




Bothwell School News

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June 2026

	1 Day 5	2 Day 6 Grade 8 Barb Cheop Track & Field	3 Day 1	4 Day 2 Grade 7 Barb Cheop Track & Field (Rain Date Gr. 8 Track & Field)	5 Day 3 Pre-ordered Lunch: Niakwa	6
7	8 Day 4 MPI Bike Rodeo K-Gr. 4 9:30 a.m.	9 Day 5	10 Day 6 (Rain Date Gr. 7 Track & Field) Grade 6 & 8 Routine Immunizations p.m.	11 Day 1	12 Day 2 Pre-ordered Lunch: Subway All Library Books Due Gr. 1/2 & 3/4 St. Pierre Splash Pad pm	13
14	15 Day 3 	16 Day 4	17 Day 5	18 Day 6 Gr. 6 Mennonite Heritage Village Museum	19 Day 1 No Kindergarten A.M. Lunch Picnic @ School Summer Fun Day P.M.	20
21	22 Day 2 Gr. 5/6 Kildonan Park Pool Grade 7/8 HSD Soccer Day	23 Day 3 Gr. 7/8 Transcona Aquatic Centre	24 Day 4	25 Day 5 Awards Ceremony 9:40 A.M. Gr. 8 In School Farewell pm	26 Day 6 Last day of Classes Report Cards on Parent Portal	27
				Lost & Found Table in front foyer		
28	29 Admin Day No Classes	30 Admin Day No Classes				

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Bothwell Families;

As we enter the final month of the school year, I would like to thank our students, staff, and families for another wonderful year at Bothwell School. June is always a busy and exciting time as we celebrate student growth, accomplishments, and the many memories made throughout the year.

We are looking forward to several special events this month. On June 8th, our Kindergarten to Grade 4 students will participate in the MPI Bike Rodeo, where they will learn and practice important bike safety skills in a fun and engaging way.

Our annual Summer Fun Day will take place on June 19th. This is always a highlight for students and staff as we come together to celebrate the end of the school year with activities, games, and school spirit.

We will also celebrate student achievements during our Awards Ceremony on June 25th. This event is an opportunity to recognize the hard work, growth, leadership, and contributions of our students throughout the school year.

As we wrap up another successful year, thank you for your continued partnership, encouragement, and support. Together, we have created a caring and positive learning environment where students can thrive.

Please continue to check bothwell.hsd.ca and the school calendar for updates, field trips, and important year-end information.

On behalf of all the Bothwell School Staff, we wish all of our families a safe, relaxing, and enjoyable summer!

Warm regards,

Amanda Dent
Principal

CONGRATULATIONS GRADE 8 CLASS



An in-school Farewell Celebration for our Gr. 8's and their teachers will take place on Thursday, June 25. We wish our Gr. 8 Class all the best as they move on to new adventures in Gr. 9 at Niverville High School Next year!



NEXT YEAR @ BOTHWELL SCHOOL

(subject to change)

Teaching Staff:

Kindergarten - Mrs. Joanne Lafreniere

Grade 1/2 HR- Mrs. Vanessa Kluz

Grade 2/3 HR - Mrs. Erica Chalmers

Grade 4 HR - Mrs. Ashley Rogolsky

Grade 5/6 HR, 5-8 French - Ms. Kaitlyn Lawrie

Grade 7/8 HR - Ms. Corrie Penner

Grade 5 Math, Gr. 5/6 & 7 Science, - TBD

Grade K-6 Music, K-8 Phys-Ed - Mr. Albert Bergen

Grade 8 Math, Guidance Counsellor - Mrs. Lory Muntain

Learning Support Teacher/Literacy Support - Mrs. Colleen Wareham

Educational Assistants (to be updated in September):

Mrs. Sheila Doerksen, Mrs. Brenda Hiebert, Ms. Jessica Sclanders

Secretary: Mrs. Patti Unger

Librarian: Mrs. Sue Chamberlin

Head Custodian: Mr. Jacques Levesque

Evening Custodian: Ms. Laura Wiese

Principal: Mrs. Amanda Dent

AWARDS CEREMONY

Parents are invited to attend our Awards Ceremony Assembly on Thursday, June 25th at 9:40 A.M

We will be handing out a variety of awards to student recipients in grades 5-8. The purpose of the awards assembly is to celebrate our learning and recognize students for demonstrating accomplishments at Bothwell School, whether it be through their academics, athletics, volunteerism, or leadership. Many students will be recognized with certificates for their hard work and efforts, and some will be receiving an award with their certificate. For those who will be receiving an award, we will notify parents in advance. All parents/families are invited to help us celebrate!

SPECIAL THANKS TO BOTHWELL SCHOOL

From the New Bothwell LUD committee:

To all the staff who organize the clean up event and the students that help clean up our community and the ones who clean the ditches. We the LUD would like to thank each of you for your commitment to our community.

Wishing all of our Grade 8 students farewell and all the best in the next chapter of your education.

Ernie Kehler LUD

Rob Hiebert LUD

Irma Friesen LUD

Councillor Travis Doerksen

DRESS CODE FOR OUR LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

All who attend or visit Bothwell School are asked to come to our school dressed appropriately for learning situations experienced for a K-Gr. 8 school. Clothes are to be appropriate for a school setting and for weather conditions. Examples of appropriate dress include:

- Clothing that does not have offensive language/pictures
- Chests, stomachs, and bottoms are covered
- Shorts/skirts that are appropriate length for school setting (sport-type tights/leggings underneath may be needed)
- Undergarments are not showing
- Hats may be worn outside and by grade 7&8 students, and inside on designated days (exclusive of religious or medical head attire/gear)
- Proper running shoes for gym classes and tech ed classes

Staff will monitor and determine what is appropriate for school and will inform the student, parent, or principal if needed. Students will be asked to change/cover up clothing that is not suitable for our learning environment. It is understandable that clothing for some sporting events will be appropriate for those settings (ie. track and field/swimming events). Due to health considerations and safety concerns, students must wear footwear at school. Students are to have indoor shoes that are appropriate for gym and are to have closed toed shoes for grade seven and eight tech education classes.

LIBRARY BOOKS

All library books are due back to the library by **Friday, June 12**. Please help your child/ren locate and return all library books. Once they are back, those who signed up for summer reading can choose their books.



SUMMER READING

The Summer Reading program through Bothwell School Library will be offered again this year! Permission forms will be sent via Google form on June 1 and responses are due by June 12. Please consider involving your child in this program.

All who participate and return their books on time will be entered into a draw in September to win prizes.



CANTEEN

As the year winds down, the canteen supplies will get depleted. Please pack your child's lunch accordingly.

LOST AND FOUND

The Lost and Found will be set up in the front foyer on June 25-26th. After this date, any unclaimed items will be donated to a local charity.



TRANSPORTATION

Families who are moving during the summer break, please inform the Hanover School Division Transportation Department as soon as possible. This allows the Transportation Department to establish accurate bus routes in early August. The transportation office is open through the summer months. **Call 320-2347 to update your information.**

PHYS ED NEWS

In Phys Ed the last couple weeks we have been practicing track and field events. Please note the dates for Track and Field meets have changed, The HSD Barb Cheop Grade 8 Track & Field meet is scheduled for June 2 at Stonybrook Middle School (Rain Date: June 4th). The HSD Barb Cheop Grade 7 Track & Field meet is scheduled for June 4th, at Stonybrook Middle School (Rain Date: June 10th). Families are encouraged to come and cheer on our athletes if they are able!

The Gr. 7/8 soccer day will be June 22 at the Steinbach Soccer Park.

GR. 7 TRACK AND FIELD CANTEEN

There will **not** be a canteen available at the Gr. 7 Track and Field at Stonybrook Middle School on **June 4th**.



GR. 8 TRACK AND FIELD CANTEEN

Our PAC will be running the canteen at the Gr. 8 Track & Field at Stonybrook Middle School on **June 2nd**. Please see the canteen price below.

Canteen Price List	
Hot dog	\$3.00
Bottled Water	\$1.00
Gatorade	\$2.00
Chips	\$1.00
Jumbo Freezie	\$1.00
Candy Bag	\$1.00
Booster Juice	\$6.00

* Cash Only *

REPORT CARDS

Final report cards will be available to view on Parent Portal **Friday, June 26**. at 3:30. To access your child's report card, please visit HSD Parent Portal at this link: [Parent Portal](#).

The online Parent Portal is now the divisional default delivery method for report cards.

Please note: All outstanding fees/fines are to be paid before the last day of school or call the school the school to make arrangements.

NEXT YEAR'S CLASS SUPPLY LISTS

Classroom supply lists will be available on our website by **Friday, June 26**.

LOOKING FOR NEW PAC MEMBERS OR PARENT VOLUNTEERS

The PAC is looking for some new members to join our committee starting in the 2026-27 school year. It's a wonderful way to get involved with the school. If you would like more information, please contact Andrew Wychnenka at pacbothwell@gmail.com

YEAR END PICNIC & SUMMER FUN DAY



Our annual summer fun day will be on **Friday, June 19 for lunch and the afternoon**. The PAC and school are working together to put on this special event. Students will participate in various events inside and outside at school. If it rains, plans will be adjusted and the lunch and Summer Fun Day activities will take place indoors.

Lunch

Our picnic lunch will take place on the school grounds. Students will be eating their lunches with their classes outside. Families are invited to join as well. It will be picnic style so please bring a picnic blanket and/or lawn chairs for lunch. Pre-ordered food will be an option for families to order ahead of time. PAC has organized a picnic meal of a **hotdog, chips, a drink and candy** and it **MUST BE PRE-ORDERED** with an online order form that will be shared with parents on Friday, June 5. **Food orders and money are due by 9:00 am, Friday June 12th. One form per student. Parents are welcome to order additional meals for themselves and/or family - one form per person.** Parents/families are also welcome to bring their own bagged lunches to the school at 12:00 and have lunch with their children until 12:50. Stations will be starting at 1:10.

Summer Fun Day Activities

The activities will begin around 1:10. We encourage you to stay for our Summer Fun Day. There will be fun for all, a bouncy slide, face painting, and relays. We are looking forward to a terrific afternoon on our school grounds. Please bring refillable water bottles for the afternoon as the majority of stations will be outside, weather permitting.

KINDERGARTEN PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:

On this day, Kindergarten will be in the **afternoon only** starting at 12:50. Please bring your child to the kindergarten class to meet Mrs. Lafriener for the afternoon festivities at that time. Families are invited to join for the lunch portion as well, but please stay with your Kindergarten student until 12:50.

BOTHWELL HANOVER PARENT AND CHILD COMMUNITY PROGRAM (HPCCP)

Do you have a child that is kindergarten-age or younger?
Do you have some free time during the day?
We have the place for you!

Come and visit us for a program filled with laughter, songs, crafts, stories, and a snack!
We are in room 3 at Bothwell School on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm.



Can't make it for the whole 2 and a half hours? That's fine with us! We are drop-in and you are always welcome to come late or leave early if that is what is best for you.

Infants are more than welcome and we cannot wait to meet you and your child(ren)!

Parents are required to stay with their child(ren). We are a free program and pre-registration is not required. Please bring indoor footwear during these snowy months!

If you have any questions, please call student services at 204-326-9829