

# Fox Valley School Newsletter

**April 2024**



Dear Fox Valley School Families,

I cannot believe how quickly we flew through winter and now we are already into spring. I want to take this opportunity to show gratitude to the teaching staff at Fox Valley School. On a regular basis I get to see all the wonderful ways our staff make school a great place for all of our students to come to. The learning, exploring, and playing that goes on at our school is something I look forward to experiencing each and every single day.

Additionally, I would also like to take a moment to express our heartfelt gratitude to all Fox Valley School families for their continued partnership. Together, we create a supportive and inspiring environment for all our students.

Warm regards,  
Heather Tibbs  
Vice Principal at Fox Valley School

# MySchoolBucks

Hey Fox Valley School Families!!

We are excited to offer parents the opportunity to make purchases from “school” online. We have been working with the Chinook School Division and will start using a website called My School Bucks to offer you the option of payment via credit card. We are going to start with the 2023-2024 Yearbook.

To use My School Bucks (MSB) you will need to create a user login, once this is set-up you can add your children to your profile to make purchases on their behalf, including Subway & Booster Juice. Forms will still go home as usual and will need to be returned to the school as usual. I have attached detailed instructions to this email on how to set-up your account. Once your account is set-up and children added you can purchase products (Yearbook, Subway & Booster Juice...to start) from the “school” store. To make a purchase select a product, complete the order details that appear, add to your cart, and proceed to check-out like you would with any other online ordering system.

If you have any questions or run into any issues setting up your account or making purchases, please don't hesitate to contact me at the school for assistance. We really appreciate your willingness to try this new payment option, although we will continue to accept our usual payment methods.

Support Options:

<https://www.myschoolbucks.ca/ver2/help/gethelp>

1-855-832-5226

Thank you!!

Renee

# Fox Valley School

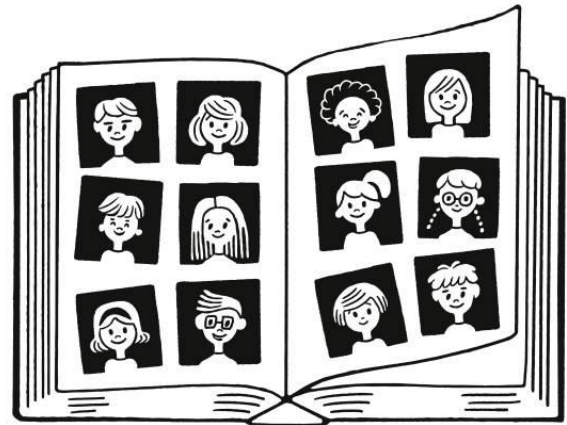
## 2023/24 Yearbook Order Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost for each Yearbook is \$50.

Early Bird draw for **FREE** Yearbook on orders placed before April 15th



Payable by MySchoolBucks

(MSB account set up instructions can be found in the email you received)

Cash or Cheque payable to Fox Valley School





*SRC Noon Lunch – April 10*

*Hot Dog, Juice Box & bag of Munchie \$6*

*April Spirit Days*

*April 15 – Neon Day*

*April 16 – Disney Day*

*April 17 – Socks & Sandals*

*April 18 – Spring Colour Day*

*April 19 – Formal Day*

*Pie Day – April 26*

*\$3 for a piece of pie*

*Telemiracle Dodgeball Raised*

*\$1800!!! Way to go!!*

# *Parent Reminders for the School Year*

- ✓ **Attendance Info...Please remember to call the school office 306-666-2144 or make contact with your child's teacher to let us know if your student(s) will not be at school. Please NOTE: Renee will no longer be accepting parent communication via text. A 24-hour phone answering service has been set up for families to call when students will be absent and for any other school related matters.**
- ✓ Anyone visitors entering the building must sign in/sign out.
- ✓ Fox Valley School is **PEANUT AWARE**. Please be mindful when packing snacks and a healthy lunch. If this changes, families will be notified.
- ✓ Please make sure your child arrives at school no earlier than 8:35 as our playground is unsupervised until that time.
- ✓ Medication – CSD AP 316: The Chinook School Division recognizes that some students require:
  - Essential oral and/or injectable medication on a regular basis
  - Essential oral and/or injectable medication in an emergency situation
  - Essential procedures.
    - The principal is to ensure that students requiring medication or medical procedures during school hours are identified and appropriate information has been completed and filled by the parent prior to administering medications or procedures. Non-prescribed medications (Tylenol, Advil, etc.) are not to be administered by Division employees (FVS Staff).

- Medication in an Emergency situation requires that families provide the school with appropriate information and an action plan.
  - We ask that no medication be sent to the school unless a plan and communication has been made with the school first.
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- ✓ Please watch the FV SCC Facebook page for news, updates etc.
  - ✓ Visit our website  
<http://www.chinooksd.ca/school/foxvalley/Pages/default.aspx#/=>
  - ✓ **Please check your email frequently for school emails!!**
  - ✓ Students in Grades 7-12 have open campus at noon. K-6 students stay for lunch.
  - ✓ If your child has a change of plans for the end-of-the-day, please notify your classroom teacher or Renee, and your bus driver so that we ensure they get to where they are going, safely.



✓ **What To Do when Non-Bus Students Would Like To Ride The Bus OR If A Bus Student Would Like to Ride a Different Bus...**

- **Step 1 – Parent of receiving bus student contacts the bus driver to make sure there is room on the bus.**
- **Step 2 – Both bus student(s) & non-bus student parents contact the school. Renee will fill out the appropriate form to be given to the bus driver.**
- ***PLEASE NOTE: This process has to be done everytime!!!***

✓ **MSS Parent Portal Is OPEN - All parents have access to the MySchoolSask Parent Portal. This is how parents will access their child's report card. Parents of students in grade 6 to 12 will also use the parent portal to see their child's gradebook, which is updated frequently by teachers!! Please make sure you are checking the MySchoolSask Parent Portal often to stay up to date on your student's current marks!!! If you are a parent who has never logged into MySchoolSask or have any questions...CALL RENEE!!!!!!**

# Library Notes

Spring is peeking it's head into our library this month!

We will celebrate Earth Day on April 24.

Throughout the month, through literature, we will explore all the beauty that the world has to offer. We will learn about famous people who take care of our world – Jane Goodall and David Suzuki. We

will read about far off places - Amazon, Africa, and the Great Barrier Reef. What a great way for students to celebrate our world!!!



## *Parent-Teacher Conferences*

Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>

3:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Please check your email to sign up!!



# SPRING CLEANING

*your mind*



Spend time outdoors in the sunshine



Unfollow negative accounts on social media

Learn to rest when you get tired



Make lists of things that are going well for you



Drink plenty of water and stay hydrated



Clean & declutter your personal space

LivingWell  
UK

# Spring Bucket List



## Go Explore

Visit an Arboretum

Feed Baby Animals

Trip to the Garden Store

Go Hiking

Feed the Ducks at the Pond

Go Fishing

Shop at the Farmer's Market

Visit a New Park



## Outdoor Fun

Fly a Kite

Go Barefoot in the grass

Puddle-jumping

Blow bubbles

Pick wildflowers

Lie down & watch the clouds

Have a Picnic Lunch

Take a Bike Ride

Listen to the birds

Skip Rocks

Storytime in the hammock

Sleep with the windows open

Create with Chalk

Build a Fairy Garden

Go on an Egg Hunt

## Spring Science

Measure the Rain

Go star-gazing

Dye Easter Eggs

Plant a Seed

Hold a worm

Hunt for Bugs





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## TRACK AND FIELD CAMP July 2-6, 2024



Canada Games Athletic Complex,  
Regina, SK.

[www.sasklegion.ca/track](http://www.sasklegion.ca/track)



Open to Students Born Between 2007-2011

Application Deadline is June 15, 2024



30 Athletes from this camp will be chosen  
to represent Saskatchewan at the Legion's  
National Track and Field Championships.

Calgary, AB  
August 7-13, 2024

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



Sanctioned by Saskatchewan Athletics



Athletes can contact  
their local Legion Branch,  
Ladies Auxiliary or local businesses  
to see about sponsorship opportunities.

<https://sasklegion.ca/track/>

# April Dates To Remember

April 1 – 5 – Spring Break

April 8 – Back to School Day 2

April 10 – SRC Hot Dog Noon Lunch

April 12 – Grade 10-12 Report Cards published to MySchoolSask

April 15 – Neon Day

April 16 – Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30 pm to 8:30 pm

April 16 – Disney Day

April 17 – Socks & Sandals Day

April 18 – SCC Meeting @ 6 p.m.

April 18 – Spring Colour Day

April 18 – Booster Juice

April 19 – Formal Day

April 26 – Subway

April 26 – SRC Pie Day

April 30 – SCC Noon

Lunch – Pizza Buns

