



ST. WILLIAM SCHOOL



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CALGARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT



Week at a Glance

WEEK OF: April 22 – 26, 2019

MON - 22

DAY n/a

- Easter Monday – No School

TUES - 23

DAY n/a

- Professional Day – no school for students

WED - 24

DAY 6

- Shrek – the musical! Field trip



THURS - 25

DAY 1

- S4 – 3/4 F p.m.

FRI - 26

DAY 2

- Scientists in the School in school field trip: Magnetism – 2/3 P a.m.
- Police as Community Helpers in school field trip – K a.m.
- Fun Lunch – Little Caesars
- T-Pet in school field trip: Building Things – 1 S p.m.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- **Sacraments:** Has your child taken part in receiving one of the sacraments (Baptism, First Holy Communion, First Reconciliation or Confirmation) this year? If so, please email the school mailbox (stwilliam@cssd.ab.ca) to let us know. We will update our records and put your child on the list to be able to celebrate this wonderful milestone!
- **St. William 50th Anniversary Celebration** – we hope you are saving the evening! On Thursday May 16, 2019 at 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. we are hosting an Open house to Celebrate our 50th Anniversary! Please read more about this event on the second page of this newsletter! See you there!
- **Tags** – Are you still collecting tags from the top of your pop cans? Mrs. Sweeney's class would love to have you drop them off! Please bring them to the office and we will be happy to pass them on!

LOOKING AHEAD

- April 19 – 22, 2019 – Easter Weekend. No classes on Good Friday or Easter Monday.
- April 23, 2019 – Professional Day – No school for students
- April 24, 2019 – All students will be attending “Shrek – The Musical” presented by Bishop McNally High School – More info coming home on April 3, 2019.
- School Council – May 2, 2019 – 6:30 p.m. – all parents are welcome!
- May 10, 2019 – Marion Liturgy at 10:15 a.m., hosted by the kindergarten class.
- St. William 50th Anniversary Celebration – May 16, 2019 from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.



FUN LUNCHES!!!!

- There will be a Fun Lunch on **Fri. April 26, 2019**. We will be having lunch delivered from **Little Caesars** **Deadline for ordering is Sunday April 21**. Please order through Healthy Hunger www.healthyhunger.ca
- We are looking for volunteers to help at all of our Fun Lunches too! Can you help? It only takes about 30 minutes of your time on the Fun Lunch Day! Please sign up at: www.volunteersignup.org/JHAMX
- Remember – if you have not completed the volunteer orientation, you will need to complete it online first! <https://www.cssd.ab.ca/schools/stwilliam/Parents/Volunteer/Pages/default.aspx>
- The next Subway lunch will be on **Friday May 10, 2019**





CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF CARING

St. William School Turns 50!!!

We have been busy planning for a wonderful 50th Anniversary Celebration here at St. William School!

On Thursday May 16, 2019 from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. we will be welcoming past and present staff and students to come celebrate with us! The staff and students have been preparing for this wonderful, relaxing and welcoming Open House style of event by creating a school song that will be sung publicly for the very first time that night! We will be starting the evening with a few words from our Chief Superintendent Mr. Gary Strother, our Area Director, Ms. Deneen Nolan and our Trustee, Mrs. Cathie Williams. Fr. Paul will join us to give us a blessing and say a prayer that has been written especially for this wonderful occasion. The School Council will be unveiling plans for an upgrade to the generous garden and show you how you can be involved! Oh yes! And Cake will be served! Please spread the word to any former students and their parents who would like to join us as we share memories and create new ones!



DISTRICT SATISFACTION SURVEY

- The Calgary Catholic School District Parent/ Legal Guardian Satisfaction Survey is now open online. The survey closes on **April 26, 2019** and the results will be given to the school in **mid-May**. They will be shared with School Council at the June meeting and published in the weekly newsletter after that. Please fill out the form online at: <https://tinyurl.com/satisfactionsurvey2019>



RAISING KIDS IN THE DIGITAL AGE

- Raising kids in today's world can be challenging, especially in this digital age. TakeCharge@HOME is a workshop that equips parents and grandparents with the necessary skills/resources needed to help their children navigate the internet. The workshops present the realities of how the porn industry aggressively pursues our children via the internet and provides strategies to protect them. Gain insight, resources and tangible tips for raising kids in this environment. St. Cecilia parish is hosting a session on May 2, 2019 at 6pm. Please direct question to St. Cecilia Church at 403-252-2790.



TWITTER

- We are thrilled to let you know that we now have a Twitter Account here at St. William School!
- Please follow us at [@stwilliam_ccsd](https://twitter.com/stwilliam_ccsd)
- Check out the tweets! We love when you "like" them ❤️



CLASSROOM WEBSITES

Teachers Websites and Google Classrooms are up and running!

Many of our teachers are also using Google Classrooms to communicate directly with their classes only. These sites are private and accessed only by invitation to the class members students and their families.

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<https://sites.google.com/learn.cssd.ab.ca/kindergartenwithmrsd/home>

1 S

<https://sites.google.com/learn.cssd.ab.ca/grade12018-19/welcome>

2/3 A&P

<https://sites.google.com/learn.cssd.ab.ca/grade23website/home>

3/4 F

<https://sites.google.com/learn.cssd.ab.ca/mrsfgrade4/home>

4/5 L

<https://sites.google.com/learn.cssd.ab.ca/mrslapinskie4and5s/home>

5/6 Z

<https://sites.google.com/learn.cssd.ab.ca/ms-zahavichs-grade-56-class/home>



- The link to Connections on our district website (under News/[News Updates](#)) is: http://bit.ly/Connections_April2019



- Visit the St. William School Website: <https://www.cssd.ab.ca/schools/stwilliam/Pages/default.aspx>
- Check the district website calendar regularly for updated events posted on the calendar!