, Tax assessment documents showing your name and address

1 copy – proof of birthdate which could either be a birth certificate, baptismal certificate or a valid passport

Unacceptable document for proof of address: Manitoba Health Card

When registering online, it will be helpful to have ready copies/photos of these required documents on the device or computer you will be using at the time of registration. During registration, there will be sections for you to upload the documents into your registration form.

Please note: we will be following up within 3 - 5 business days of receiving your online registration. Any missing information delays the process of registration.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call our office at 204-586-9716. We would be happy to help!

Victory School has both morning and afternoon sessions.

- The morning class is from 9:00 am to 11:30 am
- The afternoon class is from 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm

Seven Oaks School Division also offers education instructed in the following languages:

Ojibwe, Filipino, French and Ukrainian

Should you wish to enroll in a language program, please call us at the school and we will provide you with information regarding the catchment/home school for that particular language you choose.



SPRING BREAK - March 27th - March 31st - NO SCHOOL

Friday, April 7th – Good Friday – NO SCHOOL Friday, April 14th – PD DAY – NO SCHOOL Monday, May 15th – Divisional X-Country Grade's 3-5 Wednesday, May 17th - Divisional X-Country Raindate Monday, May 22nd - Victoria Day - NO SCHOOL Wednesday, May 24th – Welcome to Kindergarten Evening 5:30 Thursday, June 1st - Divisional Pow Wow Friday, June 2nd – PD DAY – NO SCHOOL Tuesday, June 6th - Divisional Track & Field Friday, June 9th - Whole School Field Trip Monday, June 19th - Grade 5 Camp Thursday, June 22nd – Victory @ Play Wednesday, June 28th - Grade 5 Farewell Wednesday, June 29th - Afternoon Kindergarten Last Day Friday, June 30th - Last Day of School - Early Dismissal Monday, June 12th - PD Day - NO SCHOOL Friday, June 30th - School Assembly 9:15 am Friday, June 30th – Last Day School – Early Dismissal

• Kindergarten - 10:30 am

• Grade's 1-5 - 12:00 pm

2023-2024 AT A GLANCE: Winter Break: December 25, 2023 – January 5, 2024

Spring Break: March 25, 2024 - March 29, 2024

2024-2025 AT A GLANCE: Winter Break: December 23, 2024 - January 3, 2025

Spring Break: March 31, 2025 - April 4, 2025





April Showers
Bring May
Flowers



2023

VICTORY SCHOOL

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
	SAVE THE DATE – OPEN HOUSE ECOLE SEVEN OAKS MIDDLE SCHOOL APRIL 12 – 6:00 – 7:00 P.M.						
2	Day 5	Day 6 Song Lab-3:30	Day 1 Bus Evacuation KYAC-First Aid 3:30	Day 2 Song Lab-3:30	GOOD FRIDAY NO SCHOOL	8	
9	10 Day 3	Day 4 Field Trip-Special "O" 9:15 Song Lab-3:30	Day 5 Field Trip - Gr.5 - 9:50 KYAC First Aid - Last Class	Day 6 Divisional Dance Day Gr.4/5 Hip Hop Song Lab-3:30	Day 1 PD DAY NO SCHOOL	15	
16	17 Day 2	Day 3 Song Lab-3:30	19 Day 4	Day 5 Song Lab-3:30	21 Day 6	22	
23	24 Day 1	Day 2 Song Lab-3:30	26 Day 3	Day 4 Song Lab-3:30	28 Day 5 Field Trip – Gr. 5's	29	

Preschool Program Victory School's Parent and Child

April 2023

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	Friday	NO PRRESCHOOL NO SCHOOL GOOD FRIDAY	NO PRRESCHOOL NO SCHOOL DIVISIONAL PD DAY	Preschool Program 915-1115	28 Preschool Program 915-1115	
	Thursday	9		20	27	
	Wednesday	5 Preschool Program 915-1115	Preschool Program 915-1115	Preschool Program 915-1115	Preschool Program 915-1115	
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