

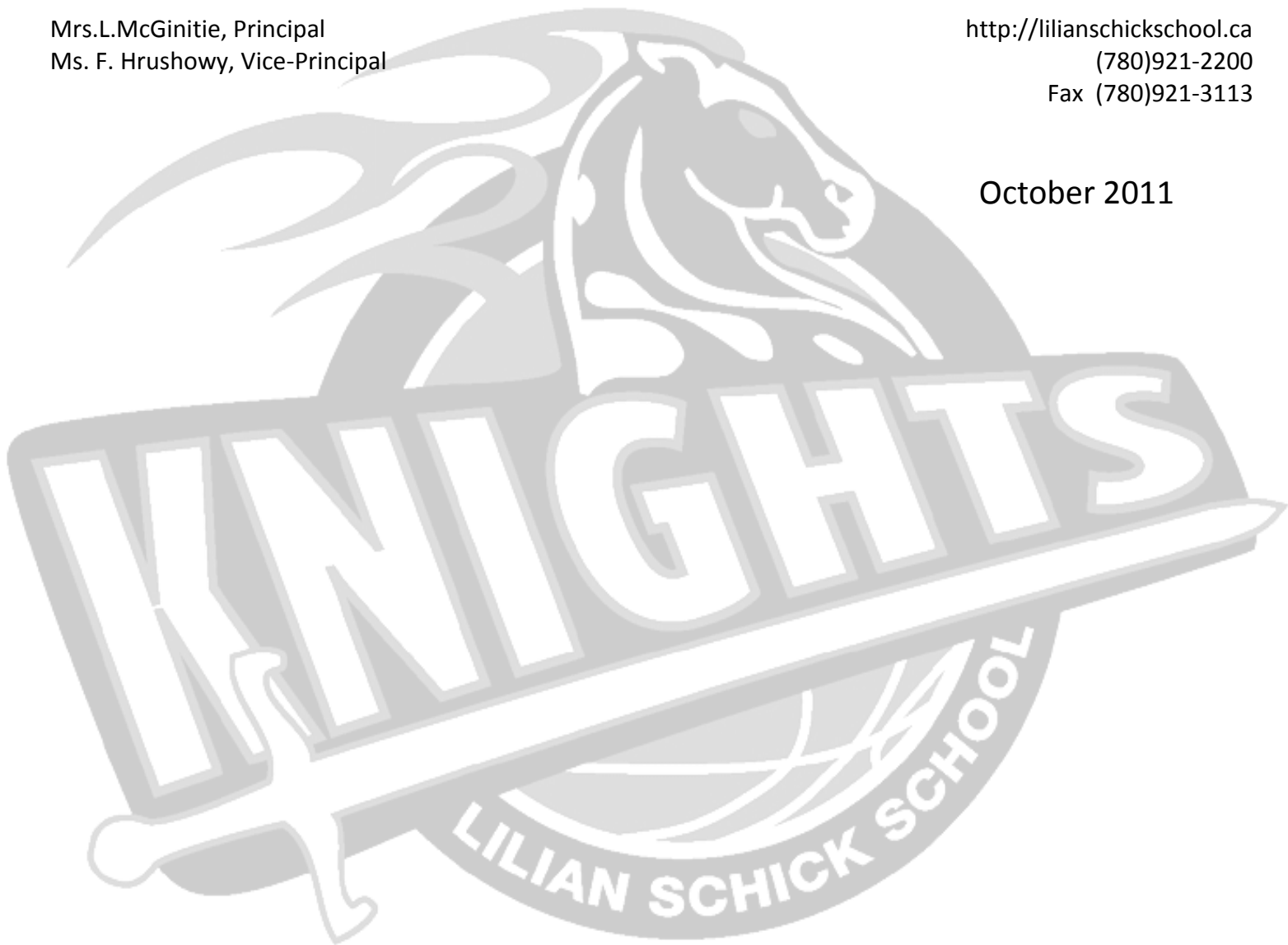
# LILIAN SCHICK SCHOOL

HOME OF THE KNIGHTS

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# KNIGHTLY NEWS

## **Lilian Schick School**

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*Secretary*

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*Co-Chair*

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*Secretary*

*Treasurer*

### **LOGOS Committee**

*Annamae Ruth*

*LaDean Seibel*

*Lauri Froese*

*Michelle Dion*



## **Welcome Back Evening**

Our Welcome Back Evening was a huge success. Thank you to all the families that joined us on September 15 to enjoy cake and ice-cream. All staff, returning and new were on hand to meet with the parents and students.



## **New Staff Members**

Please join us in welcoming our new staff members for the 2011/2012 school year !



Ms. Kessia Brenneis  
Gr. 6



Mrs. Carmen Cornelius  
Jr. High Science/Math



Mr. Travis Palsky  
Music / LA



Mr. Jerome Chabot  
Gr. 6 Logos



Mrs. Heather James  
Office / EA



Mrs. Shauna Sudyk  
Assessment Coach  
Science /LA

**Lilian Schick School and Bon Accord Community School are embarking on an exciting journey!**

Lilian Schick School and Bon Accord Community School are both implementing *The Leader In Me*™ process this year and will be working toward this goal for the next few years. Helping students discover their own unique strengths allows teachers to find opportunities for every child to shine – to be a leader. By developing well rounded children who know their strengths, staff help students unleash their potential to lead their own lives and to influence others. As students understand and use the *7 Habits*, they become more motivated, organized, engaged, and will take ownership of their learning. We are very excited about this and invite you to visit our website ( [lilianschickschool.ca](http://lilianschickschool.ca)) to view the parent guide.



The  
**Leader in Me**™  
great happens here



**SCHOOL STORE IS OPEN !**

**We offer a variety of healthy lunch and snack items as well as juice and chocolate milk. A good, healthy alternative to making lunches everyday !**

**Power School Parent Portal**

*The Board of Trustees of Sturgeon School Division is interested in parent feedback regarding possible structure for the 2012-2013 school year and successive school year calendars. Parents are requested to access and respond to a three question survey through the PowerSchool Parent Portal. The survey site will close on October 31, 2011.*

The Powerschool Parent Portal is open. This is a very useful tool for parents and students to keep updated on marks and attendance throughout the year.

You can access your account by logging onto:  
**<http://pschool.sturgeon.ab.ca>**

If you are having trouble logging in or have any questions at all please contact us here at the school. (780-921-2200)



### **Grade 5 Walking Wetlands Field Trip**

The Grade 5B class took a walking wetlands fieldtrip on September 9. They were fortunate to have a local wetland to study for their "Wetland Ecosystems" unit. They have already done some pond dipping to carefully capture some "mini-creatures" which they then observed and identified. Then took some time to describe the wetland area and discuss living and non-living things. A second trip to the wetland will focus on adaptations and interactions as well as plant life around the wetland. Food chains and food webs specific to our wetland will be discussed and recorded. What a great opportunity for our students to get out and explore!

### **Divisional Cross Country Run**

Congratulations to the students who qualified for the divisional cross country meet! Lilian Schick School was well represented at the run by students who all gave their very best. We had a large number of students finish in the top 20 of their age categories including Adam Ouellete who won his age group! Great work runners!



### **School Fees**

**All school fees are due as of  
September 30, 2011.**

Thank you to all those who have already paid their fees.  
A friendly reminder that all school fees must be paid in full  
before students can participate in extracurricular activities or after  
school sports teams.



### **Attendance**

- Inform the teacher
- Inform the office
- Note absence in agenda book

Permission notes are accepted with both teacher and office

Inform both places (classroom and office) for accuracy!

**Congratulations to our Junior and Senior  
Volleyball Teams !!**



**Girls Senior Team**

**Coach—Mrs.Kelly**

Mackenzie Braun  
Alyssa Ouellette  
Megan Binder  
Avery Roberge-Eadie  
Brooklyn Sakulich  
Jade Kugler  
Hailey Rosenthal  
Sarah Squires  
Jordan Turcotte

**Boys Senior Team**

**Coach—Mrs. Cornelius**

Brandt Williams  
Eric George  
Nathan Uchacz  
Mike Diaker  
Luke Neale  
Michael Woywitka  
Taylor Braun  
Kim Gosbjorn

**Girls Junior Team**

**Coach—Mr.Percy**

Tianna Coutu  
Vanessa Lewis  
Kat Gibson  
Angela Jacobs  
Jessie Madarash  
Cailyn Tookey  
Shayanne Marty  
Jolene Herbold  
Kaylin Charbonneau  
Chyanne Binder  
Jessica Kruger  
Cecile Rosychuk

**Boys Junior Team**

**Coach—Mr.Muir**

Brett Andrusiak  
Tyler Beeching  
Joel Moerman  
Chris Ozipko  
Noah Bohaychuk  
Cameron Mahoney  
Owen Seibel  
Aiden Westra  
Cameron Pinault  
David Pedgerachny  
Thomas St.John  
Kyle Marling

**Volleyball Tournament Schedule**

**Oct 21/22 Great Canadian Classic—Greystone /Woodhaven Middle Schools**

**Oct 28/29 NANO Challenge—Fort Saskatchewan High School**

**Nov 19 Sturgeon Finals – Sturgeon Composite High school**



**Go Knights Go !!**



# CONNECTING WITH PARENTS

## About Assessment and Technology

SEPTEMBER 2011

Welcome back to another exciting school year in Sturgeon School Division. We are in the third year of our school improvement projects (A.I.S.I) and in this month's edition of 'Connecting With Parents' we would like to focus on how schools can communicate more effectively with parents about how their child is progressing, and share a technology tip that relates to how teachers are using new instructional technologies with their students.

### Improving Communication between School and Home with the Report Card and Online Portal

Last year we introduced new division report cards for all grades 1 to 12. Teachers and parents were invited to provide feedback on the report cards and we have taken that feedback and made some changes that are intended to communicate better about how your child is progressing.

Our next step (this year) will see some teachers and some schools in the division break down your child's overall grade into how they did in each unit, strand, theme or outcome on the report card. By showing the breakdown parents can see where the child is being successful and where he or she might be struggling with particular content.

In addition, parents can go online and check on their child's progress by going to the Power School Parent Portal (<https://pschool.sturgeon.ab.ca/public/home.html>) and logging in. This will give parents access to detailed information about their child's progress such as grades, attendance, missing assignments, etc. It is a great way to be informed as teachers are updating it every couple of weeks. If you need assistance getting logged in or have questions please contact your school for more information.

### 21st Century Learning, Technology Integration in the Classroom, and Digital Citizenship

As the school year begins, there is a renewed commitment to use a variety of instructional technologies (Promethean boards, document cameras, projectors, video conferencing, web 2.0 tools, wikis, blogs, online media, etc.) to create a classroom that fosters critical thinking and problem solving, creativity, communication, and collaboration.



To further our focus on the responsible uses of technology, we will be assisting your child in becoming an active digital citizen through the safe use of technology. For additional information and resources regarding the nine elements of digital citizenship please visit:

<http://www.digitalcitizenship.net>

Please contact Mark Lockwood or Amanda Dorosh at Central Office regarding any additional assessment and technology questions/comments.

### Public Meetings of the Board Of Trustees

As the Grades 1 – 4 students of the Morinville Public Elementary School are using the Board Room and the Coronado Room, the meeting rooms at Central Office will not be available for the next while. **The Board of Trustee Meetings have been moved to the Library at Sturgeon Composite High School.**

The dates/times of the public meetings are as follows:

**October 26<sup>th</sup>** – Board Meeting – 4:30 p.m.

**November 9<sup>th</sup>** – Committee of the Whole Meeting – 6:00 p.m.

**November 23<sup>rd</sup>** – Board Meeting – 4:30 p.m.

**December 14<sup>th</sup>** – Committee of the Whole Meeting – 6:00 p.m.

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# COUNSELLOR'S CORNER

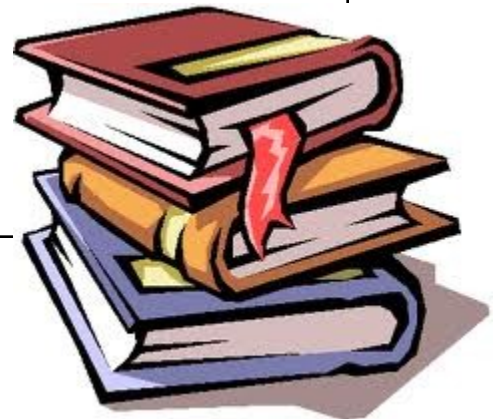


My name is Nadina Braz and I am the counselor at Lilian Schick School.

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome students and families back to school. The staff and students of L.S. have been very busy working hard and establishing routines. We will be working toward helping our students set goals and live the 7 habits. Please check out my monthly tidbits of information and suggestions. I hope you find them useful. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me at the school. I look forward to another fantastic year.

**The following suggestions will help make your child successful in school:**

- Ensure that your child has the necessary materials for school.
- Provide opportunities for your child to be independent and responsible for his/her own learning, and books/materials at home and at school.
- Help your child make nutritious snack and lunch choices.
- Ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for the weather: coats, hats, mittens, etc.
- Encourage your child to develop bedtime routines. A well rested child is much more successful in school.
- Inform us of any medical concerns regarding your child, and any circumstances which may affect your child's behavior in school.



# COMMUNITY NEWS

Sacred Heart Parish in Gibbons is offering catechism classes for the Gibbons and Bon Accord area.

**Registration Date is October 13, 2011  
from  
6:30 - 7:30pm.**

Sacred Heart Parish is located in Gibbons  
Behind Guardian Drugs.

Classes will be offered for Reconciliation (ages 7-9), First Communion (ages 8-10) and Confirmation (grade 7-9)

**Reminder to all parents:**

## **Transportation**

**If your child is planning on riding another bus, other than the one they have been assigned to, you must contact the TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT at our Sturgeon School Division Central Office. (780)939-4341 or toll free at 1-888-459-4062**





# October 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Senior Boys' Practice 3:30-5:00	4 Junior Boys' and Girls' Practice 3:30-5:00	5 <b>Magazine Fundraiser Kickoff 9 am</b> Home Game Vs Camilla	6	7 <b>PD Day</b> <b>No Classes</b>	8
9	10 <b>Thanksgiving Day</b> <b>No Classes</b>	11 Senior Boys' and Girls' Practice 3:30-5:00	12 <b>Early Dismissal 12:10</b>	13 Home Game Vs Guthrie <b>1 st Collection / Prize Day</b> <b>Magazine Sales</b>	14	15
16	17 Senior Boys' Practice	18 <b>Picture Retakes</b> <b>Junior Boys and Girls Practice</b> 3:30-5:00	19 Senior Girls' Practice 3:30-5:00	20 Away Game Vs SHS <b>2 nd Collection / Prize Day</b> <b>Magazine Sales</b>	21 Senior Tournament Great Canadian Classic	22 Senior Tournament Great Canadian Classic
23	24 Senior Boys' Practice 3:30-5:00 <b>School Council 6:30 pm</b>	25 Junior Boys' and Girls' Practice 3:30-5:00	26 Senior Girls' Practice 3:30-5:00	27 Away Game Vs Namao <b>3 rd Collection / Prize Day</b> <b>Magazine Sales</b>	28 Senior Tournament Nano Challenge Fort Sask. <b>Final Prizes</b> <b>Magazine Sales</b>	29 Senior Tournament Nano Challenge Fort Sask.
30	31 Senior Boys' Practice 3:30-5:00 <b>Swimming Elementary am</b>					



# November 2011

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		<i>1</i> <i>Junior Boys' and Girls' Practice</i> <i>3:30-5:00</i>	<i>2</i> <i>Senior Girls' Practice</i> <i>3:30-5:00</i>	<i>3</i> <i>Home Game Vs Gibbons</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>6</i>	<i>7</i> <i>Senior Boys' and Girls' Practice</i> <i>3:30-5:00</i>	<i>8</i> <i>Away Game Vs Redwater</i>	<i>9</i> <b>Remembrance Day Ceremonies</b> <b>9 AM</b> <b>Early Dismissal 12:10</b>	<i>10</i> <b>No Classes Day In Lieu</b>	<i>11</i> <b>Remembrance Day</b> <b>No Classes</b>	<i>12</i>
<i>13</i>	<i>14</i> <i>Senior Boys' and Girls' Practice</i> <i>3:30-5:00</i>	<i>15</i> <i>Home Game Vs Legal</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i> <i>Senior Boys' and Girls' Practice</i> <i>3:30-5:00</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i> <i>Senior Tournament Sturgeon Finals at Sturgeon Comp</i>
<i>20</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>26</i>
<i>27</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>30</i> <b>Report Cards</b> <b>Parent / Teacher / Student Interviews</b> <b>4:30 - 7:30</b>	<i>Dec 1</i> <b>Parent / Teacher / Student Interviews</b>		