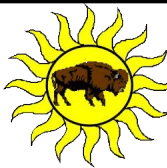




May Newsletter

Sunchild First Nation Treaty Day Friday May 27th



- Buses running at 9:30
- Carnival games starting at 10:00 at \$2.00 per child play all day.
- BBQ Lunch for the whole community!

Cree Proverb *Realize that we as human beings have been put on this earth for only a short time and that we must use this time to gain wisdom, knowledge, respect and the understanding for all human beings since we are all relatives.*

Picking Students Up from School?


All visitors to the school need to report to the front office. If you are picking up a student the office will phone the classroom teacher and have the student sent down to the office. All students are required to be signed out of the building through the front office.

Walking Home

Students are required to take the bus home unless a note has been written to say otherwise. Parent's wishing for their children to walk home need to provide a note which will be put on file.

Pajama Day

Friday May 13th

Show Your School Spirit 
-Wear Your Pajamas to School!
-Bring a Teddy Bear to School as a reading buddy!

PAJAMA PARTY

If It Has Wheels!

If it has wheels and you bring it to school you also need to have a helmet on your head. This includes the following: Skate Boards, Scooters, Bikes, and Roller Blades.



Important Dates

Wednesday May 4	Safety Day in Rocky Mountain House Grades 4-6
Friday May 6	Mothers Day Tea
Monday May 9	Take the Time Day Grades 6-8
Thursday May 12	Red Eye Ball Hockey Event
Thursday May 19	Grade One Field Trip to Crimson Lake
Friday May 20	No School for Staff and Students
Monday May 23	No School May Long Weekend
Wednesday May 25	Grade 4/5 Field Trip to Crimson Lake
Friday May 27	Treaty Day Carnival
Monday May 30-1June	Grade 7 and 8 Girls Camping Trip to Fish Lake
Wednesday June 1	Grade 3 Field Trip to Collicutt Center Red Deer
Wednesday June 1-3	Grade 7 and 8 Boys Camping Trip to Fish Lake
Monday June 6-8	Grade 9-12 Students Camping Trip to Fish Lake
Tuesday June 7	Grade 2/3 Field Trip to Pioneer Ranch Camp
Tuesday June 7	Grade 6-9 Track and Field Meet in Rocky
Wednesday June 8	Grade 1/2 Field Trip to Pioneer Ranch Camp
Wednesday June 8	Grade 5 Field Trip to Crimson Lake
Thursday June 9	Grade 4/5 Field Trip to Edmonton
Tuesday June 14	Male Role Model Father's Day Dinner and Activities
Wednesday June 15	Head Start and K5 Grads
Monday June 20	Last Day for Students
Tuesday June 21	Awards Day 9:00 Start
Thursday June 23	Grade 12 Graduation



Mother's Day Tea Friday May 6th

2:00 to 3:25

- Face Painting
- Nail Polish Station
- Flower Planting



Track and Field

With approximately 5 weeks to go before their Track and Field meet in Rocky Mountain House, Sunchild students between grades 6-9 have been putting in hard work to improve their skills and abilities. These young athletes are training two times per week at events that include sprints, long distance races, running long jump, high jump, shot put, and discus. Keep working hard, Bisons!



Kindergarten Grad Fundraisers

Mother's Day Basket

-Draw to be made on May 6

Beaded Earrings Raffle

-Draw to be made on Treaty Day



50/50 Ticket Sales During Treaty Day

Come out and Support
our Kindergarten student
grad!



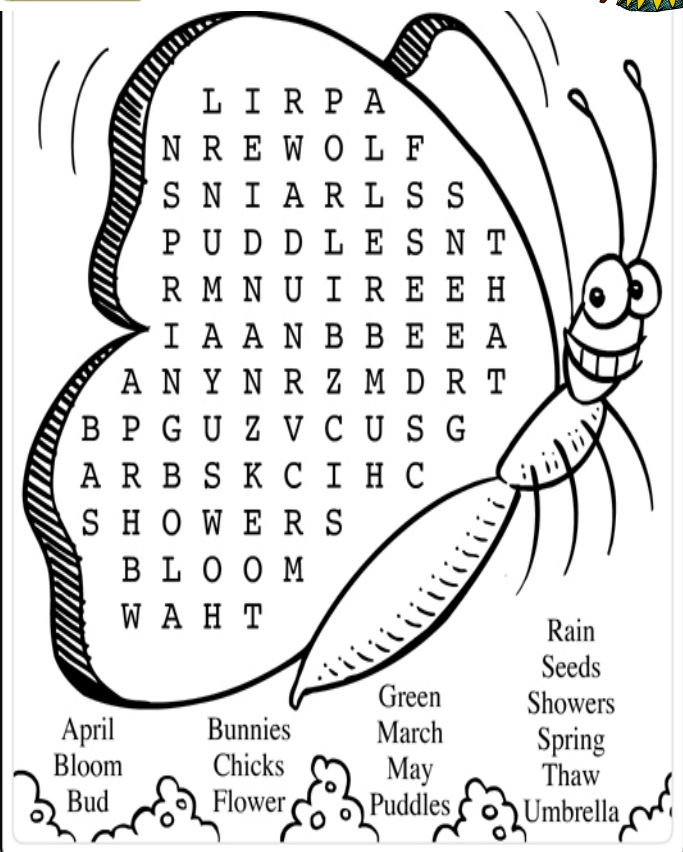
Sunchild School Student Attendance

The following statistics was presented to the school staff at the last staff professional development day. Students have been in school for 139 days (Aug 31 to April 20). The attendance summary for each grade was printed off. On average students from K5 to grade 12 missed 26 days out of a possible 139 days of school. Which equates to five weeks of school or over one month of school being missed. Student success in school is directly related to attending school regularly. Help us educate kids by getting your child to school and on time. Thanks

% Missed	Days Missed	Gr. 6	19%	26 Days	
K5	24%	34 Days	Gr. 7	14%	20 Days
Gr. 1	24%	34 Days	Gr. 8	16%	22 Days
Gr. 2	17%	24 Days	Gr. 9	15%	21 Days
Gr. 3	11%	14 Days	Gr. 10	18%	26 Days
Gr. 4	17%	23 Days	Gr. 11	25%	34 Days
Gr. 5	20%	32 Days	Gr. 12	23%	32 Days



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What You Can Do About Bullying!

-What is bullying? Bullying is when someone keeps doing or saying things to have power over another person.

-What can you do if you are being bullied? Coping with bullying can be difficult, but remember, you are not the problem, the bully is. You have a right to feel safe and secure.

- Spend time with your friends! Bullies hardly ever pick on people if they're with others in a group
- Try ignoring the bully, tell them to stop and walk away whenever the bullying starts.
- If someone is bullying you, you should always tell an adult you can trust. This isn't telling tales. You have a right to be safe and adults can do things to get the bullying stopped.
- If you find it difficult to talk about being bullied, you might find it easier to write down what's been happening to you and give it to an adult you trust.
- If you see someone else being bullied you should always try to stop it. If you do nothing, you're saying that bullying is okay.