



# Herbert School Newsletter

October/November 2024

*Principal : Mr. Chad Sstriker*

*Vice- Principal : Mrs. Natasha Olynick*

## Upcoming Events

Nov 7—Remembrance Day Service at **10:45** a.m.

**Nov 7—Report Cards for gr 10—12 only published to the MSS Family Portal**

Nov 8—Sr. Boys' Volleyball Conference Playoffs [here](#)

**Nov 8—Day off in lieu of Parent=Teacher Conferences**

**Nov 11—Remembrance Day holiday**

Nov 12—Picture Retakes

Nov 13—Parent-Teacher conferences

Nov 14—Parent-Teacher conferences

**Nov 27 —Early Dismissal Day (2:00 p.m.)**

Dec 21—Jan 5—Christmas Break

## Principal's Message

*As you can see from Mrs. Francis' pictorial updates the school has been busy these first two months. I want to thank the Prairie Centre Credit Union for their generous donation of \$1000 to our athletic programs. If your business or you individually want to join our Laurel Legion donor wall please see the attached message on page 3 or click [here: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1jkibrkawebDbNhThmcIq-Q3XNevMX\\_Ex9GUEZ7LWFxY/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1jkibrkawebDbNhThmcIq-Q3XNevMX_Ex9GUEZ7LWFxY/edit?usp=sharing)*

*\*A Charitable Donation Receipt is available upon request\**

*November brings its own excitement with high school report cards and parent teacher interviews. Looking forward to see our parents in the building on **November 13th and 14th**. Our SCC is busy planning some family engagement activities for Education Week—November 25-29. We are also working on some different plans for December this year. Stay tuned for more information.*

*Sincerely,  
Mr. Chad Striker  
Principal*





*Thank you to the **Prairie Centre Credit Union** for the generous donation of **\$1000.00** to our Athletics Program!*

*Making the presentation was **Camela Stubbins**,*

*Financial Specialist at PCCU.*



## Herbert School



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## LAUREL LEGION DONOR WALL

### Support Our School's Extra-Curricular Fund - Join the Laurel Legion Donor Wall!

At Herbert School, we are dedicated to providing our students with a well-rounded education that extends beyond the classroom. Our extra-curricular programs play a pivotal role in shaping the future leaders of our community.

To support and enhance these programs, we are thrilled to introduce the "Laurel Legion Donor Wall" initiative. This is a unique opportunity for you, your family, or your company to become an integral part of our school's legacy and make a lasting impact.

#### "Buy a Brick" for \$100 and Leave Your Mark

By contributing \$100, you can "buy a brick" on our gymnasium wall, where your family name or company logo will be prominently displayed for all to see. The Laurel Legion Donor Wall will serve as a visual thank you for your commitment to education and community.

#### Make a Difference - Buy More Than One Brick

We recognize that some supporters may wish to make an even greater impact. You have the option to purchase more than one brick, further cementing your legacy within our school. Your generous donation will directly benefit our extra-curricular programs, enabling us to offer new opportunities, resources, and experiences to our students. Together, we can empower our youth to reach their full potential.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to support our school. We look forward to welcoming you into the Laurel Legion and celebrating your commitment to our students and their future success.

If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact us. A charitable donation receipt will be issued upon request.

Sincerely,

Mr. Chad Striker  
Principal  
Herbert School

*To use My School Bucks to make a donation by credit card , Visa Debit card or MasterCard Debit card to our*

### ***Laurel Legion Donor Wall***

*please click on:*

[https://www.myschoolbucks.ca/ver2/prdembd?ref=ZZ5SL73DDZG6F1L\\_ZZ5U3YHBIJW6TQ5](https://www.myschoolbucks.ca/ver2/prdembd?ref=ZZ5SL73DDZG6F1L_ZZ5U3YHBIJW6TQ5)

**If you wish to pay by cheque drop by the school office or mail your cheque with details on what you would like the brick to display (family name, business name, company logo) to**

**Herbert School  
Box 670  
Herbert SK S0H 2A0**



Herbert School Grad of 2025

*Thank you to everyone who donated  
bottles/cans to our  
Grad Bottle Drive Fundraiser!*



Did you know you can still donate bottles/cans throughout the year to the Herbert School Grad Class ?

The Herbert School Grad Class of 2025 is set up in SARCAN in Swift Current for

**“Drop & Go”**

The group is **“Herbert Grad”**

The group phrase is **“Herbert Grad”**

*Thank you for your continued support of our fundraiser for our graduation ceremony!*



## Parent-Teacher Conferences

Wednesday, November 13 (3:30 to 7:00 p.m.)

Thursday, November 14 (3:30 to 7:00 p.m.)

To book a conference time click on:

<https://schoolinterviews.ca/code/jxcr3>

Please book your conference(s) by Thursday, November 7th.



## Picture Retake Day is Tuesday, November 12!

Our Annual Yearbook Fundraiser through FundScrip Gift Cards is underway. Order forms are available on the high school bulletin board, the school website or contact the school.

Orders are due Friday, November 15th.



We are presently looking for a community coach for our

**Jr. Girls' Basketball team!**

*If you are interested please contact the school!*



SCC

**Family Games Night**

**Thursday, November 28**

*More details to follow!*



## SLC AND GRAD CLASS HAUNTED HOUSE





## **HALLOWEEN AT HERBERT SCHOOL!**







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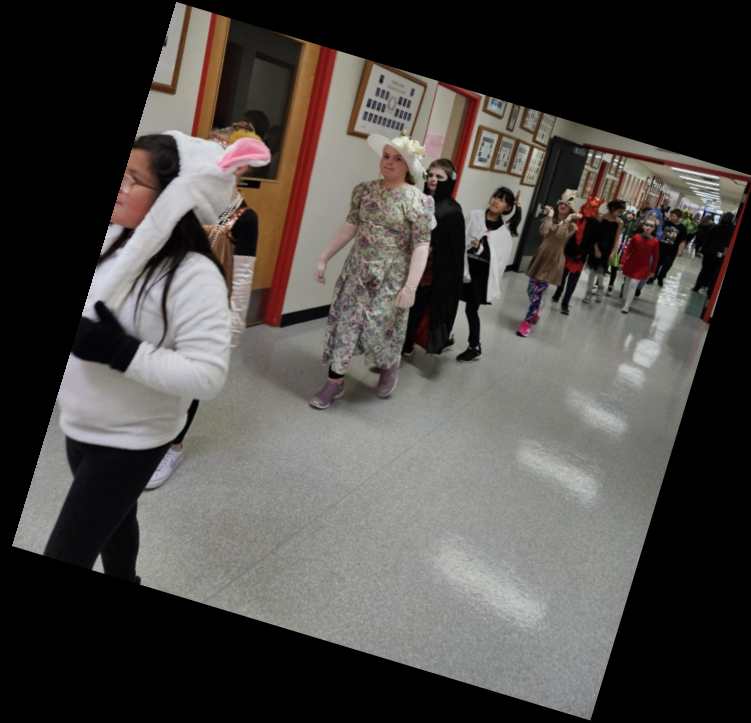
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## DID WE SCARE HUNGER?





**Food items collected  
at the Haunted House  
on October 30!**

**DID WE SCARE HUNGER?**





**We Scared Hunger!**

*Thank you Herbert School Families!*

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**From the Herbert Fire Department post on Facebook:**

Today, the Herbert Fire Department (HFD) provided a ride to for two fortunate students as part of our Fire Prevention Week Contest. A parent described their child as 'ecstatic.' The theme for Fire Prevention Week 2024 was 'Smoke Alarms, Make them Work for You.' Recognizing the devastating impact of home fires, it's crucial to acknowledge their rapid potential to become life-threatening. Functioning Smoke Alarms are Vital; Test them Monthly to Ensure they Work for You.





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*Thank you to everyone who donated to our  
Annual Terry Fox Run  
this year!*

**\$3636.15**

was raised for the Terry Fox Foundation!

We surpassed our goal of \$2000.00!

**Mr. Schroeder dyed his hair  
red!**







**Mr. Falk and Ryder had their heads shaved by Mrs. Darla Martens**





**The top 3 students in the elementary grades who brought in the most donations for the Terry Fox Foundation had the opportunity to throw a pie in the face of Mr. Meyers, Mrs. Wall and Mrs. Olynick!**

**William  
"pied"  
Mr. Meyers**





**"PIE IN THE FACE"**

**MR. MEYERS**

**MRS. WALL**

**MRS. OLYNICK**

**Amaya**

**"pied"**

**Mrs. Wall!**





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**MR. MEYERS**

**MRS. WALL**

**MRS. OLYNICK**

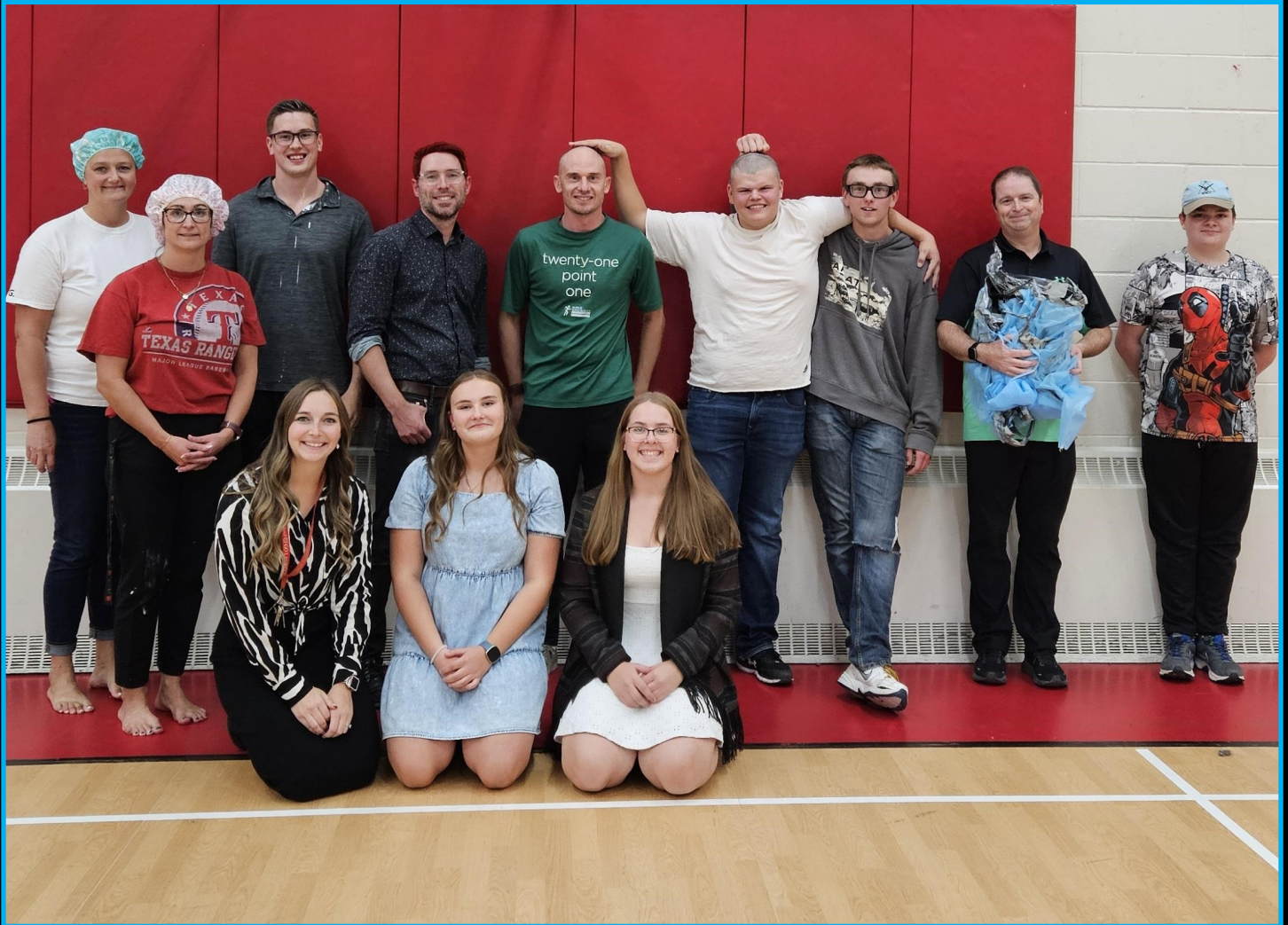
**Jake**  
**"pied"**  
**Mrs. Olynick**





**MR. STRIKER  
WAS DUCT-TAPED TO  
THE WALL!**





## **Herbert School's SLC**

Mrs. Redekop (SLC Advisor), Parker, Victoria, Ryder,  
Lloyd, and Kylan

with

Mrs. Wall, Mrs. Olynick, Mr. Meyers, Mr. Schroeder,  
Mr. Falk and Mr. Striker



## Frisbee Rob October 21 2024





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## Wheelchair Basketball October 23, 2024





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## SCC Community Pancake & Sausage Breakfast October 11, 2024







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## Report Cards

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## Parent-Teacher Conferences

- ◆ **Thursday, Nov 7**—Report Cards for Grades 10—12 only are published to the MSS Family Portal
- ◆ **Wednesday, Nov 13** and **Thursday, Nov 14**— Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences for all students
- ◆ **Friday, January 31**—Report Cards for Kindergarten to Grade 12 are published to the MSS Family Portal
- ◆ **Monday, March 31** and **Wednesday, April 2**—Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences for all students.
- ◆ **Thursday, April 17**—Report Cards for Grades 10—12 only are published to the MSS Family Portal
- ◆ **Friday June 27**—Report Cards for Kindergarten to Grade 12 are published to the MSS Family Portal



**The Scholastic Book Fair will be set up in the school library during Parent-Teacher Conferences on**

**November 13th**

**and**

**November 14th**



**The Herbert School Community Council is looking for volunteers to help with various SCC activities!**

*Some of the activities planned so far:*

- Family Games Night on **November 28th**
- SCC Christmas Hampers

If you would like to help with any of these please contact  
Mr. Striker or Lisa Fehr (*SCC Chairperson*)

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## **SCC Personal Size Pizza from Pizza Hut Dates**

Friday, November 29th

Friday, December 20th

Friday, March 28th

Friday, May 2nd

Friday, May 30th

Friday, June 13th



## Travel Club Lunch Dates

**Nov 13**—Sub sandwich and a cookie for **\$5.00**

**Dec 11**—Lasagna & toast for **\$6.00**

## Driver Education Dates

- Tuesday, November 6th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, November 15th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, November 22nd— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, November 29th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, December 6th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, December 20th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, January 10th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, January 17th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, January 24th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
- Friday, February 7th— 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.

*Please be on time and bring a pen, pencil, and eraser!*

***Starting November 15th Driver Education will be held on***

***Fridays***

***from 10:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.***



We ask parents/guardians to **not** send any **peanuts** or **peanut ingredient products** to school; however we do allow other nuts at the present time.

This could change based on the needs of students or staff, so we appreciate your cooperation in keeping Herbert School safe and healthy.

Please inform the school if your child will be absent or late by phoning the school **(306) 784-2454** or emailing [afrancis@chinooksd.ca](mailto:afrancis@chinooksd.ca).

**You can also phone and leave a message after school hours on our Message Manager!**

Just leave your name, your child's name, and the date and reason your child will be late or absent!

If you do not contact the school the student is marked as having an Unexcused Absence.





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## Calendar Dates 2024-25

(Any new events will be added each month)

September	Sept 2 - Sept 3 - Sept 4 - Sept 6 - Sept 26 - Sept 27 - Sept 30 -	Labour Day Holiday (no school for students) <b>BACK TO SCHOOL (GR 1 - 12)</b> Kindergarten begins School photographer here! Terry Fox School Run at 11:00 a.m. (The public is welcome to participate!) <b>Orange Shirt Day!</b> <b>NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS (Chinook PLC Day)</b>
October	Oct 14 - Oct 16 - Oct 28 -	<b>Thanksgiving Day (no school for students)</b> Early Dismissal Day (2:00 p.m.) <b>NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS (Chinook Teachers' Convention)</b>
November	Nov 7 - Nov 8 - Nov 11 - Nov 12 - Nov 13 - Nov 14 - Nov 27 -	Report Cards published to MSS Family Portal (Gr 10 - 12 only) <b>NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS (Day off in lieu of Parent-Teacher Conferences)</b> <b>Remembrance Day Holiday (no school for students)</b> Picture Retake Day Parent-Teacher Conferences (3:30 to 7:00 p.m.) Parent-Teacher Conferences (3:30 to 7:00 p.m.) <b>Early Dismissal Day (2:00 p.m.)</b>
December	Dec 20 - Dec 23 - Jan 5-	Last Day of Classes before Christmas Break <b>Christmas Break (no school for students)</b>
January	Jan 6 - Jan 27-30- Jan 31- Jan 31 -	Classes Resume <b>High school Provincial Exams</b> <b>Turn Around Day (no school for students)</b> Report Cards published to MSS Family Portal (Kindergarten to Gr 12)
February	Feb 3 - Feb 12 - Feb 17- Feb 18 - 23 - Feb 24-	Semester II begins Early Dismissal Day (2:00 p.m.) <b>Family Day Holiday (no school for students)</b> <b>February Break (no school for students)</b> Classes Resume
March	March 24- March 31-	<b>NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS (Teacher PD Day)</b> Parent-Teacher Conferences (3:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.)
April	April 2 - April 17- April 18 - April 19-27 April 28- April 30 -	Parent-Teacher Conferences (3:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.) Report Cards published to MSS Family Portal (Gr 10 - 12 only) Good Friday (no school for students) Easter Break (no school for students) Classes Resume Early Dismissal (2:00 p.m.)
May	May 19 -	<b>Victoria Day Holiday (no school for students)</b>
June	June 4 - June 13 - June 19 - June 23-26- June 26 - June 27 - June 30-	Early Dismissal (2:00 p.m.) <b>GRAD 2025</b> Last day of classes for Kindergarten students <b>High school Provincial Exams</b> <b>LAST DAY OF CLASSES/EXAMS FOR STUDENTS!</b> Report Cards published to the MSS Family Portal (Kindergarten to Gr 12) (No school for students) Administration Day (No school for students)