Opening Day Parent & Student Conferences – September 4th and 5th

School will be open on Thursday, August 15th with secretarial staff and administrators in the building. Teachers and Educational Assistants will welcome students and their parents on Wednesday, September 4th and Thursday, September 5th at our Triad Conferences. Please see attached instructions.

The first full day of classes will be Friday, September 6th.

All elementary schools in St. James-Assiniboia will open with two days of parent/teacher conferences. The purpose of the opening day conferences is to develop a strong relationship between the school, teacher, student and parents. Research indicates that where this relationship is strong, student achievement is increased. The conferences were also designed to:

- * solicit parent involvement in the education of the children
- * reduce any anxiety regarding the start of the school year with a new teacher in a new classroom
- * obtain mutually beneficial information regarding the child (eg: medical concerns, allergies)

If you have not yet used the Conference Manager you can register for an account by clicking the *REGISTER NOW* button on the home page. Please note that you will continue to use this online system throughout your child's Early, Middle and Senior years to book all school conferences.

To access the Conference Manager, go to our school's website home page -

https://www.sjasd.ca/school/strathmillan and find "Conference Manager" under the Parents & Community drop down menu.

Or enter the following URL in your internet browser: <u>https://strathmillan.schoolsoft.com/login.jsf</u> Note that there is no "www" in the address.

**Picture Day October 24th

Conference times: Sept 4th. 1:00-7:00 pm.. Sept 5th 9:30—3:30 pm **Retakes-November 27th

n	<u>Grade</u>	Classroom Teachers	Administrative Staff		
9	KPM	Mrs. P. Shields	Principal	Mr. J. Baker	
20	KAM	Mrs. P. Shields	Vice Principal	Ms. K. Straub	
29	1	Ms. B. Lodwick			
30	1/2	Ms. M. Ruth			
23	1	Ms. M. Kirkland	Support Staff		
27	2/3	Mrs. J. Sveistrup			
38	2/3	Mrs. S. MacLean-Pilat	Student Services	Student Services Ms. H. Hueging	
41	2/3 2/2	Mrs. T. Richardson	Phys. Ed.	Mr. M. McKenzie / Ms. T. Orsulak	
25 3	2/3 5	Ms. J. Shabaga Ms. L. Moniz	Music	Ms. A. Dawson	
1	4/5	Ms. A. Pattie	Reading Recovery	Mrs. D. Stewart	
14	4/5	Mrs. K. Spring	Library Tech	Mrs. T. Branco	
16	4/5	Mrs. S. Steuart	Head Secretary	Ms. L. McBride	
13	4/5	Mrs. R. Westergard	Secretarial Asst.	TBD	
Edu	cational/S	tudent Assistants	Custodian	Mr. H.Tran	
Ms. C. Piantadosi Mrs. D. Jorundson		Mrs. D. Jorundson			
Mr. E. German Mr. N. klassen					
Mrs. K. MacArthur Mrs. K. Reynolds		<u>E.S.S</u> .			
Mrs. M. McLaren Ms. J. Saif		Speech & Langua	ge Therapist TBD		
		Ms. K. Wilding	Psychologist	TBD	
Ms. T. Rashkovskiy			Occupational The	Occupational Therapists Ms. M. Desgagnes	
Ms. J. Machado		Ms. D. Rodrigues	Social Worker	Ms. D. Bartley	
Ms. C	C. Hink	Ms. F. Weldehans	Physiotherapist	Mr. G. Wu	
Ms. S. Kaur		Ms. G Kayr			
Ms. S. Martens Mr. T Alexander					
Ms. E	E. Porter				