

Hello Sansome Families:

Hard to believe that April is almost over and next week brings us to May!

10 Orff Students accompanied by Mrs. Moses attended the **"Orff Children's Day"** for a full day at the Centre culturel franco manitobain this past Wed. (Photos attached)

On **May 10<sup>th</sup>** at 9:30 Sansome students under the direction of Mrs. Moses will be performing at the **Lytic Theatre** in Assiniboine Park. Please see attached poster.

May has been proclaimed **Music Month** by the Minister of Education, *Honourable Wayne Ewasko, Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning*. We are certainly most fortunate to have such a talented musician and teacher as Mrs. Moses. We appreciate all that she does each and every month!

With the warmer temps., we will resume our **Fire Drills**, so it is important that the kiddos always have their shoes and are ready to exit. We have 5 Fire Drills to go!

Our 3 **Teacher Candidates**: Carter Robinson, Shelby Yankoski, and Katrina Preza have completed their practicums with us. We have enjoyed having them with us and wish them all the best in their teaching careers.

**May 15<sup>th</sup>** is our May **Parent Council Mtg.** at 6:00 in the Staffroom. The next Pizza by the Slice Day is on **Thurs.**

**May 4<sup>th</sup>**. It is \$2.50 per slice for Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza. If kiddos can bring a plastic plate that would help out with the paper waste.

**May 18<sup>th</sup>** is our **Welcome to Kindergarten** event. It will run from 4:20 – approx. 6:00pm, start times for staggered groups will be forthcoming. We look forward to Westwood Library, Literacy Links, and Westwood Childcare Center joining us at this event.

**Play Structure** update....

the SJASD School Division will be replacing the pea gravel under the current structures this spring to ensure there is a soft fall zone. This will keep our kiddos playing safely while our dedicated Parent Council continues their work to replace the wooden structure.

**Speedstacking:** SJAEEAA SPEED STACKING DIVISIONAL RECORD GIRLS

GIRLS CYCLE STACK - Naomi B. (10.34 sec.) Sansome School (2011)

GIRLS 3-6-3 STACK – Brianne P. (4.06 sec.) Sansome School (2011) Congratulations to all our Speed Stack competitors and to Mrs. Starkell and Mr. Robinson for their coaching.

Thinking of what is the best age to let your child have a **cellphone**? This article may be of interest: <https://www.waituntil8th.org>

Enjoy the Spring Weather this weekend,

Henrietta Hoch

Chris Mavroudis



## SJASD MUSIC CELEBRATION

<https://www.sjasd.ca/school/sansome/Documents/Music%20Celebration%20Program.pdf>

## Upcoming Pizza Days:

[https://www.sjasd.ca/school/sansome/Documents/full%20year%20SANSOME%20PIZZA%20FRIDAYS%20%20\(4\).pdf](https://www.sjasd.ca/school/sansome/Documents/full%20year%20SANSOME%20PIZZA%20FRIDAYS%20%20(4).pdf)

**Just a friendly reminder that dismissal is at 3:55 pm and there is no supervision. Please kindly make alternate arrangements with friends or family, if you are unable to pick up your child at this time.**

Our next Early Dismissal Day is **Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Students will be dismissed at 3:18 pm to allow for ongoing staff professional development. Early dismissals happen on the first and third Tuesday of each month. Buses run approximately 30 minutes earlier.

## Transportation:

Sansome bus in the AM is #17

Sansome bus in the PM is #5

**If your child is not going to be on the bus at the end of the day, call the office to let us know. If we cannot pick up the phone, please leave us a message.**

**Absence Reporting:** A reminder that during the school year, absences are no longer phoned in or emailed to the school/teacher. Please do not email the teacher if your child is going to be absent. If teachers are away, they are not checking their email.

**Milk Store:** White and chocolate milk can be purchased for \$1.00 each. Tickets are available in the office. If you have tickets left from last year, they can still be used. Kernels Popcorn is also sold in the Milk Store for \$2.00 per bag. The flavours available are Butter & Salt, Dill Pickle, Salt & Vinegar, and White Cheddar.

Please bookmark our school website for all current and future news and the upcoming events calendar: <https://www.sjasd.ca/school/sansome>

If you have any questions about this or any other school information, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.