



Neilburg Composite School

April 2024 Newsletter

Important Dates:

March 29 – April 5	NO SCHOOL- Easter Break
April 8	School Resumes
April 9	Celebration Assembly
April 12	SCC Movie Night
April 15	SCC Meeting
April 18	Ag Days in Lloydminster (Grade 1 and 2)
April 19	SCC Dance (Grades 7-12)
April 30	Try A Trade Grades 10-12 in Lloydminster

Principal's Message

Easter is here and everyone is ready for a well-deserved break!

When we return, school will be busy as ever as we enter the final months of the school year. April will be full of exciting activities for everyone to enjoy. On Tuesday, April 9th we will have our Celebration Assembly at 9am. Please feel free to come and recognize all our hard-working students. The SCC has planned some fantastic events that we are looking forward to. There will be a Family Movie night on April 12th and a JR/SR High School Dance on April 19th. April 19th is also Report Card Day for grade 10-12.

Our Trojan athletes are busy playing badminton and are anticipating track and field as we watch the snow disappear!

I hope everyone has a fantastic break and I look forward to seeing everyone on Monday, April 8th!

Happy Spring! 🐰

Mrs. Perkins

Indigenous Words of the Week - Miss Ross

Tansi! In addition to last month's Newsletter, the students at Neilburg Composite have learned the following Indigenous Words.

Currently we are learning Mitchif, Cree and Dene which are all represented in Treaty 6 Territory:

Word	Pronunciation	Language	Meaning
Kiskisiwin	Kiss-kiz-o-win	Cree	Remembrance
Esjie	Is – gee	Dene	Wow
Atim	Ah-tim	Mitchif	Dog

Celebration Assemblies

Our Next Celebration Assembly is April 9th at 9:00 am in our gymnasium. During our Celebration Assemblies we will continue to recognize students showing **Respect** for self, others and property and **Resilience** (never giving up). We will continue to recognize our Student Athletes, Academic Achievement, Fine Arts and Volunteers of the Month as well. Check out our photo wall by the gym!

Neilburg Junior Badminton

The Neilburg Junior Badminton program has started, and we have had a great turnout. Over twenty students have signed up to play! We have attended one tournament in Paradise Hill where we had success with most of our teams. We will continue to practice on Mondays and go to games on Thursdays of each week as much as possible. Thank you, parents, for being patient and supportive of your students' sport teams.

Student Representative Council (SRC)

The Student Representative Council (SRC) is a student lead and operated group. We are responsible for the planning of most school activities. The SRC operates the booth, plans spirit weeks, monthly events, float Fridays and more!

We're excited for the year and are open to any ideas and suggestions as to what students want to see for this school year!

Neilburg Travel Club (EF Tours)

We plan to travel to Berlin, Budapest, Prague and Kraków with EF Educational Tours during the Easter break in 2025 (approximately April 18-25), and the trip is open to students from Grades 9 to 12. For more information, contact Kara McGarry or Pamela Downie.

Neilburg School Dungeon and Dragons Club

The Dungeons and Dragons Club at Neilburg School meets every Wednesday from 3:30pm to 5pm in either Mr. Weisner's Room or the library. Students who have joined have had a lot of fun and laughs as we adventure through a mystical land full of surprises. Beginners are welcome! If you have any questions, please contact Lance Weisner through Edsby or by email.

Art Clubs

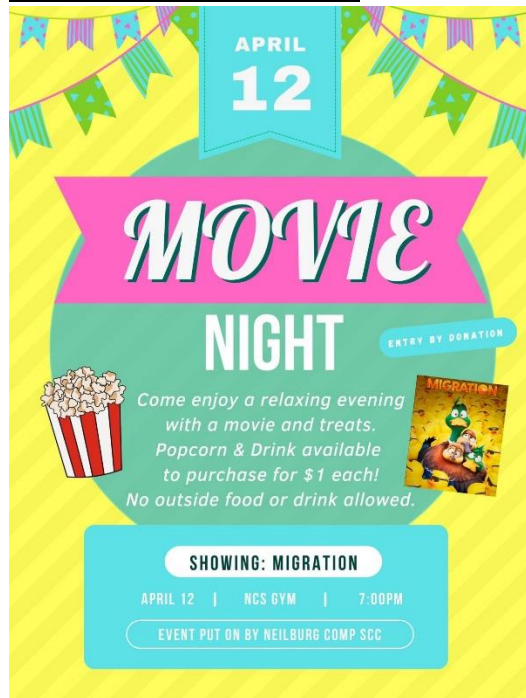
Every Thursday students can come to the art room to enjoy a variety of art projects and exploration of skills and materials. We alternate between a group of grade 4-6 students and a group of grade 7-9 students. These groups have been working with a variety of materials and having a great time!

Grades 4-6 meet on Apr. 11, 25, May 9, 23, June 6
Grades 7-9 meet on Apr. 18, May 2, 16, 30, June 13

Drama Club (Mrs. Downie)

Our drama club has resumed meeting and is looking forward to performing a play for the community sometime in the spring. We meet Mondays from 3:15 to 4:30 and we are always open to new members!

SCC MOVIE NIGHT



APRIL
12

MOVIE NIGHT

ENTRY BY DONATION

*Come enjoy a relaxing evening
with a movie and treats.
Popcorn & Drink available
to purchase for \$1 each!
No outside food or drink allowed.*

SHOWING: **MIGRATION**

APRIL 12 | NCS GYM | 7:00PM

EVENT PUT ON BY NEILBURG COMP SCC

The poster features a yellow background with colorful bunting at the top. A blue banner at the top center contains the date 'APRIL 12'. Below this, a pink banner displays 'MOVIE' and a green banner displays 'NIGHT'. A small blue box to the right says 'ENTRY BY DONATION'. On the left is an illustration of a red and white striped popcorn bucket. In the center, there is a paragraph of italicized text. To the right of the text is a small image of the movie 'Migration' showing two ducks. At the bottom, a blue box contains the text 'SHOWING: MIGRATION'. Below that, another blue box lists 'APRIL 12 | NCS GYM | 7:00PM'. At the very bottom, a white box with a blue border says 'EVENT PUT ON BY NEILBURG COMP SCC'.

FOR SALE

There are 2 dog houses made by the grade 11/12 construction class. Pressure treated floor comes with vinyl siding \$250 each.

SCHOLASTIC

*** Any scholastic book orders sent home will need to be ordered by you, unless your classroom teacher has offered to handle this for you. Our school can earn free books if you use our **NEW** class code **RC830279** and have your books shipped to the school. You will get free shipping on orders over \$40.00 as well! *** **HAPPY READING!**



VISITORS TO OUR BUILDING

All visitors will be welcome at NCS and are required to sign in and check in with our secretary, Kara McGarry. We have moved the sign in sheet from the office to the hallway for easier access. All schools are private facilities, and we must know who is in our building and what their intentions are while here. GUESTS are not permitted to approach classrooms nor take students out of class without notification from the office.

Please be advised that all exterior doors will be locked between the hours of 8:55 am and 3:15 pm except for the main school doors. We are asking parents to drop off their children at the main doors if they arrive late and check in at the office. *Thank you for your cooperation in keeping our school safe and secure.*

TRANSPORTATION of BUS STUDENTS

With winter here, it is important to remember a policy change regarding buses not running. Busing **will be provided in the afternoon on cold weather days** when the morning temperature with windchill is below -45 C (or at the bus driver's discretion) in our area or the driver deems it unsafe to operate at that time. Drivers will always communicate with families.

~WANTED Sub Caretaker and Bus Drivers

Please contact the NWSD Office at (306)236-5614 for more information

PARKING LOT

Students have been asked to park by the arena when they are driving large vehicles to accommodate staff and visitor parking as well as allow for dumpster service. **Please keep litter off the streets and parking areas! Be good citizens.**



Follow our Facebook pages >> NCS Family and Neilburg Composite School



Follow our SRC on Instagram >> @neilburgcomp.src
SIGN INTO EDSBY!!

****The booth is back! It will be running Monday-Friday at noon hour****
Watch for update and specials! Pre-Orders available from grades K-6. Talk to your classroom teacher.
***NEW* NEW* You can now buy GRILLED CHEESE punch cards on School Cash Online.**

Get your NEILBURG TROJAN SWAG HERE



[Neilburg Composite School \(entripyshops.com\)](http://entripyshops.com) or Find the link on our school website!!! This site does not like phone based browsers!

- ☺ Use this code for savings on t-shirts and sweatshirts **BFSURPRISE15**
- ☺ Use this code for savings sitewide **INTRO10 (if you have never ordered before)**
- ☺

Caution! Caution!

Due to potential anaphylaxis and serious allergies amongst the students at NCS, the school requires that everyone avoid bringing any items with nut products, shellfish and eggs that have not been baked into an item. We also recommend NOT sharing food items with classmates! Pet allergies are also a concern for many students and staff.

Our students' health depends on your co-operation. Thank you!

MILK PROGRAM

The Milk Program is back up and running. Every day at lunchtime, a cart comes to each classroom and gives either chocolate milk or white milk to those students who have paid for a Milk Card. Milk Cards can be purchased through School Cash Online and are \$10 for 8 milks. The cards will stay at school and be on the cart when it comes around before lunch. Your child's card will be "punched" when your child takes milk. Milk is now for sale at the booth for \$1.25

**** Reminder microwaves are unavailable for daily use due to fire code. Only booth items can be heated while supervision is present**** *Thank you for understanding this Northwest School Division policy.*

STUDENT ABSENCES

Parents, please use the **Edsby** platform to notify the school if your child is going to be absent. Parents can put advanced/ planned absences into the system! Parents will receive a phone call for any unexcused absences. Email: ncs@nwsd.ca or call 306-823-4313 and Kara will put the absence on Edsby. If you need an invite to Edsby resent to your email, contact Kara at the front office.

SCHOOL CASH

School cash is the preferred way to pay student fees, hot lunches and more. If you haven't already signed up, please call the school.

BUSINESS ADVERTISEMENTS – PAID ADVERTISEMENTS If your business would be interested in putting a paid advertisement in the school newsletter, please contact Kara at the school (306-823-4313). The newsletters go out monthly (usually Wednesday). The school email is ncs@nwsd.ca or you can drop them off. The cost is \$10 per advertisement per week. *As usual our community announcements will be published free of charge.

NOTICE



When attending school or division sponsored events parents, caregivers and visitors may take photographs, videos or audio recordings for personal use only.

The use of such images or recordings for anything other than personal use may be a breach of personal privacy for which you may be held liable.

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Wilson Training Fundamentals Call 403 682 9713 for more information.
First Aid and CPR/AED training. Babysitting classes available.