

ST. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL YEAR END NEWSLETTER—June 2020

"A Community of Faith Devoted to Students"

To the Entire St. Michael's Community;

It has indeed seemed like a terribly long time when students walked the halls of our school. For the most part a school without the sounds of children is ominous and strange. We truly miss them greatly and their return cannot come soon enough.

The curve ball that was thrown to all of us was without warning and sudden. Adaptations for on-line learning had to be both swift and ever changing depending upon needs and platforms available. If a team approach was not implemented failure was bound to follow. I am confident in speaking with many of you the home environment became new in a variety of ways as well. Without the intention of pontificating the playing field in many ways can only be approached one day at a time as we do not know what surface we may encounter.

But I would like to sincerely congratulate all of you for your steadfastness, try, and more importantly for the level of engagement that was maintained. Our engagement with students remained above 95% which is a credit to them as well as parents/guardians.

I know you have received correspondence from our Superintendent, Ken Sampson, which I hope proved to be helpful in some way. As we prepare for closure shortly no one knows what September will bring including Alberta Health Services and Alberta Education. Anyone in education who says they know they playing field is shooting from the hip and pre-empting the provincial authorities which at least in my view is unethical and unprofessional minimally. We do know there are three possibilities ranging from full on schooling to partial reopening and finally full on online. The possibility that becomes a reality will be dependent upon region and health data from the governing bodies. I say only as a prediction not an authority based on conversations, etc. we are probably looking at scenario 1 or 2. A finite decision will be made by AHS and AB ED on August 1. If any finite, real information comes before then we will advise immediately.

Please be advised that any laptops (Edwins, PAC's) used by grade 7-11 must be returned with charger on one of the following days: Monday, June 22, Tuesday, June 23 or Wednesday, June 24 between the hours of 9:00 am and 2:00 p.m. The front door will be open for access during that time. Please bring them to the library. Backpacks do not have to be returned.

In addition, during those times available please feel free to pick up any awards, certificates, etc. that may be forthcoming or drop off textbooks that need to be returned.

Report cards for Jr/Sr High will look a little different as well. Percentages will be removed for grades 7-9 as per directive from Holy Spirit. Please find in the comment section of Power School an anecdotal report. Grades 10-12 will have percentages as well as an anecdotal report.

Graduation

Our grade 12 Graduation is taking place on Friday, June 26. From 5:00-6:00 pm the Grads will be lined up in front of SMBI in full regalia to receive waves, gifts, etc. from passers by. They will then proceed to St. Michael's Church to receive a blessing from out interim pastor, Father Ed Hospet. If you choose to stop and extend a greeting to our students please do so quickly as per health regulations. All protocols have been implemented and approved by our own district and AHS. Pray for nice weather. I would like to thank Mrs. Joanne Van Tryp, Ms. Matulin and Miss Dyrkacz for their hours invested in a very difficult undertaking. Their approach has been calm, reasoned and steady.

Before closing, I would like to thank Miss Kyla Matthews for an exceptional job. Being a 1st year teacher and subsequently being faced with these unusual times could not have been easy. It has not been easy for the best. She stayed the course resolutely keeping her students at the forefront. Miss Matthews has secured a full time position with Lethbridge 51 and I wish her God's speed in her chosen vocation. We are currently interviewing for Mrs. Schwab's Fall maternity leave and expect an announcement shortly. All other staff will be returning.

Finally, I wish you all the best for the summer, in health and in every way. I am going to take the liberty and paraphrase from Aidan Van Tryp, God has a reason for these strange and difficult times. We do not know the answer to why but must have the faith and trust in Jesus to carry on with hope. Well said Aidan.

Please find a draft timetable that would reflect a full reopening. If need be we will adjust after August 1. Bussing, classroom configurations, etc. cannot be determined until further direction from the authorities. However, being a small school has its advantages in this regard.

Yours in Christ Chris Sumner Staff 2020/21

Custodian—Mr. Kuystermans
Educational Assistant—Mrs. Schlachter
Librarian/Educational Assistant—Mrs. Mastel

Administrative Assistant—Mrs. Johnson Educational Assistant—Mrs. Kielstra

*** More than likely there will be another EA added to the post

Kindergarten—Mrs. Krauss

Grade 1-2-Mrs. Weatherhead

Grade 1-2, Social 7/8, Religious Studies 7/8/9—Miss Crooymans

Grade 3/4—Miss Dyrkacz

Grade 5/6, Science 7/8—Ms. Matulin

Grade 5/6/7/8 Math, Social 9/10, PE 7/8/9—TBA

Grade 9 & High School Math and Sciences—Mr. Allen

ELA 7-12, Religious Studies 10-12, Principal—Mr. Sumner



HOLY SPIRIT 2020-2021 SMBI SCHOOL YEAR DRAFT CALENDAR

Aug 25 First day staff Aug 26 School PD Day Aug 27 & 28 Div. PD Day Aug 31 Div. Opening Mass

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Oct 12 Thanksgiving Day Oct 13 Div. PD Day Oct 28 Div. Board Meeting

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OCTOBER '20									
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Dec 18 Last day before break Dec 16 Div. Board Meeting Dec 21-31 Christmas Break Dec 25&26 Christmas & Boxing Days

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	DECEMBER '20									
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Feb 5 School PD day Feb 15 Family Day Feb 16 &17 Unassigned time teachers, No students Feb 18 & 19 SWATCA Feb 24 Div. Board Meeting

O – 17 (118) I – Elementary/Jr. High 14 (105) Senior High 14 (107)

FEBRUARY '21									
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Apr 1 Last day before break Apr 2 Good Friday Apr 4 Easter Sunday Apr 2 – 9 Easter Break Apr 12 First day after break Apr 26 School PD Day Apr 28 Div. Board Meeting

O – 16 (157) I –Elementary/Jr. High 15 (141) Senior High 15 (143)

APRIL '21									
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June 21 Aboriginal Day June 23 Div. Board Meeting June 25 Last day students

O – 19 (196) I – Elementary/Jr. High 19 (175) Senior High 19 (182)

JUNE '21								
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Sept 1 First day students Sept 7 Labour Day Sept 18 School PD Day Sept 23 Div. Board Meeting

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Nov 11 Remembrance Day Nov 20 School PD Day Nov 23-27 Options Week Nov 25 Div. Board Meeting

O – 20 (67) I – Elementary/Jr. High 17 (57) Senior High 19 (59)

JANUARY '21									
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Jan 1 New Year's Day Jan 4 First day after break Jan 27 Div. Board Meeting

O – 20 (101) I – Elementary/Jr. High 20 (91) Senior High 20 (93)

	MARCH '21									
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Mar 16 Div. Spiritual Dev Day Mar 19 Div. Collab. Day Mar 24 Div. Board Meeting

O – 23 (141) I – Elementary/Jr. High 21 (126) Senior High 21 (128)

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May 3-7 Options Week May 24 Victoria Day May 26 Div. Board Meeting

O – 20 (177) I –Elementary/Jr. High 15 (156) Senior High 20 (163)

JULY '21									
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No students
Stat Holidays
School PD Days
Options Week
Div. PD/Spiritual Dev Days
Div. Board Meetings
First and last days students

Semester 1 **DRAFT** Timetable 2020/2021

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Mrs. Krauss
Mrs. Weatherhead
Miss Dyrkacz
Ms. Matulin

Mr. Allen
To Be Announced
Miss Crooymans
Mr. Sumner