

REMINDER - Friday, Oct. 11th, & Monday, Oct. 14th, there is NO School - Happy Thanksgiving!



Principal's Corner

... our hot lunch is underway! You can access a hot lunch card (a digital version we secure at school for your child) by purchasing online through SchoolCash. Each card costs \$60, and it will cover the cost of 10 meals. We want to continue to offer this service to our students, but we could certainly use some help from family members who have time to assist in cooking, prepping, serving and cleaning up. When we get this support, we can keep our price point at the low cost of \$6 per meal. If you can help, please get in touch with our office at 780-624-3144 and let the staff know you are interested in helping our hot lunch program continue to be a success.



ATTENDANCE:

If you know your child is going to be absent from school for the day or longer – whether it be for illness, medical, dental, hockey, dance, other sports, musical festival - please contact the **OFFICE** by calling 780-624-3144 and leave a voicemail OR email to Mrs. Guey, Gueyl@prsd.ab.ca. This will eliminate the interrupting phone calls, emails and text messages while you are at work. Thank you very much.



SCHOOL SAFETY POLICY

Peace River School Division - ALL doors to the school will be locked in the safety of everyone within. If you need to pick up your child early or are dropping off from an appointment or are late for school – please use the doorbell and camera at our Main Entrance (Flagpoles location at the south side of the school); as well as any visitors and volunteers who need access.



HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

The first round of Hot Lunch started this past *Tuesday*. You may purchase a Hot Lunch Card at any time via your **SchoolCash** account, \$60. Your child does not have to eat each day; they may select what they like and go to the Home Ec Window at lunch time. We keep track of a google document and no actual card is assigned. The Menu for the week is as follows:

Monday - Pizza

Tuesday - Taco in a Bag

Wednesday - Spaghetti & garlic toast

Thursday - Hot Dogs or Grilled Cheese (Group fundraiser day)

Friday - Free lunch of Hamburger & veggie sticks



HOCKEY ACADEMY & DANCE/GYMNASTICS ACADEMY FEES:

- Fees are now due and payable through your **SchoolCash** account.



SCHOOLCASH ACCOUNTS:

All Fees such as Hot Lunch Cards, Hockey Academy, Dance/Gymnastics Academy, Sports Team fees, Yearbook, damaged or lost school textbooks, will appear on your child's account. Please take the time to set up your SchoolCash account and make any fee payments as soon as possible. You will find the easy sign-up on the Peace River School Division's website, the waffle buttons on the upper right-hand corner and selecting School Cash Online Payments (attached).



FOOD BANK CHALLENGE

We are once again collecting non-perishable items for the Peace River Food Bank from October 16th-30th.

The Points Award system is being developed as we speak - please watch for more details in next week's Weekly Activity Memo.



5A SWIMMING LESSONS Continue

Dates include October 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21.

Please remember to send your child's swimsuit, towel and perhaps a toque for the colder weather.



Register for SchoolCash Online today

It's fast, easy & free

Create an account today so that you can be notified via email and pay for your child(ren)'s school activity fees online.

Why register?

- 24/7 shopping convenience
- Secure, contactless & easy-to-use
- Receive email notifications as new items are available for purchase
- Manage all of your child(ren)'s school activity fees from a single account
- Check your account history at any time
- View & print receipts as needed
- Eliminates the need for your child(ren) to carry cash

How to register

- Go to <https://prsd.schoolcashionline.com> and click **Register**.
 - Enter your first name, last name, email address, and create a password
 - Select a security question
 - Select **Yes** to receive email notifications (note that you will not receive any promotional emails)
- You will receive a confirmation via email. Check your Spam folder if you don't receive it.
- Use your email address and password to log in to your account.

How to add children to your account

- Sign in to **SchoolCash Online**:
<https://prsd.schoolcashionline.com>.
- At the top of the page, navigate to **My Account**.
- From the dropdown menu, select **My Students**.
- Click to add a child:
 - Type your school board name.
 - Choose your school from the list.
 - Enter your child's details. You may add up to 8 students to your account.
 - Click **Confirm**.

How to make a payment

- Select the item which you would like to purchase & click **Add to Cart**.
- Once you have finished adding items to your cart, click **Continue** to make a payment.



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