



FOREST GREEN SCHOOL

Dragon's Dish

Updates from the Forest

March 3, 2024

Monday March 4	Tuesday March 5	Wednesday March 6	Thursday March 7	Friday March 8
Grades 4-6 Handbells Play Parkland (Gr 5-6 & 6)	Basketball Intramurals (Gr 3-4) at lunch recess Play Parkland (Gr 3-4 & 3)	Grades 3-6 Choir	Basketball Intramurals (Gr 5-6) at lunch recess Hot Lunch (if ordered)	Board Game Club at lunch recess Play Parkland (Gr 4 & 5)

Dear Forest Green Families,

Registration Reminder

If you haven't already done so, it's time to register for the next school year! That includes busing if you need it. Registering before the **Friday March 22nd deadline** will help us immensely in planning for next year both at our school and at the PSD Transportation department. Work is currently underway building bus routes for next year already.

Any applications received after the application deadline may not be processed in time for the first day of school. If your child does not have a valid bus pass for the 2024-2025 school year, they will not be able to ride the bus.

How do I get started?

Visit <https://powerschool.psd.ca/public/> and log into your parent account. Once inside the Parent Portal:

- Select your child's name in the blue bar at the top of the screen.
- Select the RSVP icon on the left side of the screen.
- Begin reviewing all of your current Student Information we have on file, and follow the instructions on the screen to navigate through the various tabs in the form (Student Info, Address, Contacts, Medical, etc.).

I can't remember my login for the PowerSchool Parent Portal

If you aren't able to retrieve your login credentials using the "Forgot Username or Password?" link on the sign-in page, please contact the school directly for assistance logging in to the Parent Portal.

If you have any questions at all about the process please contact Mrs. Buchaski at 780 963-7366 or by email: donna.buchaski@psd.ca.

Share a Thought

Parkland School Division and Forest Green School are committed to growth and learning. We are also committed to engaging with our community on behalf of the students we serve. We strive for parents/guardians and various stakeholders to be involved in order to create a more wholesome education planning process, that eventually develops a Division and our individual schools' education plans. Think of 'Share A Thought' as a 'How are we doing?' check-in.



Click on the following link to complete the brief survey: [Share a Thought](#)

Parent-Teacher Interviews

Parent-Teacher Interviews are March 19 & 20 from 4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

- When you book a timeslot you will be able to choose from these options to best meet your meeting needs:
 - In-person at the school
 - Online via Google Meet
 - By Telephone
- Follow this [link](#) to book an interview! We look forward to connecting with all parents!

Parking

We are reaching out to kindly request your cooperation regarding parking arrangements at the skating rink in the mornings.

We have observed that some parents are sitting in their vehicles in front of the skating rink, watching their students until the bell rings. While we understand the desire to ensure the safety and well-being of your children, we kindly ask that you refrain from doing so. We have staff outside supervising students as their safety is of utmost importance to us as well.

Parking spaces in front of the skating rink are designated for staff members who need them for the day as the main parking lot is too small for all of our cars. Unfortunately, the presence of vehicles waiting in these spaces makes it difficult for our staff to find parking, causing staff to be late and disrupt our operations.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in this matter.

Choral Celebration

This year Parkland School Division's Choral Celebration will take place on Monday, March 18 at West Meadows Baptist Church in Edmonton from 10am-12pm. The Forest Green Choir will be performing during this celebration, and watching the other choirs within the division.

Parents are allowed the opportunity to come and watch at the venue, however there will be limited seating on the second floor. The livestream link is <https://westmeadows.online.church/> if you wish to partake in viewing this experience from another location.

Parent Handbook

Please click [here](#) to view our Parent Handbook for the 2023/2024 School Year.

We encourage you to follow us on social media as we celebrate our amazing school community. You can find us on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#). Additionally, please watch the [announcements page](#) on our [website](#)!

We are looking forward to caring, sharing, and learning together! As always, please do not hesitate to contact us at the school with any questions or concerns that you may have at either 780-963-7366 or forestgreen@psd.ca.

Sincerely,

Leah and Miranda
(Principal and Assistant Principal)



School Council & the Fundraising Society

Read-a-thon

Read-a-thons actually get your reader excited about reading and it gives friends and family the opportunity to encourage your child to read even more.

Our Read-a-thon started on **Monday February 26, 2024**.

If you haven't yet, we encourage you to activate your reader's account today by clicking on <https://www.read-a-thon.com/readers/r/323738373937> and following the simple instructions.

We've chosen Read-a-thon because it will not take much of your time, gives your child a reason to read and helps in the development of stronger reading skills.

We hope EVERYONE participates.

Sincerely,
Your Fundraising Society

