



# École Constable Edward Finney School May 2026 Newsletter



We are looking forward to the beautiful weather May brings! With the warmer temperatures coming our way, families are invited to send a reusable water bottle to school, labelled with your child's name, which can be filled up at our water stations and fountains.

The past several weeks have been busy and exciting with fieldtrips, our Grade One/Two Concert, Pow Wow Club starting up and flag football practices. May, too, will be an eventful and action-packed month with Cross-Country meets, Track and Field days, Arts in the Park, and several fieldtrips.

As always, please feel free to contact us with any questions about activities taking place at the school. Enjoy the beautiful weather!



## Important Dates:

- *May 13—6:30pm concert—SOPAC—Rooms 4,6,8,10,12, & 15 (see page 3)*
- *May 14—6:30pm concert—SOPAC—Rooms 5,9,13,16, & 19 (see page 3)*
- *May 18—Victoria Day—NO SCHOOL*
- *May 21—Shepherd's Daycare CLOSED*
- *May 22—Shepherd's Daycare, Maples Daycares, & OK Before & After Programs —CLOSED*
- *June 2—Welcome to KG Evening—5:30—7:00—For those registered*
- *June 4— Graduation PowWow Evening*
- *June 5—Divisional PD Day—NO SCHOOL*
- *June 25—Tabloid Day!!*
- *June 26-Grade 5 Farewell—Time TBA*
- *June 30—Last Day of Classes—Early Dismissal TBA*



## From the Office

If you will be moving or not returning to the school in the Fall, please contact the office at 204-694-8688 or email [constable.finney@7oaks.org](mailto:constable.finney@7oaks.org).



# ONLINE Kindergarten and New Student Registration

Kindergarten and New Student registration has begun! Please visit [www.7oaks.org](http://www.7oaks.org) and click on the “Registration” button.



Registration

Children born in **2021** can start Kindergarten in September 2026.

You must register at your catchment school for Kindergarten. If you are unsure what your catchment school is, feel free to call our office at 204-694-8688.

When registering, you will need to attach your child’s birth certificate or passport, as well as proof of current address (2 pieces i.e. offer to purchase, lease agreement, property tax bill, hydro bill, water bill, etc.), plus any other important documents (PR card, work permit/study permit, custody arrangements etc).

If you do not have online access, you are welcome to come in and fill out an application in the office, please bring all required documentation. Please call 204-694-8688 for more information.



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## Upcoming Daycare /Before & After Closures

**Shepherd’s Daycare - Closed Thursday May 21st and Friday May 22nd**  
**Maples Daycare (Finney & Amber Trails) - Closed Friday May 22nd**  
**OK Before & After Programs (all locations) - Closed Friday May 22nd**  
**(AE Wright, Constable Finney, Elwick, OV Jewitt, Templeton locations)**

Your child/children will need to be dropped off/picked up from the school this day.

Please note arrival/dismissal time:

AM drop-off: 8:00—8:25 (school starts 8:30)

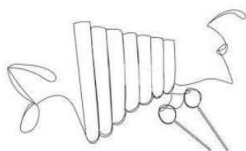
Morning Kindergarten Dismissal: 11:00AM

Afternoon Kindergarten drop-off: 12:30 PM

Grade 1-5 and Afternoon Kindergarten Dismissal: 3:00 PM

# May 13 and 14 Concert Information!

(please take note of which evening your child's classroom is performing)



## All Aboard! Tout le monde à bord !

Don't forget our CONCERT is at

SEVEN OAKS PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE (SOPAC)  
(711 Jefferson Ave – Garden City Collegiate)



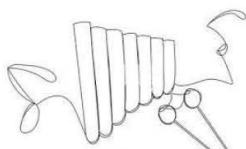
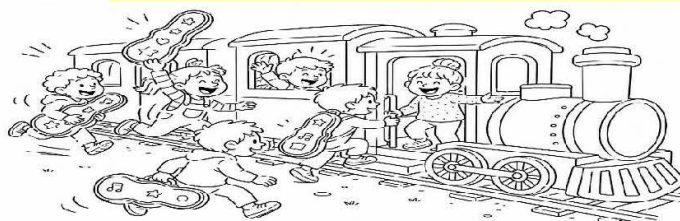
**Wednesday, May 13 at 6:30 pm**

\*\*\*please drop off your child/children backstage at 6:15pm\*\*\*

Audience Doors will open at 6:00pm

The following classes will be performing:

**Room 4 (Ms. Bosak), Room 6 (Ms. Tanya) Room 8 (Ms. Crawford), Salle 10 (Mme. Herosian/Mme. Kilbrai-Dyck/Mme. Boulhout), Salle 12 (Mme. Harvey), & Salle 15 (Mme. Lisa)**



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The following classes will be performing:

**Room 5 (Ms. Myska), Salle 9 (Mme. Heather)  
Salle 13 (Mme. Self), Salle 16 (M. Kouadio) & Salle 19 (Mme. Diaz/Mme. Adjo)**



# FINNEY LIBRARY YEAR-END DATES TO REMEMBER

**June 16: last day to  
check out books**

**All books due June 24!**

If your child's library books have been lost or damaged, please let me know. We do not require families to pay for lost books, but a book donation is always welcome.

Merci,

Mme. Lee-Ann

[leeann.baldwin@7oaks.org](mailto:leeann.baldwin@7oaks.org)

Physical Education News  
May 2026

With the warm sunny days Finney Falcons are bringing the heat to spring sports!



The Grade 5 Flag Football club have begun practising for the Flag Football Jamboree that will be held May 13th at the Winnipeg Soccer Federation North.



Grade 5 students can join the Tennis Club with a culminating tournament on May 20th at the West St. Paul Tennis Hub.

Divisional Track and Field will be offered to all interested Grade 4 and 5 students on June 8th with a rain date on June 11th.

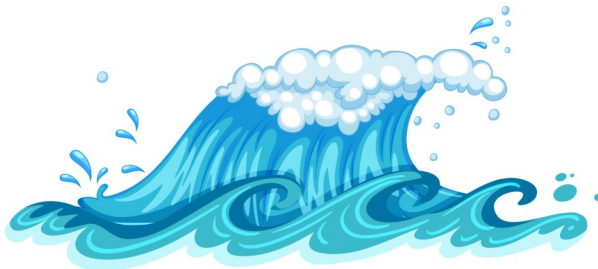
With the warmer weather, it's a great time to review safety precautions we can take in our community. Here are some links to get conversations started with your child/ren:

- **Water Safety:** [Water Safety for Young Children • Healthy Parenting Winnipeg \(parentinginmanitoba.ca\)](#)
- **Bike Safety:** [KidsCyclingBrochure.pdf \(mpi.mb.ca\)](#)
- **Playground Safety:** [Home-playground-safety-guide.pdf \(preventfalls.ca\)](#)

**Sport Joke of the month**

Two waves had a race. Who won?

(They tide!)






# École Mino Pimatisiwin Community Information Night

**Wednesday, May 20th, 2026**  
**West Kildonan Collegiate Commons**  
**101 Ridgecrest Ave.**  
**6:00 p.m.**

Please RSVP if you plan on attending to  
[minopimatisiwin@7oaks.org](mailto:minopimatisiwin@7oaks.org)




## **KIDFIT60**

**BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL**

**REGISTRATION FOR SEPTEMBER  
2026 NOW OPEN!**

<b>MAPLES</b>	<b>GC (GARDEN CITY)</b>
434 Adsum Drive	725 Kingsbury Ave
🕒 7:00–9:00 AM & 3:00–5:30 PM	🕒 7:00–9:00 AM & 3:00–5:45 PM
🚌 Must Have Seven Oaks Transportation	🚌 Shuttle Spaces to Select Schools
*OPEN HOUSE May 13 <sup>th</sup> from 4-6pm*	🚌 Must Have Bussing from Seven Oaks Transportation

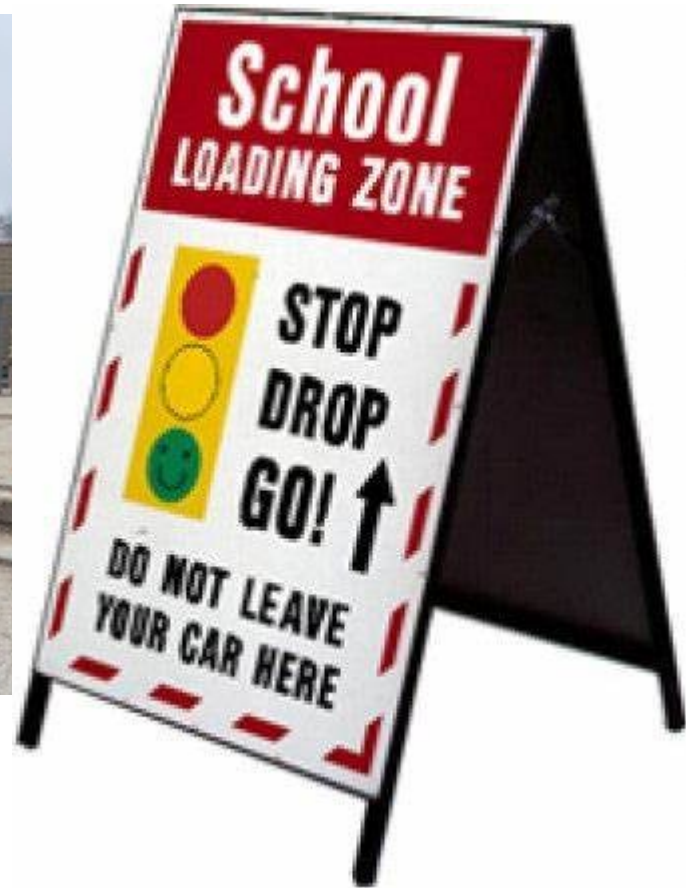
**! LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE  
REGISTER TODAY!**

**KIDFIT60 JR**  
 1295 Salter St  
 730am–530pm  
 Ages: 2–5  
[Kidfit60jr@gmail.com](mailto:Kidfit60jr@gmail.com)  
**Childcare Spaces Available!!!**



**OPEN HOUSE MAY 13<sup>TH</sup> FROM 4-6PM**  
**AT THE MAPLES LOCATION • 434 ADSUM DRIVE**

📞 204-999-6707  
 ✉ [kidfit60@gmail.com](mailto:kidfit60@gmail.com)



### Student and Daycare Drop-Off and Pick-Up Zone

Please be aware that we have **only one shared lane** for both student and daycare drop-off and pick-up. This area can become very busy before and after school.

To ensure the safety of our students and the smooth flow of traffic, we kindly ask all families to follow the **“Stop, Drop, and Go”** rule:

- **Stop** your vehicle in the designated loading zone.
- **Drop off** or pick up your child promptly.
- **Go**—please do not leave your vehicle unattended.

This area experiences a high volume of both vehicles and pedestrians in a short period, so your cooperation is essential in preventing congestion and ensuring student safety.

Thank you for your attention and support in keeping our community safe and efficient.

PRESENTED BY:  
SEVEN OAKS FILIPINO EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION (SOFEA) INC.,  
SEVEN OAKS SCHOOL DIVISION, AND MAPLES COLLEGIATE



## PHILIPPINE HERITAGE & INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

For tickets please contact:  
nerissa.manabat@7oaks.org,  
kashmere.huynh@7oaks.org, or  
carmelita.espino@7oaks.org

Friday, June 12, 2026

5:00 Pm - 8:00 PM

Maples Collegiate, Judy Silver Commons  
1330 Jefferson Ave.

\$5 Admission Ticket for above 12 years old

Cultural Entertainment and Exhibit  
Souvenirs, Food, and Drinks for purchase



“Strengthening our Stewardship and Kinship across Generations and Nations”

“Pagpapatibay ng ating Pangangalaga at Pagkakaugnay  
sa mga iba’t ibang Henerasyon at mga Bansa”

Seven Oaks School Division

17th Annual

# Graduation Pow Wow

June

4th 2026

Maples Collegiate Field 1330 Jefferson Ave  
Pipe Ceremony 3:00 Registration 4:00 Feast 4:30 Grand Entrance 5:30



All Nations  
All Welcome

MC: Co-Co Ray Stevenson

Host Drum: Walking Wolf

Vendors Welcome

For more information call Donna at (204) 586-8061