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# ÉCOLE CARDINAL LEGER SCHOOL

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"God wanted not only words from me, but actions"

~Cardinal Leger

## NEWSLETTER – September 2022

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Tuesday, September 20:** School Wide Mass Holy Family Cathedral @ 10 am

**Friday, September 23:** Terry Fox Walk 1:00 except for those who can only do morning

Friday, September 23: Hot Lunch

**Monday/Tuesday, September 26 (Kinder) /27<sup>th</sup> (all others):** School Pictures

**Thursday, September 29:** National Truth and Reconciliation Day – Orange Shirt Day

**Friday, September 30<sup>th</sup>:** No School

**Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>:** PLD No School

**Monday, October 10<sup>th</sup>:** Thanksgiving Holiday No School – Happy Long Weekend

**Monday October 16<sup>th</sup>- 27<sup>th</sup> :** Education Week

**Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup>:** Hot Lunch

**Wednesday, October 26<sup>th</sup>:** Photo Retakes – am

**Thursday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> :** 3 Way Conferences – 3:45-7:30 pm

**Thursday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>:** Book Fair

**Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup>:** 3 Way Conferences – 9:00-1:00

**Wednesday , November 11<sup>th</sup>:** Remembrance Day – No School

**Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup>:** PLD No School

**Wednesday November 16<sup>th</sup>:** Louis Riel Day

**Thursday November 24<sup>th</sup>:** Turkey Bingo

**Wednesday November 30<sup>th</sup>:** Hot Lunch

**Friday December 9<sup>th</sup>:** No School PLD

### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

A big welcome to all of our students and their families. We hope you had a restful summer and are ready to start off a new year! A special warm welcome to our new families joining us at École Cardinal Leger School. We are blessed to have you join our school community and to be a community that will work, play and pray together. Thank you to all of our families for your patience and understanding during the first couple of weeks of school. Your support, encouragement and cooperation have been a very important part of our smooth transition and start up. Please know that, as parents, we truly value your input as you are your child's first teacher.

Cardinal Leger now has a Facebook page. Please go on to "like" our page! Our faith is reflected in our division themes and focuses. Cardinal Leger will continue to be a community of service and prayer to live out our mission statement – "A welcoming community, where we nurture our faith, encourage excellence in learning and reach out to transform the world." - through our many partnerships and activities.

~W. Spooner

## ÉCOLE CARDINAL LEGER SCHOOL NEWS

### NEWLETTER

The Newsletter is published every month and will be posted on Edsby. Please ensure you have submitted to the school a current Email address. You can also access our current newsletter on our website by visiting Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools at [www.gscs.ca/leg](http://www.gscs.ca/leg) .We will have extra copies at the office.

### FACEBOOK

Cardinal Leger now has a Facebook page. We are excited to share with families information and events that happen at our school! Hit the link

and like us!

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100085378246087>

### ALLERGY/MEDICAL FORMS

With a variety of emergency situations, which includes administration of emergency medical assistance or medication. Prior to administering medication (prescription or non prescription). It is stated that **a letter from the child's parent/guardian and a letter from the physician specifying details regarding the medication and the instructions to staff to properly administer the medication/emergency medical treatment. Forms must be updated each year.** Please contact the school for a copy of the Parent and Physician Request for Medication Form

Students who have already been identified as needing emergency medical intervention (i.e. - epi-pen) will be given forms to be filled out by their physicians and by their parents/guardians. Parents of students, who have such medical needs not known to the school, please contact Mrs. Chantler, in order to obtain the necessary forms.

### SCHOOL ARRIVAL

Parents are reminded that students should not arrive to school before 8:45 a.m. Students needing before and after school care can contact our Explorer program director Shelley Bettker at 306-227-4325.

### STUDENT /VERIFICATION INFORMATION PACKAGE

Watch for the verification forms and information packages. Please assist us in keeping our records current by verifying that the data shown is correct. Sign and return these forms as soon as possible.

Student information is important to us and to your child particularly in case of emergency Thank you!



### 2021-2022 STAFF

Kindergarten French – Katherine Sinclair

Kindergarten English – Katherine Sinclair

Grade 1/2 English— Jolene McLane

Grade 1/2 French – Karlie Wrubleski

Grade 2/3 French - Tany's Gareau

Grade 3/4 English – Joe Hitchings

Grade 3/4 French – Mikaila Perron

Grade 5/6 French – Lisa Kun

Grade 5/6 English – Taygan Van de Woestyne

Grade 6/7 French – Erin McQuaid

Grade 7/8 English – Stephanie Draeger

Grade 7/8 French – Andre Lalonde

English LAT – Jillian Melnyk

French LAT - Daby Asham-Friesen

English/French Release – Murray St. Amand

English/French Release – Dan Gallays

Band – Chantelle Berg

Vice Principal – Murray St. Amand

Principal – Wanda Spooner

EAL – Chantelle Kane

School Counsellor – Karen Johnson

#### Educational Assistants

Raquel Covenden

Solange Diaz

Diane Halyk

Eva Munson

Aaliyah Shafi

Chinelo Ojo

Mariella Amada

Michelle Teropsky

Caretaking Staff – Keith Garcia, Marcelo Coronacion

Office Coordinator – Colette Chantler

SLP—Howard Todres

**EDSBY**

A reminder to all families, that EDSBY will be our sole method of communication for reporting absences, conference bookings, teacher communication and progress reporting. See School Website at [www.gscs.ca/leg](http://www.gscs.ca/leg) for further instructions and support if required.

**HEALTHY HUNGER**

- 1. Go to Healthy Hunger if you already have an account you can use it. If you don't go to step 2.
  - 2. Click "REGISTER YOUR STUDENT"
  - 3. Create your student account
  - 4. After your account is created, you will be able to view all up-coming Fun Lunches.
  - 5. Place orders
  - 6. Then pay for your orders Online with Visa, or MasterCard
- Lunch dates for 2022-2023**
- Friday September 23, 2022 (Dominos/Booster Juice)  
Friday October 21, 2022 (Subway)  
Wednesday November 30, 2022 (Pita Pit)  
Thursday December 22, 2022 (Taco Time)  
Friday January 27, 2023 (Dominos/Booster Juice)  
Friday February 17, 2023 (Smokes Poutinerie)  
Friday March 17, 2023 (Subway)  
Friday April 21, 2023 (Pita Pit)  
Friday May 26, 2023 (Taco Time)  
Thursday June 15, 2023 (Dairy Queen)

\*\*\* Bake sales will resume this year\*\*\*\*\*

**ORANGE SHIRT DAY**

In June, the federal government passed legislation to make September 30 a federal statutory holiday called the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.. École Cardinal Leger Students will be participating in Orange Shirt Day on Thursday September 29 . Orange Shirt Day falls on September 30. Orange Shirt Day is inspired by a six year old girl who wore a shiny new orange shirt on her first day at a residential school. The shirt was forcefully taken away from her and every September 30th we remember the harm the residential school system did to a generation of indigenous children and families and their descendants.



**PLEASE HAVE YOUR CHILD(REN) WEAR AN ORANGE SHIRT OR SOMETHING ORANGE ON SEPTEMBER 29. Thank you for supporting this event!**

**PARKING**

Please watch the **PARKING** signs directly in front of the school. This is a **Drop Off and Pickup Zone** only. The driver must remain in the vehicle while dropping off or picking up your children from school. **We ask that parents and guardians do not use the staff parking lot as a parking zone or to turn around while picking your children up after school. We do need to keep in mind the safety of our children. Also please be reminded to not stop on our crosswalk in front of the school as well as be aware of the driveways that need to stay clear for our neighbours!** Police/commissionaires will be monitoring traffic and will issue tickets for traffic and parking violations. PLEASE ENSURE YOU DO NOT PARK IN THE BUSSING ZONES – thank you!

**BOOK FAIR**

This year our book fair will take place in person in the library during 3 Way conferences on November 3<sup>rd</sup> and the morning of November 4<sup>th</sup>. You will also be able to order virtually with a shopping link that will run from October 31 – November 4<sup>th</sup>.



**NUT ALERT**

Please be reminded we are a school that is NUT ALERT. We are asking families to not send foods with nuts ( ie. peanut butter/Nutella/some granola bars etc). Thanks for helping keep all of our students safe!

**CSCC NEWS**

Welcome back Cardinal Leger Families for another wonderful year of learning albeit a different look! The Cardinal Leger Catholic School Community Council (CLCSCC) is mandated by the Greater Saskatoon Catholic School Board and works closely with

the Cardinal Leger staff to support them in many ways. Under the direction of our Principal, the CLCSCC supports the Learning Improvement Plan, and any ongoing plans for student success within our school. Our primary goal is to encourage parent/guardian involvement within our school and to be your link to school news and events. There are many opportunities to help ranging from very brief, one-time commitments to larger scale coordination of events. Your support is critical for our school to attain academic success and have fun!

**BBQ**

This year our **Annual General Meeting/Welcome Back BBQ and Meet the Staff Night** will be held **Tuesday September 13, 2022 at 5:30 pm. No cost to families! Come and meet your child's teacher(s) and say hello to new and old friends! We are always looking for interested parents who would like to be apart of our council. If you are interested in attending our AGM and meeting or letting your name stand for a position on council, please email Zoe Teed McKay at [zoeteed@hotmail.com](mailto:zoeteed@hotmail.com).** Thanks and Happy Back to School!



**FUNDRAISING** -all fundraising dollars go to support your child's learning and activities!

Dear Families & Friends,

Please share our Tru Earth online fundraiser <https://fundraising.tru.earth/cardinallegerschool> with friends, family and co-workers. The **Back to School** special (20% discount) ends Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>. You will find several other eco-friendly products on the online store (disinfecting multi-surface cleaner, beeswax food wrap & snack bags, produce bags, wool dryer balls, washable makeup remover pads, metal straws, bamboo cutlery, New Swedish Dishcloths, and newly added toilet bowl cleaner and lavender laundry strips).

**Our school earns 20% profit on every purchase we make through our online store for the entire year but take advantage of one of the best sales of the year (ending Sept 11<sup>th</sup>). All products purchased are shipped directly to the purchaser, with no shipping charges.**

**Thank you for your support!**





CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY

*We are Holy Family*

**"Come Spend Time with Family"**

Sunday Mass Times

9:00 am, 11:30 am & 6:30 pm

[www.holyfamilycathedral.ca](http://www.holyfamilycathedral.ca)