

Sabre News



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Elton Collegiate

Hello Elton Collegiate, students and families! Thank you to those who have completed the parent survey. Your feedback is greatly appreciated, and the results of the survey will be used to help us with school planning. Also, thank you to the students for completing your surveys. Your feedback will also be utilized.

I would like to thank student council president, Lachlan Kopytko, and the SRC team for organizing a plethora of fun and engaging activities throughout the school year. Recent activities include the Easter Egg Hunt and the gym blast. The gym blast was popular amongst the students and was a great way to send the students off before spring break. The SRC also organized our grade 9 orientation on Tuesday, May 2. Grade 8 students from our three feeder schools, along with students from other schools planning to come to Elton, visited us for the morning. They played a variety of games, met students and staff, did a scavenger hunt and enjoyed a barbecue lunch. I think they had fun.

Our course registration forms will be distributed soon. We will send those home as soon as we are able so that parents can have a look at those and help with course selections/ decisions. Our Sabre Success program continues to run very smoothly. Students are receiving help and support from their teachers whenever they need it. The best part is that Sabre Success time is built right into the timetable and does not require a loss of class time or free time for students or teachers. Our canteen has had a very successful year. We continue to offer a hot lunch every day. The lunch is prepared by our Food and Nutrition class. There are plenty of tasty meals and treats available to the students every day. Students may set up a credit account to pay, and funds can be e-transferred to the school.

Our band trip to Moose Jaw is May 16-18. That is one of the perks of being in the band! It should be a lot of fun!

Our badminton team had a successful season. They attended tournaments in Erickson and Carberry. They also competed in the zone championships. Congratulations to Elijah Allers on advancing to provincials! Track and field is not underway. The track team practices three times per week and has already competed in one meet. We also have some students playing on a baseball team in Hamiota.

Our grade 11 class completed work experience the week of May 9-12. This experience allows our students an opportunity to experience “real-life” on-the-job training. All students who participate will receive a half credit towards high school graduation, provided they complete all paperwork and submit a cover letter and resume.

Semester two exams begin on June 15. This year’s graduation ceremony is on Friday, June 23 at the WMCA. Our grade 12 class is eagerly anticipating this exciting day! I would like to wish everyone a fantastic spring. The weather is finally starting to feel like spring. Take care everyone.

Mr. Geekie
Principal – Elton Collegiate

Dorian Lawson

Dorian Lawson is 26 years old. He was a student at Elton Collegiate from September of 2009 to June of 2014. His interests are music, sports, and cool nerdy stuff. His hobbies are playing board games, video games, and sports (Pickleball & Golf). His most memorable moment was being Valedic "Dorian." In the future he is excited to travel with his lovely partner Margo and friends



Alumni Profile: Ms. Wozney

Ms. Wozney was a student here and she graduated in 2002. Her favorite memory is when Elton used to have school dances, and everyone would dance. After she graduates, she went to university. Her favorite class was ELA, and her favorite teacher was Mr. Beaubier. Her advice for current students is to try your best in all classes and have fun, high school does not last forever.

Student Profile: Anna Gervin

Anna is 15 years old and was born November 15th. Her interests include animals, especially dogs. She likes reading mystery and romance books. Anna's most memorable moment is when she got her dog Pepper. She is excited to travel and go to university.



Student of the month

Janaye Keyes was born on March 3rd, 2008, in Bonnyville, Alberta. She has been playing volleyball since she was in grade 7; most weekends you can find her playing left side on the Westman Volleyball team. She likes to do a lot of baking in her free time. She enjoys baking cookies, banana chocolate chip muffins, and puff wheat cake. She loves spending time with her dog Jersey and taking her on long walks. She can't wait to travel to Vancouver again this summer to spend time on her Aunt Ruth's sailboat. She's very excited to graduate and move onto her next chapter in life.

Teacher Report

Mrs. Payette has been teaching at Elton Collegiate for 30 years now. She has enjoyed all her years at this school. And she's seen a lot of students come and go; she's seen a lot of different teachers come in and out of the school as well. Her favorite memory from teaching at this school was the time when Mr. Beaubier got dunked in the gym in front of all the students. You can find her coaching the BU bobcats curling team most weekends or curling for fun herself. In the summer she loves golfing and spending time with her family. This summer is her daughter's wedding, and she can't wait for that day!

Canteen Daily Specials

May 19th Baked Pasta with Garlic bread.

May 23rd Chicken Fajita Pasta with Salad

May 24th SRC BBQ

May 25th Garlic Parmesan Chicken with Mashed Potatoes and Veggies

May 26th Cheeseburgers with Salad

May 29th Chicken Quesadilla

May 30th Baked Pasta with garlic bread

May 31st Broccoli Cheese Soup with Chicken Ranch Wrap

Upcoming events

May 16-18th – Band trip

May 18th – Beauty and the Beast Performance at the WMCA

May 22nd Victoria Day

May 30th Track and Field Zone Championships

June 14th Gr 9-11 Student Recognition & last day of classes

June 15th- 22nd exams

June 23rd Elton Grad

BREAKFAST PROGRAM

Start your day off with a nutritious breakfast!

Available to ALL Elton students

In the Canteen Daily from 8:30 – 8:55

- Eggs
- Milk
- Muffins
- Carrots

And more stuff too

SPORTS AT ELTON

Volleyball

Basketball

Badminton

Curling

Golf

Hockey

Rugby

Track and field

Mrs. Sanko is a teacher at Elton Collegiate, her favorite subject to teach is math specifically pre-calculus. Outside of school she takes care of her family and her dogs and watching a good show on Netflix, she has 3 kids. Her hobbies are traveling and reading. Her favorite high school memory is winning the varsity girls city volleyball championship.

Hailee Lawson is 15 years old; she is a grade 10 student at Elton Collegiate. She enjoys curling in a junior program and high school curling with Mrs. Payette. She also enjoys cooking hamburger helper. And she likes baking, she likes making chocolate chip cookies. When she graduates, she wants to go right into college for baking. Her most memorable moment is when she went to the Wheat King's hockey game with her friends Jayden, Hailey, Ryleigh, and Ava.



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