



# VICTORY SCHOOL

## SEVEN OAKS SCHOOL DIVISION

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### NEWSLETTER

November 2022



Dear Victory Families,

As we return to months of colder weather and eventually, snow, we wish to remind families our commitment to children spending time outdoors. Children deserve time to play, connect with friends, discover, imagine, to be physically active and to have fun. In order for their time outdoors to continue to be enjoyable, children must dress properly for the weather conditions. When our students arrive at school in the morning they play outside until the bell rings at 8:55. We try to get outdoors for our movement breaks EVERY day, in EVERY weather condition ~ cold, windy, snowy, wet! By doing this, children learn to have fun in all types of weather and grow into life-long active citizens.

**Our Remembrance Day assembly will take place on Thursday, November 10th @ 11:30 am in our school gymnasium.** Parents and guardians are welcome to attend. All students will receive a poppy to wear at the assembly. If you would like to send in a small donation for the poppy, please send it with your child to their classroom teacher before Thursday. All donations collected are brought to the West Kildonan Legion Branch 30.

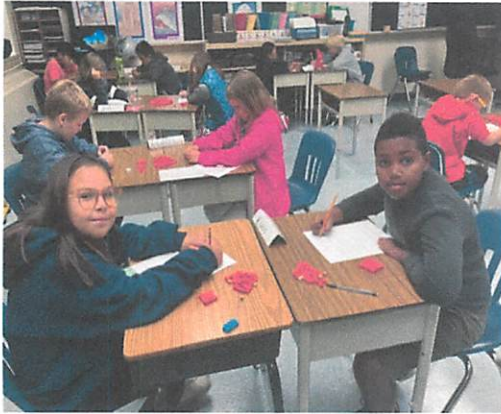
**Remembrance Day is on Friday, November 11th**, and therefore it is not a school day.

We ask for your help in keeping children safe as they are dropped off and picked up before and after the school day. We encourage our families to walk to school whenever possible. If you come by car, please use our "Stop, Drop, & Go!" drop off at the front of the school on Jefferson Avenue.

Our students will have the opportunity to share their learning with their families on the evening of Thursday, November 24th and during the day of Friday, November 25th. Families can go online and book their conference times using Parent Connect. Report cards are viewable and/or printable beginning Tuesday, November 22nd at 10:00 am. Please contact our school office if you have any difficulties using Parent Connect.

## FROM ROOM 17

It's great to be back together in class learning again. We have a good balance of fun and learning going on in the classroom every day.



Figuring out a pattern in Math class



Lots of thinking going on!

The students in Room 17 have been working really "hard" (get it?) learning about Rocks and Minerals.



Hunting for fossils at Stonewall Quarry Park

## More from Room 17



Learning how sedimentary rocks are formed



Watching a presentation about limestone mining



Working in the quarry: safety gear

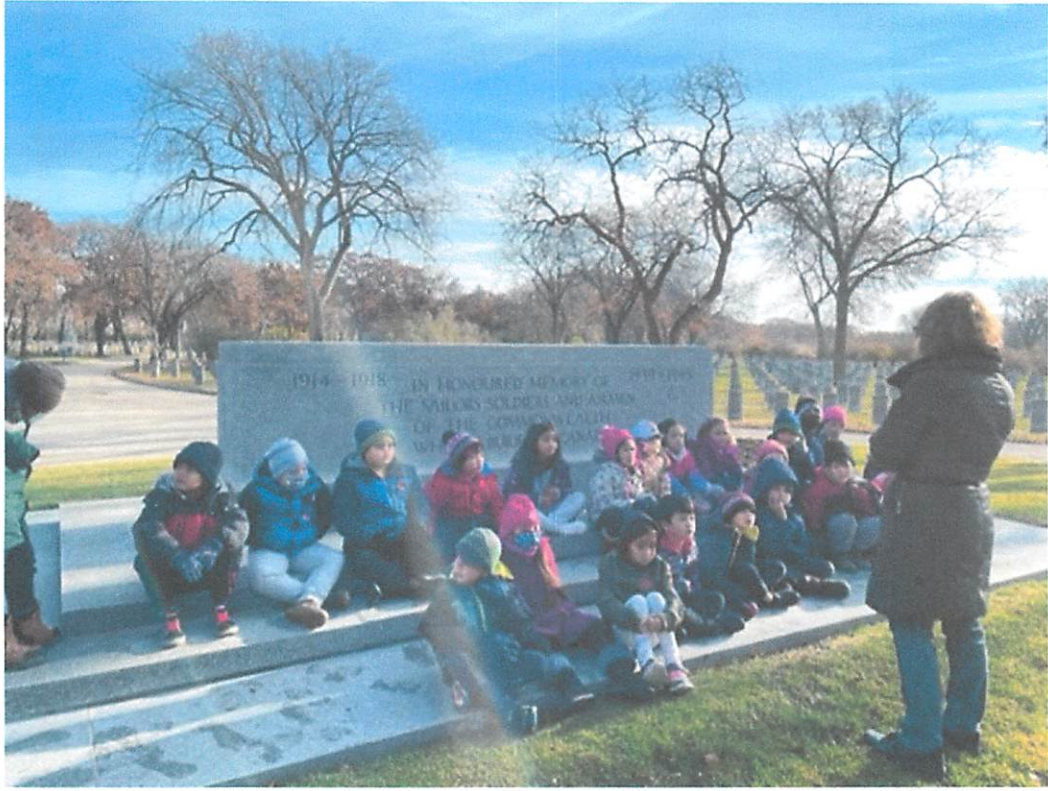
## Our Rock Art



## FROM ROOM'S 1 & 8

Remembrance Day is a time to honour those who have served Canada in times of war, conflict, and peace. The students in rooms 1 and 8 have been learning about some of Canada's veterans and peaceful ways to resolve conflict. When we visited the ANAVETS mural, students reflected on the artists' symbols of war and peace and learned the history of four Canadian soldiers. We also visited the Field of Honour at Brookside Cemetery, leaving our hand painted poppy rocks for veterans. Students were able to visit the grave of Sargent Tommy Prince's and learned about the various cenotaphs. Later in the month students of room 1 will be walking to the West Kildonan Branch 30, Royal Canadian Legion, to place poppy rocks and deliver their 'Postcards for Peace.' Both classrooms have prepared something special for Victory School's Remembrance Day assembly. We hope you can join us.





## FROM THE MUSIC ROOM

Congratulations to our Grade 3 and Grade 5 Instrumental Ensembles on your wonderful recording sessions! These groups have worked incredibly hard and I am very proud of all of you. I will share our videos when they are posted on the CBC Music Class YouTube channel.



# Victory Viper Physical Education

## Congratulations!

Congratulations to our Divisional Cross-Country team who competed at our Divisional event on October 3<sup>rd</sup> at Little Mountain Park. It was an amazing experience for the athletes competing against other athletes from various schools again and to start off the school year with some normalcy! Congratulations again to all athletes and coaches!

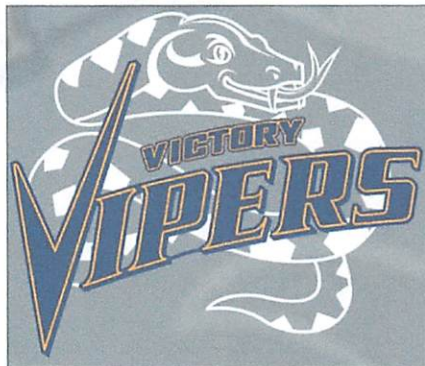
## Divisional Flag Football

On November 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>, the Division is hosting their annual Flag Football Jamboree which is held at the Winnipeg Soccer Federation Complex – North location. Teams from various schools in the Division will be participating over the two days. Victory School will be participating on Nov. 10. From 10:00am – 2:00pm.

## Divisional Circulation Volleyball

The Divisional Circulation Volleyball Jamboree will take place on December 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>. Athletes will start practices mid-November. More information to follow in letter to be sent home in December.

Actively yours,  
Physical Educator  
Mr. Pacag





Tuesday, November 1<sup>st</sup> – Divisional Day – NO SCHOOL  
Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup> – Remembrance Day – NO SCHOOL  
Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> – Photo Retakes morning only  
Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> – Book Parent/Teacher Conferences 10:00 am  
Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup> – Parent/Teacher Conferences Evening  
Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup> – Parent/Teacher Conferences – NO SCHOOL

**WINTER BREAK – December 22<sup>nd</sup> – January 4<sup>th</sup> – NO SCHOOL**

Friday, January 27<sup>th</sup> – School PD – NO SCHOOL  
Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> – Divisional PD Day – NO SCHOOL  
Monday, February 20<sup>th</sup> – Louis Riel Day – NO SCHOOL  
Thursday, March 16<sup>th</sup> – Parent/Teacher Conferences Evening  
Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup> – Parent/Teacher Conferences – NO SCHOOL

**SPRING BREAK – March 27<sup>th</sup> – March 31<sup>st</sup> – NO SCHOOL**

Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup> – Good Friday – NO SCHOOL  
Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> – PD DAY – NO SCHOOL  
Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> – Victoria Day – NO SCHOOL  
Friday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> – PD DAY – NO SCHOOL  
Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup> – PD Day – NO SCHOOL  
Friday, June 30<sup>th</sup> – Last Day School



# November

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Day 3 <b>NO SCHOOL</b> Divisional Day	2 Day 4	3 Day 5	4 Day 6	5
6 Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour. 	7 Day 1	8 Day 2 Rm.5-Swimming 9:30 Rm.8-Skating 12:00	9 Day 3	10 Day 4 Remembrance Day Assembly 11:30 Gr. 5 Divisional Flag Football	11 <b>Remembrance Day</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	12
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20	21 Day 4	22 Day 5 <b>Photo Retakes (am)</b> Rm.5-Swimming 9:30 Rm.8-Skating 12:00	23 Day 6	24 Day 1 Parent/Teacher Conf. Evening	25 Day 2 Parent/Teacher Conf. <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	26
27	28 Day 3	29 Day 4 Rm.5-Swimming 9:30	30 Day 5			