# Miller Elementary IEWSLETTER



## Welcome Back to Miller Elementary School!



We are so excited to see you all bright and ready to learn for a new year filled with fun, learning, and adventure!

Let's welcome all our new students:

Tripp Kovacs ~ Sloane Wentzell ~ Layton Boyko ~ Eli Musey-Phillips

And of course our new Kindergarten kids:

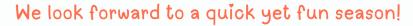
Liam Bloor ~ Sophia Boyko ~ Lincoln Davis ~ Gage Douhaniuk Rylee Gerard ~ Nash Hoehn ~ Hayez Melnychuk ~ Cohen Mierke ~ Ally Sies Maria Stephens ~ Maxwell Wood ~ Axel Wyporowich

We have one new staff member; please welcome our new Educational Assistant ~ Madhuri Brahmbhatt ~

## **Cross Country**

Cross Country began on September 3, for Grades 4-6. The Cross Country team will be lead by Mr. Lechner and Mrs. Morgan. Meets are









## Monthly Newsletter

At the start of each month Miller will send out a newsletter with all the activities, information and important dates for the month.

Newsletters will be sent via e-mail except for those parents that have specifically requested paper copies. If you received an electronic copy but would prefer the newsletter in paper form, please let the office know. The newsletter may also be viewed on the Miller School website http://mill.gssd.ca.

## Health Concerns

This year at Miller Elementary we have a few students with nut allergies; one in Grade 1/2, one in Grade 2/3 and one in Grade 4/5. We ask that all students/rooms be nut conscious and that students in Mrs. Schick and Mrs. Boake's rooms avoid sending food with nuts if possible.

We also ask that perfume and/or strong lotions not be used as many teachers and students have adverse reactions to scents.

## School Supplies/Agenda Fees

Miller School provides their students with all the basic school supplies. There will be a one-time nominal fee at the beginning of each school year to cover the cost of the school agenda and supplies. These fees are due when your child starts school.

Kindergarten (No Agenda) = \$35.00 Grades 1-6 = Agenda (\$10.00) + Supply Fee (\$35.00) = \$45.00

Agendas are a vital tool for communication. Teachers use them to send home important information from the school and we ask parents to do the same. Please use your child's agenda to let their teacher know if your child will be absent, late, picked up early, picked up vs taking the bus, or any other important information that needs to be passed along.

## Milk Company

Milk cards can be purchased from the office or the Milk Company for \$10.00 (11 punches) or drinks bought individually for \$1.00.



Milk cards are kept at school and hole punched when used. These cards are sent home with a note when used up. White and chocolate milk are available as well as fruit juice boxes.

## **School Photos**

Tracy Kerestesh will once again be taking the school pictures.

Picture Day is Tuesday, September 23, at 9:00 a.m.



## Important Reminders...

#### Before and After School

City students should not arrive before 8:45 am.

There will be a supervisor outside at 8:30 a.m. to monitor bus arrivals. All students must go home at the end of the school day.

#### School Doors

Miller School's doors will be locked at 9:05 a.m. If you need to pick up or drop off your child after this time, please use the main school door on 6th Ave. West.

#### School Closure

In the event of a school power or water emergency, a closure may be announced. School closures will be broadcast on CJGX 94. A fan out telephone system will be used to contact parents. In the event that a school closure takes place during the school day, parents or billets will be contacted by phone.

If p.m. buses are cancelled, parents/billets of bus students will be called.

### **EDSBY**

EDSBY provides a way for parents and guardians to receive school updates, calendar events, view student progress and much more. It helps simplify communication among and between teachers, students and parents. For each of your children – even if they go to different schools – you'll see your child(s) classes, teachers and school information. EDSBY is also where you will receive your child's Report Card.

EDSBY invites have been sent out. Please check your spam/junk mail boxes just in case. If you are already signed up, there is no need to do anything more. If you did not receive an email and would like to sign up, please contact Ms. Alexander in the office.

## School Cash Online

Miller Families are invited to sign up for School Cash Online, an easy way to pay for milk cards, school fees, school clothing and more.

Once you have registered your child(ren), you will be able to see when new items are available for purchase. You also have the option to be notified whenever your child has a new school expense due, so you don't have to worry about missing the deadline.



To access School Cash Online: https://gssd.schoolcashonline.com/Fee/Index



July ~ August ~ September Birthdays

July

Jaxon Fayant - July 5
Caiden Hoehn - July 7
Eli Musey-Phillips - July 10
Ty Deren - July 16
Max Sweatman - July 17
Sloane Wentzell - July 19
Layton Boyko - July 27





#### August

Layne Stephanow - Aug 5
Denys Barbuliak - Aug 8
Maxwell Wood - Aug 13
Mikayla Deneka - Aug 16
Evie Harkes-Tessier - Aug 17
Frank Wilkinson - Aug 17
Kyanna Smith-Sparvier - Aug 23
Kaitlyn Slingerland - Aug 24
Amy Schuster - Aug 25



#### September

Mia Davis - Sept 2

Maria Stephens - Sept 7

Abby Cowan - Sept 16

Bronson Wilkinson - Sept 21

Chloe Matchim - Sept 24

Silas Jackson - Sept 25

Michael Mather - Sept 25

## September Activities

September 15/September 26
Cross Country Meets

September 18
Treaty 4 Days in Ft. Qu'appelle

September 19
SCC Sponsored Pancake Breakfast
and Welcome Back Activity Day

September 23
School Photos

September 29 & 30 Orange Shirt Day

More information will be coming soon.

## Important Reminder

Pick-Up and Drop-Off:

Parents please do not use the bus loop behind the school for pick-up and dropoff of your children.

This area is for buses to pick up and drop-off students only.

