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The McIsaac Messenger

Newspaper Club New to School

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Upcoming Events

Nov. 8 Remembrance Day ceremony 11:00

Nov. 11 Remembrance Day (no school)

Nov. 18 Bully Awareness Assembly

Nov. 29 Admin day (no school)

Nov. 30 The Pas Volleyball Tournament This is the first vear that McIsaac has had a newspaper club! We are very excited to be publishing a monthly newspaper throughout the year. The newspaper club has four student reporters, Anna, Dursameen, Jayden, and Meadow, and one teacher, Ms. Senvk. We meet three times during the six day cycle, days one, three, and



Newspaper Club: Anna Krassilowsky, Dursameen Alfa, Meadow Taylor, and Ms. Senyk Missing Jayden Laliberty

five.

In the newspaper we will have important messages, school events, sports, holiday recipes and ideas, and much more!

The newspaper club is part of the new Learning Enriched Activities Program (LEAP) led by Ms. Senyk for the Flin Flon School

Speaking with Mr. Lytwyn by Dursameen Alfa

Q: How is being a principal different than being a vice principal?

A: They are similar but being a Principal gets you more respect.

Q: What would you like the school to improve on? A: How students should work academically.

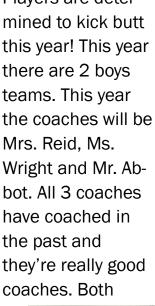
Q: What do you like about being a principal? A: I like working with students and staff. Q: What don't you like about being a principal? A: I like everything about being a principal. Q: What are your goals for

this year?

A: Student academics, always being safe and that everyone feel's welcome.



Players are deter- teams are really



teams are really excited for the upcoming season. The 2 teams played each other on the 2nd of October, and every Wednesday there will be games either here at McIsaac, or away. Practices will be on

Mad Dogs Take the Court! By Jayden Laliberty

Mondays after school or lunch hour. Throughout the Volleyball season they will play Ruth Betts, Cranberry and Creighton. So come out and cheer on your school sport teams. GO MAD DOGS GO!



Two Girl's Volleyball teams played against each other on October 30, while another played a team from Creighton Community School.



Volleyball was first

played in 1895, in

Holyoke,

Massachusetts in the United States.

Good Luck McIsaac Girls! By Anna Krassilowsky

Girls volleyball is taking a big leap this year with 4 amazing teams and coaches.to kick off the season all of the Mcisaac teams played each other at the school. The coaches are as followed; Mme.Frederick, Mrs.Rierson with the help of Maggie Ryan,

Mrs.Pomeranski, Mrs.Chrupalo, and Mr.Davis with the help of Kaylee Pardoski. The schools we will be playing are Ruth Betts Community School, Creighton Community School, Cranberry, and other McIsaac teams. The practice and game

schedules are posted on the gym bulletin board and the girls playing will get them from their coaches. Let's wish the McIsaac girls teams good luck for the season.



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Adviconants to the Rescue!



Q:What is the best way to ask your mom a question when you don't really want to ask? R:If it's important, ask her. She is your mom so tell her what is on your mind, but ask her when a good time is to talk so you aren't rushed. -Adviconaut 2

Q: How do you talk to a boy you like? R: Be chill, not giddy. Tell him you like him if you want him to know. If you don't want him to know, just act like you are having a conversation with a friend. Find something you have in common. Boys like talking about themselves. :) –Adviconaut 1

Cross Country Team on Track

The Cross Country Team has given it's all in training and have traveled to The Pas to show their strengths. To get an input on how the meet went I asked three members of Mr. Abbott's team: Dursameen, Abby, and Sarah how they thought it went. Dursameen mentions about the way they raced and says,"They raced us in grade categories. The fives and sixes from The Pas raced against our own fives and sixes." Then I asked if there was anything bad about the meet or anything that she didn't enjoy. "The rain was not good. My feet were soaked and so were my socks," she says.

"But the meet was fun and I really liked everything else." To get an idea of how others felt about the meet Lasked two more members of the team who won awards, Abby and Sarah. "Were you ready for the meet?" I question. "Well the track was wet and very confusing and we didn't really train for this kind of weather, but we had determination to finish the race well," they say with pride. "How do you think you guys could improve?" I ask. "We could run longer distances and put more commitment into practice to win at the next meets," they explain. "How did you guys end

By Meadow Taylor

the day?" I ask curiously. "Well we were in a campground so we walked to a picnic table and they handed out ribbons to the competitors. After we were done there we went the rest of the way to The Pas and got a victory treat at A&W, it was tasty!" They say. "The ride back was very uncomfortable and loud! But, we really enjoyed the meet and we were glad to be home."



Picture Day By Jayden Laliberty

Picture day was on Friday the 4^{th of October}. Lifetouch came all the way from Winnipeg to come and take all of our pictures. Pictures were taken in the morning and afternoon. In the afternoon all students and staff took a school picture on the playground. Retakes are on the 29^{th of October}. The Newspaper club hopes your pictures are awesome!





RECIPE OF THE MONTH



Bake Mini Carrot Cakes as a Tasty Treat on Halloween

Ingredients.: (2-layer size) carrot cake mix 1 pkg. (4-serving size) Jell-O Vanilla Instant Pudding 1 tub (250 g) Philadelphia **Cream Cheese Spread** 2 Tbsp. sugar 2-3/4 cups thawed Cool Whip Whipped Topping 2 cups chopped walnuts

Make It

HEAT oven to 350°F. PREPARE cake batter as directed on package, adding dry pudding mix. Spoon into 48 paper-lined mini muffin pan cups. BAKE 12 to 15 min. or until toothpick inserted in centers comes out clean. Cool in pans 10 min.; remove to wire racks. Cool completely. **REMOVE** cupcakes from liners; cut cupcakes horizontally in half. Mix cream cheese spread and sugar in large bowl until blended; stir in Cool Whip. FILL each cupcake with 1 Tbsp. cream cheese mixture. Frost with remaining cream cheese mixture: sprinkle with nuts. RECIPE FROM http:// www.kraftcanada.com

Abbott Interview By Jayden Laliberty

The Newspaper club has interviewed Mr. Abbott because he is a new teacher at McIsaac and we wanted to learn more about him.

1. How long have you been teaching gym? 14 years

2. Favorite sport? Hockey

- 3. Favorite color?
- Blue
- 4. What's your favorite activity to do in gym?

Dodge ball 5. Favorite food?

- Steak
- 6. What sports did/do you coach?
- Volleyball, Hockey, Badminton, Cross country, Basketball and Golf
- 7. Do you enjoy being a gym coach and teacher?
- I don't enjoy it, I love it!





Mrs. Smith Chats about Choir by Dursameen Alfa

How do you like teaching choir? I love teaching choir. It's fun. What song do you love to hear from your choir? The Lion Sleeps Toniaht What grades are allowed to be in choir? Grades 3-8 What days do you meet? We meet on Thursdays at noon. How many choir members do you have this year?

85 members How long do choir members learn their

3-4 days songs?

Peace"

Which songs are the choir members learning right now? "Roar" and "Song of



