



St. Louis Elementary School Newsletter

April 2026



Dates to Remember:

April 3rd – Good Friday (No School)

April 6th – Easter Monday (No School)

April 10th – PD Day (No School)

April 24th – Easter Seals Visit

April 29th – Grade 6 2nd HPV Needles

May 1st - Area Association Day (No School)

May 18th - Victoria Day (No School)

May 28th - Welcome to Kindergarten- 5:30pm-6:30pm

June 5th - Kindergarten Orientation- 9:15am-11:30am (K/1F & K/1E Students stay home this day)

June 24th - Grade 6 Closing (4:30 pm)

June 25th - Last Day of Classes for Students

PEI's Healthy School Lunch Program

Anyone who is not registered for the Provincial School Lunch Program can still register at www.peischoolfood.ca

Weather

Now that the snow is melting and spring weather is on its way, our playgrounds will be quite wet. It would be a good idea for students to continue to wear their winter boots or have a pair rubber boots for playing outdoors. It would also be great if students could have a dry pair of socks or even a change of clothes in their school bags in case, they get wet while playing outdoors.

Kindergarten Registration

If there are any children who have not yet registered yet for Kindergarten in the fall, please stop by the school to register. Children must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2026 in order to be eligible for Kindergarten.

Scent Free

Just a reminder that schools are required to be scent free environments. This applies to all products including soaps, lotions, deodorants, etc. Thank you for your support with this.

Easter Seals Fundraiser

We are planning a fundraiser to support a \$250 donation to Easter Seals. This year the 2026 Easter Seals Ambassador is Rowan MacDonald. His motto is **“There is ability in every disability. We are no less. We are unstoppable.”**

Our Easter Seals Visit will take place on the morning of Friday, April 24th.



News from your St. Louis Home & School Committee:

- Our next Home and School Meeting: **Thursday April 7th – 5:30 pm**
 - We'd love to see some new faces! Come on out and join us!
- We are doing our **4th** annual ticket draw this year.
 - If anyone would like to donate a prize, it would be greatly appreciated!
 - **1st prize - \$1000**
 - Additional prizes to be announced later.
 - We plan to have some incentives for students who sell tickets. More details to come!

Recent Projects we've completed:

- Breakfast Program
 - Daily Snack boxes & 1 prepared breakfast weekly
- Christmas Bazaar - We helped organize & support again this year – a student favorite!
- Heat pumps installed – 2 heat pumps have been purchased and installed for cool down rooms during the hot temperature days.
- Lunch time activities - We purchased more crazy carpets for sledding
- Staff Appreciation week – We provided snacks and lunches for staff to enjoy
- Winter Wellness – We funded a station that day for students to enjoy
- Brookvale Ski trip – We helped fund this activity for grade 4-6 students
- Acadian Week – We funded & prepared Chicken Fricot lunch for all students.

We, the Home & School are a part of the weekly COS fundraiser:

- Home and Schools across the Island are collaborating to raise funds to Create Opportunities for Students.
- Creating Opportunities for Students on PEI (COSPEI) Gold Rush is an ongoing year-round weekly raffle to raise funds for participating Home and Schools across the Island.
- You can support your Home and School directly every time you play. Each week you have the opportunity to activate up to four strips of tickets (each strip has three tickets) in order to win 50% of the weekly pot. Each strip of tickets is only \$5.00! Every Tuesday at 1pm, a number will be randomly drawn from the total available numbers (both active and inactive numbers), and if the number drawn has been played (paid) that week, the owner of that ticket will win BIG! If the number is not played the pot will carry forward until a played number is drawn another week.

