

SOURIS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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NEWS FROM MR. WILLIAMS

It was sure nice to get that much needed moisture last week. Things have really begun to grow now. Let's hope that we continue to get reasonable amounts of moisture.

We are just about to the end of the school year. More and more students continue to receive their first dose of the vaccine. More and more of our staff have now, or are about to, receive their 2nd dose of the vaccine. This is very exciting news for everyone. We would not have been able to pull this off without the tremendous support of everyone in our school community: students, parents, caregivers, teachers, support staff. Everyone has done their best to remain vigilant and remain calm and respectful to one another during these unusual times. We certainly appreciate everyone's support.

Graduation is upon us. Unfortunately, it is not the Graduation that everyone anticipated but we are at the mercy of Public Health Orders. We have hired a company to broadcast the graduation ceremonies next Wednesday afternoon beginning just prior to 1:00 PM. The graduating class has also organized a parade around town. It will begin at 4:00. We have added a map of the route around town in this Newsletter. We will send out the link to everyone once the company generates it for us and will attach the Parade route map to that email as well.

Lastly, I wanted to remind everyone that June is “National Indigenous History Month”. To show our solidarity with the survivors, victims, families, and friends of the Indigenous Residential School system, Souris School in partnership with the Souris Co-Operative Day Care are kindly asking for the donation of new or gently used children’s shoes. We will display them on the front lawn of the school, then they will be gifted to the Brandon Friendship Centre and our local Food Bank.

Have a great weekend.

Southwest Sabres Football 🏈 🏈

This is for all students who are currently in Grade 8 to Grade 12.

We are hoping we will be able to field a team this fall. Practices start in late August, league play starts the first week of September and runs into the first week of November. Any students that are interested in playing football 🏈 Please send a message to Sandra Vinck (manager). I would like to hear from everyone by the end of this school year.

I can be reached at 204-483-0779 or avinck@mymts.net
Thanks, Sandra Vinck

Visitor at Souris School



Mrs. West and Tristen found a little visitor in the school this week. He was captured humanely and released back into the wild.

Polar Expressions Writing Contest

Congratulations to Alex Gordon for placing 1st in the Short Story Contest through Polar Expressions Publishing!

Remembrance Day Poster Contest



Congratulations to Ava Swaenepoel who was awarded 1st Place in the Junior Colour Poster category at the provincial level for her poster that she created for Remembrance Day.

The Kindergarten classes and the Baby Chicks



Both of our kindergarten classes had the opportunity to have been able to have an incubator in their classrooms for the last couple of weeks. At the end of this past week they started to hatch. The chicks will be in their classrooms until the end of this week. Be sure to ask your kinder student about the chicks.



A huge thank you to everyone that supported our Mom's Pantry fundraiser! We raised \$3,662.95 to rebuild our Middle Years account. Your support is greatly appreciated!

COMING EVENTS

June

- 23 Graduation!
- 29 LAST DAY OF CLASSES!

Friday Fun Fact



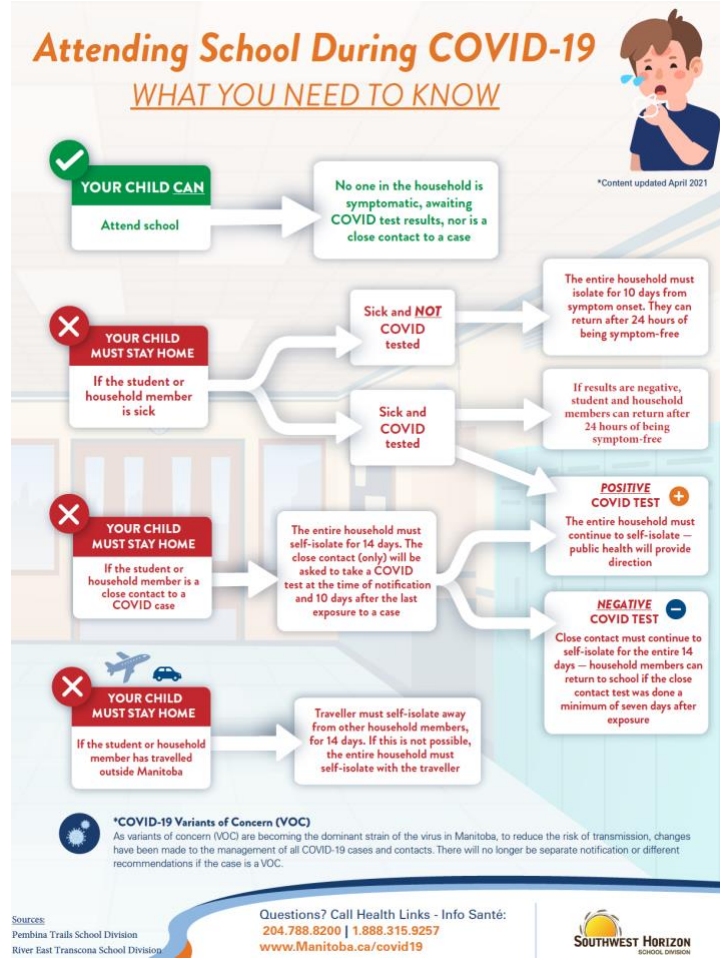
Alektorophobia is a rare condition characterized by an intense **fear of chickens**.

SOURIS HARVEST FOOD BANK

The Souris Harvest Food Bank is here for you, when you need it. Sometimes families need a little help to get caught up, and that's ok. We are here to help those in need of food assistance.

Location: East doors of St. Paul's United Church (2nd St. between 4th & 5th Ave.)
 When: 1st & 3rd Thursday of each month
 Time: Drop-in between 5pm to 7pm, no appointment necessary.

Public Health Orders in affect: masks are required, and physical distancing.



A Message from the Secretaries

Attendance

If your student is going to be absent please call the office at any time, 24/7, and leave a message. 204-483-2161, dial 0.

We also have our email address that you can contact us by, officesouris@shmb.ca. You can also send any attendance to us this way.

Admittance

If you are dropping off or picking up your child any time after 8:55AM or before 3:15PM please use the main office doors. All doors are locked for security reasons.

Lost & Found

Please check out our website, <http://sci.shmb.ca/>, for all current lost and found that we have collected so far this year.

Please remember that you can call us anytime if you have questions, 204.483.2161, dial 0.

Grad Parade Route Map

