



# September 30, 2020 Newsletter

## Message from Principal Pfannmuller:

It's hard to believe that the month of September has come to an end. Students have been back to school already for 4 weeks! All have settled into the new routines of being back to school. Everything is going very well at SCS! Students are completing the MIPI and the HLAT assessments that help teachers to plan for student learning. Along with this, the students have been working hard in their classrooms and learning is well underway. Please remember that you play a vital role in your child's education and success at school. You can help by asking them about their day, having a positive attitude about school and learning as well as reading with your child every day. Just twenty minutes of reading together every day will build oral language and reading skills and it is time you and your child will treasure for years to come. We had our first School Council/PASS meeting and formed the new executive. We are very fortunate to have such a caring committed group on School Council/PASS. They work tirelessly to provide wonderful opportunities for our students. The breakfast program is up and running thanks to some generous donations and dedicated staff. We participated in Orange Shirt Day activities and will be participating in the Terry Fox Run. Although our exterior doors remain locked due to current regulations regarding visitors into the school, please know that I am always available by email, phone, or we can set up a time to have a scheduled meeting. I welcome questions or feedback, so please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for all the support you provide at home and welcome to the 2020-2021 School Year.

Sherry Pfannmuller, Principal

## Welcome Back

SCS is excited to welcome back Mrs. Duplessie to work in our Kindergarten class again this year! Her kind heart, patience and enthusiasm will add to the classroom atmosphere. Mrs. Zanbak and the students are thrilled.

## Options:

We have some great options to offer this quarter! Options this year are divided into quarters. For the first quarter the grade 8/9 students are taking Foods. The grade 6/7 students have chosen between Woodworking or Sewing. These are some great life-long skills that our students can be learn.

Please refer to the NGPS website at [ngps.ca](http://ngps.ca) for up-to-date information.

## IMPORTANT DATES:

October 1 - Terry Fox Run  
October 2 - Terry Fox Run  
October 9 - No Classes  
October 12 - No Classes  
October 13 - Picture Day  
October 15 - Jersey Day  
October 31 - Halloween

## Terry Fox Run

The students and staff will be going on their annual Terry Fox Run around a set path in their individual cohorts to maintain social distancing.

Due to cohorting, parents and other family members are unable to participate with the groups as we have in previous years. A small number of parent volunteers will be asked to supervise at spots along the track to keep students travelling in the right direction.

We are not sending home pledge sheets but if you would like to make a donation, you are more than welcome, "Toonie for Terry" or any other amount will be accepted.

Thursday, October 1 - Kindergarten & Grade 1 at 2:20 pm  
Friday, October 2 - Grade 4/5 at 12:45 pm  
Grade 2/3 at 1:25 pm  
Grade 6/7 & 8/9 at 2:20 pm

Thank you to PASS for your generous donation of water for the students and staff!

## Keeping Children Safe Online

Please take a moment to read the latest article from our Northern Gateway Public School Student Support Facilitator, Tammy Charko.



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## Sangudo Community School

is offering a  
Breakfast Program at the school.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, ALL donated food must be  
**PREPACKAGED.**  
(cheese strings, fruit cups, granola bars, etc.)

If you would like to make a PrePackaged Food or  
Monetary Donation, we would greatly appreciate it!

Any questions please feel free to call SCS  
(780)785-3431

# THANK YOU!

## PLAY SCHOOL DROP IN

2020-2021 School Year

**Sangudo Community School is offering  
Play School Drop In**

**MONDAY and/or WEDNESDAY**

**TIME: 9:15 am - 11:45am**

Drop in fee: **\$8** each day

**PICK WHICH DAY(S) WORK FOR YOU!**

**More Info. Call Sangudo Community School  
(780)785-3431**



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## REMINDER

Masks are required for our grade 4 to 9 students. As well as for our Kinder to grade 3 students for close work and music class.



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# OCTOBER 2020



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 Terry Fox Walk	2 Terry Fox Walk	3
4	5	6	7	8	9 NO CLASSES PD Day	10
11	12 NO CLASSES Thanksgiving Day!	13 Picture Day!!!	14	15 Jersey Day	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31 Happy Halloween