

Hawk Talk

2016-2017 Transportation

If you currently take a school bus, please note that transportation forms have been sent home. Transportation application forms must be completed every year. Transportation applications and payment (if required) were due April 29th.

Grade 8 Farewell Celebration

Our Grade 8 Farewell will take place on Wednesday, June 22nd at 6:00 p.m. at the Sunova Centre in West St. Paul. The evening begins with a buffet dinner followed by classroom videos and presentations that celebrate their years at ÉSOMS. The students celebrate the remainder of the evening with a dance. Parents are encouraged to attend this evening with their children. We would graciously appreciate parental volunteer support to assist with this evening. Further information about tickets, event details and requests for volunteers will be sent home with your children later in the month. We look forward to this special evening to celebrate the achievements and efforts of all of our Grade 8 students.



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In the gym....

Physical Education Classes

Throughout the month of April, students participated in a number of physical education units: soccer, speedball, tchoukball and low organized games. Students also completed a number of fitness activities.

Special Olympics

Our Special Olympic athletes are preparing for the upcoming *In the School* Track and Field meet, being held on Tuesday, May 17th at Grant Park High School. It'll be a great day full of friendly competition and team building!

Extracurricular

Basketball: Thank you to all of our players, coaches and families for another great basketball season! We are so proud of our players! A special thank you to the following teachers/coaches for their commitment and support throughout this season: Coach A .Hall, Coach Hunter, Coach Bittner, Coach Shettler, Coach Farmer, Coach Serzu, Coach Malaschuk and Coach Erik.

Outdoor Track and Field: The outdoor track and field season is well underway! Practices are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11:15am-12:05 pm. Coach Sherri and Coach Labossiere have their student athletes in grades 6, 7 and 8 preparing to participate for the Divisional Track and Field meet being held on Wednesday, May 25th at West Kildonan Collegiate.

Marathon Club: Students in grades 6, 7 and 8 continue training for various long distance running races being offered at the Manitoba Marathon. This big event takes place on Sunday, June 19th. Coach Hall, Coach Henry and Coach Koshelanyk have arranged practices for Monday and Wednesday afternoons, starting at 3:10pm.

Softball: The Softball season has begun! Mme.Friesen will be coaching the grade 6 team. She has planned practices for Tuesdays after school. Mr. Serzu and Mr. Nault will be coaching the grade 7 team. They have planned practices to be Fridays after school. Mr. Ruppenthal will be coaching the grade 8 team. Practices TBA. The location of the tournaments will be announced later this month. Bus transportation will be provided. The tournament dates are as follows: Grade 6s - June 13, Grade 7s – June 7 and Grade 8s – June 8.

Flag Football: This year ÉSOMS is offering a new extracurricular sport – Flag Football! Coach Friesen and Coach Erik have arranged practices for Wednesdays at lunch and Friday mornings. The Flag Football Jamboree is scheduled for Friday, May 20th!

PE Department

Ms.Shettler, Mr.Malaschuk and Mrs.Cassils

ESOMS Outdoor Track & Field Team

Last week students had the opportunity to begin signing up for the ESOMS Track Team. They were encouraged to circle the events that they are most interested in.

Our events are:

- 100m
- 200m
- 300m
- 800m
- 1500m
- Long Jump
- Triple Jump
- Discus
- Shot Put
- 3000m will be run on another day other than the divisional track meet.



Practices started this week on Tuesday April 26th and run from 11:20 - 11:50am.

Your child was given a permission/participation form on April 26th. Please return **ONLY** the bottom portion immediately to one of the track coaches & retain the pertinent information and post at home.

Students are encouraged to eat a small snack prior to the practice, but eat the majority of their lunch after practice. Students should have plenty of time to eat their lunch and return to class on time for 12:15pm.

Due to the numbers of students in the division, we are limited to 3 entries per grade level, per gender. Ex. There are only 3 spots for grade 8 girls Discus out of all 7 of our grade 8 classes.

Students need to attend practices regularly as we will take attendance. Students must have and wear an ESOMS T-shirt for the track meet.

Please note: students cannot join Track and just choose a relay. They must choose individual events to participate in. In past years, we have had to cut the day short due to running out of time or busing. Relays haven't been completed, or even started some years.

Our Divisional Track Meet is on: **Wednesday May 25th** (Rain date - Fri. May 27th)

Location: West Kildonan High School

The Junior High Provincial Track Meet is on: **Wednesday June 15th**

Location: University of Manitoba



***Track meet cancellations will be announced on Seven Oaks School Division website by 7:am on the day of the track meet.

Go Hawks!

Coaches this year are Sherri Courchene and Mme. Labossiere

Music Notes...

Students are going strong in the music program: preparing for upcoming festivals and concerts.

A reminder that the Choir/Fiddle Concert has been moved to **Monday May 30th** at 7pm in the gym at ESOMS. Students are expected to wear concert black and arrive by 6:30.

The Band Concert is still on **Wednesday June 8th** at 7pm in the Centre Gym at Garden City Collegiate. Students are expected to wear concert black and arrive by 6:15 in order to properly warm-up and tune their instruments.

Members of the Grade 8 Band are traveling to Saskatchewan in May to participate in the Moose Jaw Band Festival. Please note that our hotel has changed for the second night. Rather than staying in Caronport, we will now be staying at a hotel in Moose Jaw: Days Inn, 1720 Main St North, (306) 691-5777.

All band instruments, method books, and other band supplies must be returned to the ESOMS band room by Wednesday June 15th so that we can do an inventory of our instruments and send them out for summer cleaning. We thank you in advance for arranging transportation to return these instruments.

Silhouettes Gymnastic Club

Summer camp for girls age 5 years and up.

Space is limited

July 25-29 8-4

August 2-5 8-4

R.F. Morrison School

25 Morrison

For more information email

silhouettesgymclub@gmail.com

Spend your summer at Oak Hammock Marsh!

July 1, 2016

Celebrate Canada's birthday at Oak Hammock Marsh Interpretive Centre with horse-drawn *wagon rides, face painting and special birthday cupcakes!*

August 13 & 14, 2016

The Dragonfly Festival is an annual event featuring Dragonfly Safaris, Face Painting, Food Art Contests and more!

Oak Hammock Marsh is also offering weeklong camps for children ages 5 to 13 in July and August. Camp is filled with fun indoor and outdoor themed activities that could include scavenger hunts, canoe adventures, outdoor cooking and nature crafts.

For more information on special events, weekly themes or to register a camper please visit:

<http://www.oakhammockmarsh.ca>,

or call (204) 467-3300.

Our Incredibows students will join fiddle students from other SOSD schools in a **Divisional Mass Fiddle Concert on Tuesday, May 3 at 7:00 p.m. at Jubilee Place**, at 173 Riverton Avenue. Three levels of fiddle groups will perform four tunes each, and the concert will end with a mass fiddle finale of four tunes played by all 300+ fiddlers! We are thrilled to once again welcome our special guest Patti Kusturok (who will play a 15-minute pre-concert set), as well as Jeremy Rusu, Daniel Koulack, Ariel Posen, and Rob Siwik as our stellar backup band! Don't miss this concert!

Our grade seven fiddle classes are preparing for May concerts at several elementary schools, as follows:

*Victory - May 6 - 9:30 - 10:00 a.m. - Walter, Sampson, Bromilow

*Governor Semple - May 13 - 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. - Walter, Sampson, Bromilow

*Belmont - May 17 - 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. - Hall, Henry, Brodeur

Riverbend - May 20 - 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. - Incredibows 7&8

* We will be WALKING to these concerts, rain or shine, so please dress according to the weather!



**DO YOU PLAY FIDDLE?
COME JOIN US!**

SOSD DIVISIONAL FIDDLE GROUP

(FOR FIDDLERS IN GRADE 6 AND HIGHER WHO HAVE
PLAYED FOR AT LEAST A YEAR OR SO)

EVERY THURSDAY

(UNTIL JUNE 16)

4:00 – 6:00 P.M.

**ROOMS 212 AND 221 (MAPLES WING)
MAPLES COLLEGIATE**

Music provided. Fiddle jam, plus new tunes to learn!
Please bring your own fiddle, but if you don't have access to one, please call
the number below, or email Karen Warner to make arrangements.
Bring a snack if you like!

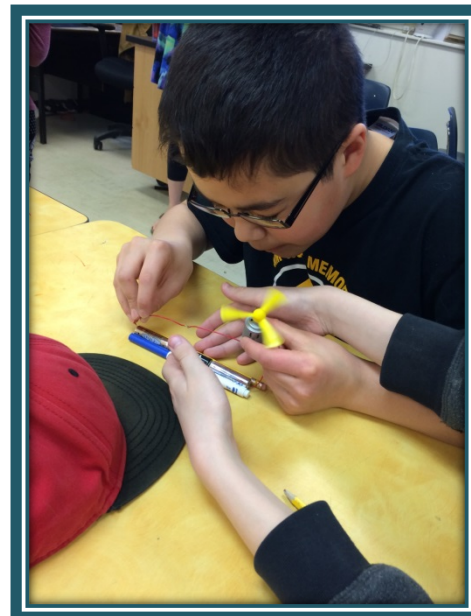
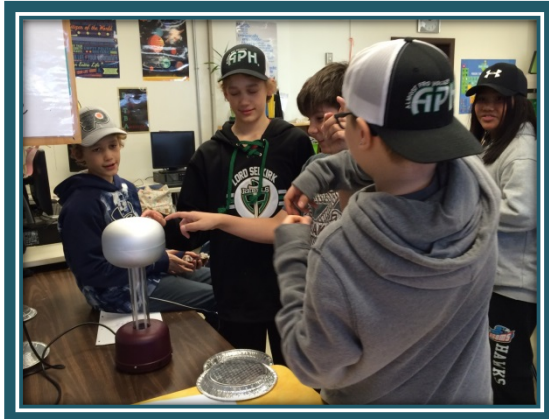
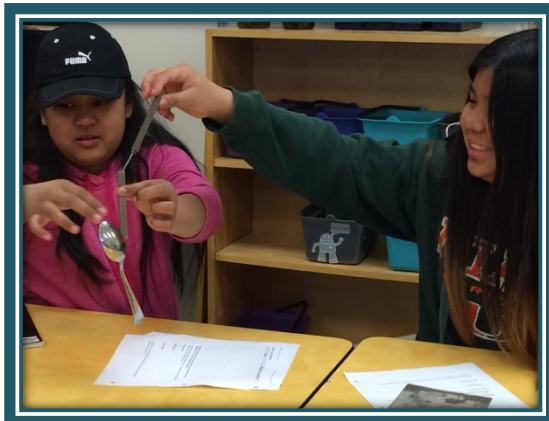
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Life and Learning at ESOMS

La vie et l'apprentissage

Mme Desloges – Salle 15

Les élèves de la salle 15 explorent l'unité d'électricité cet terme ou ils travaillent avec un générateur de Van Der Graaf. Cet générateur produit l'électricité statique. Les élèves explorent les conducteurs et les isolants d'électricité. Ils pratiquent aussi à créer des circuits électriques en utilisant différents matériaux comme des fils, des batteries, des lumières, des ventilateurs et aussi la pate a modeler. Bientôt ils vont aller sur une sortie scolaire ou ils vont visiter la musée d'électricité.



Mme Friesen – Salle 13

L'apprentissage 'en faisant'-Learning 'By Doing'

If you are a tactile learner, you learn by touching and doing. You understand and remember things through physical movement. You are a "hands-on" learner who prefers to touch, move, build, or draw what you learn, and you tend to learn better when some type of physical activity is involved. You need to be active and take frequent breaks, you often speak with your hands and with gestures, and you may have difficulty sitting still.

As a tactile learner, you like to take things apart and put things together, and you tend to find reasons to tinker or move around when you become bored. You may be very well coordinated and have good athletic ability. You can easily remember things that were done but may have difficulty remembering what you saw or heard in the process. It is OK to learn, by 'doing'!



Red River Rebellion re-enactment



Working with Mme. Henry's class to complete a survey-Math/French Skills building



Listening from "Chris without a hat" at the MB Aviation Museum about engines, airplanes and flight



Future Aviation Engineers at Work



Sherri – Room 27

Spring Gardening

Gardening has begun at ESOMS this year! We were excited to begin weeding and to feel the dirt in our fingers. The students & staff are looking forward to the nice weather so that we can start organizing our garden boxes. We plan on having a new variety of plants, grasses, flowers, and vegetables this year! Stay tuned.



May 2016

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THUR | FRI | SAT |
|-----|--|--|--|----------|--|-----|
| 1 | 2 Day 1  | 3 Day 2 Hawk Talk Family Meeting 6:30 pm Divisional Fiddle Concert Jubilee Place 7:00 pm | 4 Day 3 | 5 Day 4 | 6 Day 5 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 Day 6 | 10 Day 1 | 11 Day 2 | 12 Day 3 | 13 Day 4 Grade 8 Career Day | 14 |
| 15 | 16 Day 5 ÉSOMS PD No Classes | 17 Day 6 Special Olympics Grant Park High School | 18 Day 1 | 19 Day 2 | 20 Day 3 Flag Football Jamboree | 21 |
| 22 | 23 Victoria Day No Classes | 24 Day 4 | 25 Day 5 Outdoor Track & Field @ WKCI | 26 Day 6 | 27 Day 1 Track & Field Rain Date | 28 |
| 29 | 30 Day 2 Choir & Fiddle Concert 7:00 pm ÉSOMS Gym | 31 Day 3 | May 17 – 19 Grade 8 Band Moose Jaw  | | | |

Science Rendezvous

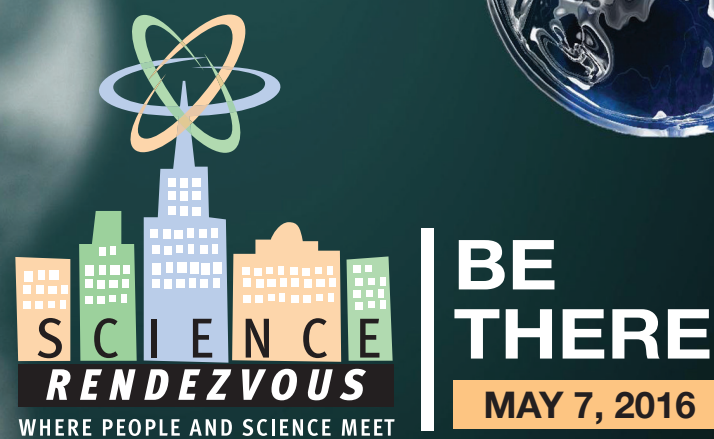
Get your hands on science

Saturday, May 7th 2016

University of Manitoba
Fort Garry Campus
E.I.T.C. Bldg
75 Chancellors Circle, Winnipeg
11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.



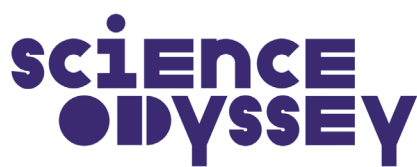
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First 100
visitors
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Admission:
\$5/person

Saturday, April 30
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
at the Manitoba
Children's Museum

The Discover Giving Festival helps families instill the values of generosity and charity in their children.

- Tips for raising generous, giving children.
- Hands-on activities to inspire children to give.
- Stories that encourage generosity.
- Give-Save-Spend piggy banks for you to take home.



#DiscoverGiving





A Community Family event

sponsored by

the Seven Oaks Early Years Coalition

Free Community Supper

featuring ethnic food

First Annual General Meeting

Entertainment by : **Castlemoon Theatre**

May 18 5—7 p.m.

Garden City Community Center

**Free books and displays of all things related to children
0—age 6.**

RSVP to : cathy.horbas@7oaks.org

Call: 204-927-3700 ext 12044

YOUTH FOOTBALL REGISTRATION INFO

BOYS & GIRLS AGE 7 OR OLDER!

NORTH WINNIPEG NOMADS FOOTBALL CLUB

INTERESTED IN FOOTBALL? 7 YEARS OLD (BORN IN 2009) OR OLDER

WHERE

NORTH WINNIPEG NOMADS
CLUBHOUSE - 581 MCPHILLIPS ST.

ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE CASINO

WHEN

THURSDAY MAY 5 - 6:30 - 9 PM

FRIDAY MAY 6 - 6:30 - 9 PM

SATURDAY MAY 7 - 10 AM - 2 PM

REGISTRATION FEES

EQUIPMENT PROVIDED

\$300 - CRUNCHERS

\$400 - ATOM - PEEWEE - BANTAM

DUE AT MAY REGISTRATION

\$50 - REQUIRED WITH ALL KIDSPORT
APPLICATIONS

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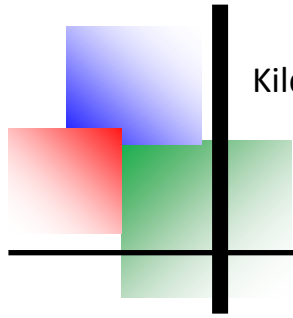
- * FUNDRAISING FOR EACH AGE LEVEL WILL BE REQUIRED
- * PAYMENT PLANS, ARRANGEMENTS, ALONG WITH KIDSPORT FUNDING AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

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Kildonan Youth Activity Centre (KYAC)

MAY 2016



KYAC Program Coordinator: chelsea.volkart@7oaks.org OR (204)470-9460

<http://www.7oaks.org/Programs/KYAC/Pages/default.aspx>

What is KYAC?

KYAC is a non-profit youth drop-in centre concerned with meeting the needs of youth, ages 8-17, in Seven Oaks School Division. Our drop-in programs offer a wide variety of activities ranging from low organized games, recreational sports, movie nights, guitar lessons, art classes and crafts.

To register: visit our website, click "online registration" and fill our your child's information. Or contact the program coordinator.

KYAC Summer Program Information:

WHO: Any student, ages 8-17, who attends schools within Seven Oaks School Division.

WHAT: KYAC runs a 7 week drop-in summer program at 2 schools within the division which offers a combination of activities that include: leadership program opportunities, low organized games and sports, arts and crafts, field trips every day and a variety of fun activities to help keep local youth busy during the summer months!

WHEN: Programming Starts: July 4th, 2016 and Ends: August 18th, 2016.

WHERE: Monday – Friday, 8:30 – 4:30pm @ Edmund Partridge Community School AND École Seven Oaks Middle School.

HOW to register: Registration will take place on Thursday **June 16th @ 5:00pm at Seven Oaks Middle School**. Arrive early as field trips fill up quickly!

More information will be available in your June newsletter and presentations will be held in every school for program details! Or check the KYAC website for the most recent updates and detailed program schedule! OR contact the KYAC Program Coordinator.

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| 1 | 2 6:00-9:00 EP | 3 3:00-5:00 Riverbend 6:00-9:00 ESOMS | 4 3:30-5:30 Governor Semple 6:00-9:00 EP | 5 3:30-5:30 Forest Park 6:00-9:00 ESOMS | 6 6:00-9:00 Riverbend 6:00-9:00 EP | 7 12:00-5:00 ESOMS |
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