

NEWSLETTER

CANWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL

MAY 2026

As we move through another busy and exciting season at our school, I would like to take a moment to recognize several highlights that truly showcase the talent, generosity, and engagement within our school community.

Bravo to our incredible cast, directors, stage crew, and Commercial Cooking class for the outstanding performances at our Dessert Theatre on March 31st. The event was completely sold out, and audiences were thoroughly captivated by the talent and dedication on display. It was a wonderful evening that reflected the hard work and collaboration of both students and staff—well done to everyone involved!

We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to the Knights of Columbus for their generous monetary donation in support of our daily Nutritious Breakfast Program. Their contribution helps ensure our students start each day ready to learn, and we are very grateful for their continued support of our school.

Additionally, our Grade 7 and 8 students had the opportunity to attend a performance of Mamma Mia! at Carlton Comprehensive High School. This experience allowed students to enjoy live theatre and gain an appreciation for the performing arts in a new setting.

Over the Easter Break, our school gym floors were refinished and look fantastic. We would like to thank everyone for helping us maintain this space by removing outdoor shoes before entering the gym. We also appreciate your support in reminding students to avoid puddles and remove wet or muddy footwear before coming inside. While accidents do happen, we kindly ask that students come prepared with an extra pair of socks or pants when conditions are wet.

Thank you to our staff, students, and community members for continuing to make our school such a vibrant and supportive place to learn and grow.

Congratulations to our Badminton Athletes for their hard work and dedication to their sport. Our Junior team performed very well and came back to the school with medals and earned the P4A Banner! Great job! The Senior team did very well too, we have 5 athletes who represented Canwood School at the Districts level in La Ronge. Super job!

Principal - Mrs. Sylvia Delisle

Anyone interested in enrolling their child in the PreK or Kindergarten programs for the 2026-2027 school year can submit the registration forms on the Canwood School website. Contact the school office at 306-468-2150 for more information.

Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for their generous donation of \$1000. The funds will go towards our daily nutritious breakfast program that is offered to all of our students. Al Dion, Maurice Tanchuk and Dominic Villegas came and presented the cheque to our school.



Thank you

to Richardson Foundation Inc. for their generous donation of \$15,000 to our School Community Council's Playground Project Fundraiser.

ATTENTION - parents/guardians/students, if you are parked anywhere near the school at the end of the school day please remember that children may be walking between and/or behind parked cars on the way to their parent's vehicle, and might not be easily seen, or they may be riding their bikes home after school.

Wait to pull away from the school until students have made their way to their vehicles or down the street, and wait until the buses have left the parking lot.

Thank you.

Theatre Actors Scenes

For this year's dessert theatre presentation, Canwood drama students performed two one-act plays. This wonderful presentation entertained a sold out audience on March 31st. The Grade 6-9 students performed the play "Complaint Department and Lemonade" by Kamron Klitgaard. The audience was treated to a hilarious parade of people coming to the complaint department with their grievances, only to find themselves in charge - until the next complainant arrived. Directed by Mrs. Courtney Hansen and Mrs. Michelle Smith, the students did a great job and many laughs were had. The Grade 10-12 students performed the play "Fairy Godmothers In Training" by Kendra Thomas and directed by Mrs. Kori Sansom. This play was a western-style update on a Cinderella story, where we find Ember about to lose the family ranch as her greedy Stepmother attempts to auction off the property. Meanwhile, Willow and Daisy are desperate to complete their fairy godmother training, but Gerta is enjoying her retirement and isn't spending enough time training them. The two decide to steal the magic wand and help Ember themselves, before the town square dance ends with the ranch auctioned off.

Complaint Department and Lemonade Cast

One: Kloe Benson; Two: Maren Hansen; Three: Madalynn Buckingham; Four: Shay Benjamin; Five: Londyn Bodnarchuk; Six: Bree Isbister; Eight: Aili Johnson; Nine: Kloe Benson; Ten: Charley Bather; Eleven: Reese Hamborg; Twelve: Elisha Johnson; Fourteen: Chloe Millar; Fifteen: Tessa McInnis

Fairy Godmothers in Training Cast

Gerta: Sadie Schutte; Willow: Aubrey Hansen; Daisy: Brooke Nordquist; Ursula Cartwright: Nova Vaagen; Beabella: Sarah Moritz; Bonbella: Raket Olson; Ember Cartwright: Becky Millar; Mr. Powder: Tye Vaughan; Mrs. Powder: Becca Schutte; Mr. Drake: Kaden Benson; Miles Austin: Tessa Bates-Wojcichowsky; Extras: Madalynn Buckingham, Aili Johnson

Lights & Sound - Brayzn Benson, Taiden Wrench and a special thank you to Grant Person and Bob Wrench for their time helping to set up the equipment.

Stage Set-up & Design - Mr. Duval and student volunteers.

Curtains & Stage Hands - Taiden Wrench, Germaine Halkett, Ryder Vaughan, Lukas Petten, Brayzn Benson

A wonderful dessert buffet was created by the Commercial Cooking class with Mr. Duval and Ms. Stefankiw. Thank you to the many hands that helped make our production a success.

Drama Coordinator - Mrs. Kori Sansom

Senior Badminton

The athletes have worked hard all season. Conference was in Debden on Tuesday, April 21st. Sadie Schutte won gold in girls singles, Rebecca Schutte and Jocelyn Lajeunesse won gold in girls doubles, Brooke Nordquist and Germaine Halkett ended up in 4th place in mixed doubles, and all were able to move on to Districts in La Ronge on Tuesday April 28th.

At Districts Sadie won gold and Rebecca and Jocelyn won gold, and will move on to compete at Regionals in Humboldt on Saturday, May 2nd. Brooke and Germaine also did well and achieved 4th place.

Thank you to all the community members who came out to Open Badminton nights, it was great to see everyone come out and play!

Coach - Mr. Ryan Aiken



Junior Badminton

Our junior badminton athletes attended playoffs in Debden on Wednesday, April 22nd. Several athletes won medals and were awarded with the P4A banner!

Liam Peters won gold in boys singles, Leeland Schutte won bronze in boys singles, Athena Amistad won silver in girls singles, Ava Little won bronze in girls singles, Kashia Hansen and Brynlea Lajeunesse won bronze in girls doubles, Harlem Eldridge and Lukas Hegland won bronze in boys doubles, and Kai Nordquist and Bree Isbister won silver in mixed doubles, Congratulations to all and job well done to all the junior badminton athletes!



Presenting Partner



Canwood Public School - Canwood

is joining the fight to beat heart disease and stroke.

Our school is proud to be participating in Heart & Stroke's Jump Rope for Heart program!

Why it matters:

- Students get active and have fun at school on their Event Day.
- Students learn life-long healthy habits.
- Together, we raise funds to support lifesaving heart and brain research.

Jump in and make a difference!
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Canwood Public School is joining the fight to beat heart disease and stroke through jump rope for heart by Desjardins. We know how many people are affected by heart disease and stroke every year, and are proud to be helping them out.

Our current fundraising goal is \$2,500.

We greatly appreciate any donations which can be made online through the QR code or through student pledge forms!
SLC President-Tye Vaughan

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Community Events

PARKLAND VBS COMMITTEE PRESENTS

VBS BBQ FUNDRAISER

**WEDNESDAY MAY 13TH
11:30AM-1:30PM**

AT CANWOOD PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

\$7.00 FOR STUDENTS

**INCLUDES:
HAMBURGER, CHIPS,
JUICE**

\$12.00 FOR ADULTS

**INCLUDES:
HAMBURGER, POP,
SALAD, DESSERT**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



May 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1 K	2 Badminton Regionals in Humboldt
3	4 PreK	5 K	6 Pizza Slice Sale PreK	7 Noon Meal Chili & Bun K	8	9 Badminton Provincials in Saskatoon
10 	11 PreK	12 K	13 Pizza Slice Sale PreK	14 K	15 PLC No Classes	16
17	18 Victoria Day No School	19 K	20 Pizza Slice Sale PreK	21 Noon Meal Bison Stew & Bannock Bowls K	22 K-8 Track & Field in Debden Gr 9-12 Open Track & Field in P.A. K	23
24	25 PreK	26 K	27 Pizza Slice Sale Gr 9-12 Track & Field Districts in P.A. PreK	28 K	29	30
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