



SANDHILLS NEWSLETTER

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Care

Accountability

Respect

Excellent Effort

*School Mission: Sandhills Elementary School is a safe, fun place where our minds and bodies grow.
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Written by Students of Sandhills

Year-End Is Fast Approaching

With such a limited amount of instructional time remaining, a number of special events, including the Sandhills Track Meet as well as field trips for K-2 have been cancelled for this school year. The focus of teachers and students needs to be on completing units and assessments so student progress can be communicated in the final report card. The final report card will also be mailed home to parents on Friday, June 28.

Assessments are used to measure growth in specific areas and also help us plan for the coming school year. We would ask that students arrive at school on time and well-rested over the coming weeks so that they demonstrate to the best of their ability on all assessments during this time.

Thank you for all the support you give to the school.

2019-2020 Class Lists Important Information for Parents

Parents may make an appointment, **if necessary**, to share student learning information that may affect student class placement for the 2019-2020 school year.

Parents requesting appointments must be aware of the following information:

- **Please call the school as soon as possible to book a 10 minute appointment.**
 - Requests must be made in person on the morning of **Tuesday, June 4**. **No requests** will be taken before or after this date.
 - All appointments will take place in meeting format at Sandhills Elementary School with the school principal.
 - All parent requests **MUST** be focused on the student learning needs of the child that the school may not be aware of.
 - **Requests for specific teachers will not be accepted.**
 - **Requests that are made to put children with their friends will not be considered.**
- There are simply too many students in the school to allow for friendship choices.**

Class lists are created by school staff that have the best interests of all students in mind. There are efforts made to ensure that past history is analyzed and specific student learning needs are considered. Our goal is to create class lists that allow the greatest number of students possible to experience success in school. Only make an appointment if it is truly necessary.

Sandhills After School Soccer

After school soccer will go as scheduled. If days are missed they will not be rescheduled. There is an FVSD Gr. 2/3 Super Saturday Soccer planned for Saturday, June 8. If you would like your child to take part please return to the permission to participate in Super Saturday Soccer to your child's teacher.

We ask that students participating have a note in their agenda reminding the child and their teacher, that they have soccer.

If students are not participating (for example, not their soccer day, or they did not register for soccer), they may only stay if they have a parent or guardian supervising them. Supervision of additional students is not the responsibility of the coaches, as they are concentrating on the soccer teams. We thank you for your cooperation as we ensure the safest conditions possible for all children during these fun summer after school activities!

If soccer is canceled due to inclement weather, parents will receive a call out by 2:45 pm informing them of the cancelation.

Refer to the schedule on the calendar for your child's soccer days. **K-1** is ECS and grade one students, **2-3** is grade two and three students. If it is an ECS soccer day and it is not your child's school day, it is your responsibility to bring your ECS child to the Sandhills gym by 3:15.

Soccer is over at 4:15 each day. Please be on time to pick up your child.



Professional Development Day Thursday, May 30

There will be no school for students. Teachers will be using this day to develop the 2019-2020 School Education Plan.



Library Books

Library books must be returned by Thursday, June 6.

Pre-Order 2018-2019 Yearbooks

2018-2019 yearbooks are available to be pre-ordered at \$15 per copy. You can order by filling out the form that was sent home or online at **SchoolCashOnline.com**. If you choose to order online you do not need to return the form. To guarantee a 2018-2019 yearbook please order by **June 20, 2019**. Yearbooks will arrive in the fall of 2019.

