



WEST ST. PAUL SCHOOL COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

JUNE, 2013

Our Beliefs: Take care of yourself. Take care of each other. Take care of this place.

PIZZA DAY

June 5



Upcoming Events

- Volunteer Reception
June 6 ~ 1:00 p.m.
- Middle Years Band Concert
June 6 ~ 7:00 p.m.
- International Dance Day
June 10
- Middle Years Goldeyes Game
June 12
- Mini WE Day
June 21
- Admin Day - NO SCHOOL
June 24
- Grade 8 Farewell
Hitch 'n' Post
June 25 ~ 6:00-10:00 p.m.
- Middle Years Activities
June 25 ~ Birds Hill Park
June 26 ~ Thunder Mountain
June 27 ~ Harbourview
- Early Years Tabloid Day
June 26
- Last day of School
June 28 ~ Early Dismissal
AM Kindergarten ~ 9:30 a.m.
Grades 1-8 ~ 11:55 a.m.

Thank You To Our Volunteers!

“Volunteering can be an exciting, growing, enjoyable experience. It is truly gratifying to serve a cause, practice one's ideals, work with people, solve problems, see benefits, and know one had a hand in them. “

~ Harriet Naylor



Please join us as we honour you,
our West St. Paul School Volunteers!

Thursday, June 6, 2013

1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Entertainment: 1:40 - 2:10 p.m.

Come & Go Reception
In the Gymnasium

Our JUNE newsletter is now available for viewing on our school website.
Please visit www.7oaks.org/school/weststpaul/Pages

PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

2013-2014 EXECUTIVE

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Mark your calendars...

**25th Anniversary of the West St. Paul School Craft & Bake Sale
Sunday, November 17, 2013**

From the Library..

Ms. Mathis is winding things down in the library and looking forward to spending the summer cataloging the new books she's acquired for the library!

Next week (June 3-7) will be the final week of book borrowing from the library. The due date for ALL items is June 21st. Please help ensure all items are returned on or by that date.

Library Volunteers

I welcome any parents who would like to volunteer! I'd be grateful to have the help an average of one day every 2 weeks or so. (Around 25 visits between 4 or 5 people perhaps?)

Duties would include:

- processing books (labelling, stamping and book jacket covering new items)
- helping with the book fair (could include evening coverage)
- shelving and general straightening
- making displays for the bulletin boards
- laminating

If you are interested in coming down one day per month or if you are available at certain times of the school year, please give me a call or send me an e-mail! heather.mathis@7oaks.org I'd really welcome the help!

I'm looking forward to next year and I'm going to miss everyone over the summer! It's been a great first year here for me at West St. Paul. I definitely feel at home! Thank you to all of you staff, students and parents for making me feel so welcome!

Have a great summer everyone!

Heather Mathis

West St. Paul School Library



Four members of the Winnipeg Goldeyes Baseball Club speak to students on Thursday, May 9th.

GOLDEYES SCHOOL DAY GAME WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12th

School busses will leave West St. Paul School at 10:00 a.m. to take Middle Years students to Shaw Park to watch as the Winnipeg Goldeyes take on the Wichita Wingnuts. Game time is 11:00 a.m. Students will return to the school by the end of the school day and on time for home busses. Please ensure students are dressed for the weather. Concession stands will be open for food and drink purchases.



On May 4th, Mr. Rempel, Jayden R. and Nyah B. met with members of the Seven Oaks School Division Board of Trustees. The purpose of the meeting was to share our school's work in areas of sustainable development. Thank you for representing our school so well.

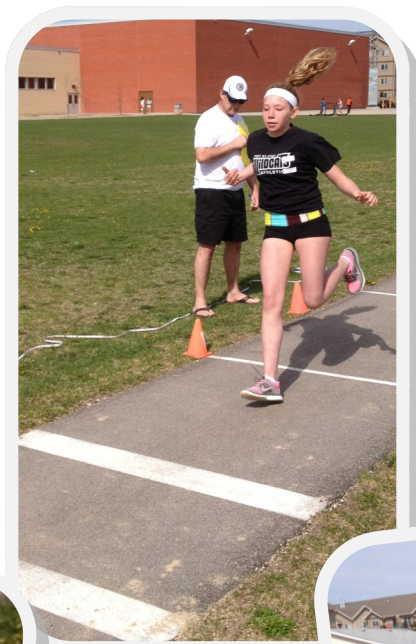


On May 1, 2013, West St. Paul School was fortunate to be able to host ça Claque - a local French-Canadian performing group whose lively music, song, and dance had students from K-8 singing and dancing along. The show was so entertaining that students and staff were purchasing their CDs afterwards in order to keep the music alive after they'd gone. We are very thankful that ça Claque was able to perform for us and look forward to the next time we see them again!

Track & Field



2012-2013 Middle Years Track & Field



Track & Field

The Grades 4 and 5 Track Meet was on Friday May 17, 2013 at West Kildonan Collegiate to compete to try and make it to the Divisional Track and Field Meet. The events were 400m, 200m, 100m, long jump, and triple jump.

There was a lot of hard work done there. Here are some pictures of some of the action done that day.

Noah D. and Adam I.

Ms. Greening's Grade 4 class



From the Music Room...

Band Concert

Our Grade 6, 7 and 8 bands will be performing in their final concert of the 2012-2013 school year on Thursday, June 6th at 7:00 p.m.



Mr. Isaak, Teacher Candidate, Mr. Gawron and Grade 6 student, Brody L. practice for the upcoming Band Concert.



Kailyn E. ~ Grade 7

Nathan K. ~ Grade 8



Kailyn E. and Nathan K. have received scholarships from the Seven Oaks School Division to attend the International Peace Gardens Music Summer Camp. They were chosen for their dedication and leadership in Jazz Band this year.



Teacher Candidates, Ms Alex Pustogorodky and Mr. Dominic Gawron, assist Grade 5 students with selecting their instruments for next year's Grade 6 band.

It's been great having them here, working with Mr. Isaak and Ms Stockton.



ARTS IN THE PARK

Seven Oaks School Division presented Arts in the Park/Plein d'arts au parc 2013, a three-day arts festival at Kildonan Park showcasing the creativity of our Kindergarten to Grade 12 students through music, visual arts, dance, drama and student developed movies.



Cory and I had tons of fun at Arts in the Park. We liked "Istanbul" the most because it had a good rhythm and it was the most upbeat song we sang.

-Garrison G. and Cory W.

We had a lot of walking around the park on Thursday. We got drenched in rain but we had a lot of fun playing on the play structure, doing Zumba in the rain, and most of all Singing!!!

-Brianna R. and Halle D.

We went into a wonderful tent that was full with interesting art. I could tell that all these kids took their time and really thought about their use of colours. I had fun at Arts in the Park.

-Alexa R.



PARENT/CHILD PRESCHOOL PROGRAM



Survey Update!

A huge 'Thank You' to all of the families who participated in our online survey regarding West St. Paul School's Parent/Child Preschool Program. The survey is now closed. We will be sharing the responses to the survey, and how we are changing our programming as a result of what we learned, in September's newsletter.

On behalf of...

Mrs. Cheryl Rajfur (Community Coordinator)

Ms Joey Robertson (Early Learning Support Teacher)



DISCOUNT CARD & COUPON BOOK

The **GRADE 8s** will be raising money this September by selling the Show & Save Card and Coupon Book.

We are very excited to announce that **Superstore** will be part of the upcoming Fall Show & Save Book with 4 coupons! Safeway will also be included! The use of these coupons alone will more than pay for the purchase of the coupon book and card!

The Coupon Book has over \$10,000 in money saving offers including coupons for purchases at numerous grocery stores, restaurants and businesses throughout the city. For only **\$20** you can experience endless savings with the Re-usable Card and Coupon Book.

By purchasing your Show & Save from us, you will be supporting our School while at the same time saving your family a lot of money.

Books will be available at Orientation in September from any Grade 8 student or Ms Torz.



Spend your summer at Oak Hammock Marsh!

Oak Hammock Marsh Interpretive Centre is offering weeklong camps for children ages 5 to 13 in July and August. Camp is filled with fun indoor and outdoor themed activities that could include scavenger hunts, canoe adventures, outdoor cooking and nature crafts. For more information on weekly themes or to register a camper please visit: <http://www.oakhammockmarsh.ca>, or call (204) 467-3300.

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West St. Paul MB R4A 1A4
Phone: 204-339-1964
Fax: 204-339-7204

Administrators

Principal:

Cathy Horbas

Vice Principal:

David Ingram



JUNE, 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 – Day 3 3000m Rain Date	4 – Day 4 Early Years Divisional T&F Some Gr.4 & 5 WKC (9:00-2:00)	5 – Day 5 PIZZA DAY Provincial T&F U of M	6 – Day 6 Early Years Divisional T&F Rain Date Volunteer Reception 1 :00 p.m.	7 – Day 1	8
9	10 – Day 2 International Dance Day at WSP Grade 6 Slo-Pitch at GCCC	11 – Day 3 Grade 7 Slo-Pitch at GCCC	12 – Day 4 Middle Years Goldeyes Baseball Game at Shaw Park	13 – Day 5 Hans Kai Library 9:15-11:15 Grade 8 Slo-Pitch at GCCC	14 – Day 6	15
16	17 – Day 1 Grade 8 Slo-Pitch Rain Date	18 – Day 2	19 – Day 3	20 – Day 4	21 – Day 5 Mini We Day	22
23	24 – Day 6 PD DAY NO SCHOOL	25 – Day 1	26 – Day 2	27 – Day 3	28 – Day 4 Last Day of Classes See you in September!	29
30		MIDDLE YEARS ACTIVITY DAYS				
		Bird's Hill Park Grade 8 Farewell Hitch-n-Post	Thunder Mountain Waterslides	Harbourview		

2012-2013 IMPORTANT DATES AT A GLANCE...

June 5	FINAL Pizza Day of the school year
June 6	Volunteer Reception ~ 1:00 p.m. in the Gym
June 6	Band Concert ~ 7:00 p.m.
June 10	International Dance Day at West St. Paul School
June 12	Middle Years ~ Goldeyes Game
June 21	WSP Mini We Day
June 24	Administrative Day ~ NO SCHOOL
June 25-27	Middle Years Activity Days
June 25	Grade 8 Farewell ~ Hitch 'n' Post ~ 6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
June 27	Last Day of Classes for Ms Carpenter's Afternoon Kindergartens only
June 28	Last Day of Classes ~ EARLY DISMISSAL ~ 9:30 – AM Kindergarten; 11:55 a.m. – Gr. 1-8

2013-2014 IMPORTANT DATES AT A GLANCE

September 2	Labour Day
September 3 & 4	Orientation Days
September 5	Classes Commence
September 16 & 17	Middle Years at Camp Arnes
October 14	Thanksgiving - NO SCHOOL
October 21	Divisional PD - NO SCHOOL
October 25	SAGE In-service - NO SCHOOL
November 11	Remembrance Day - NO SCHOOL
November 22	Parent/Teacher Conferences - NO SCHOOL
December 23-January 3	Winter Break - SCHOOL CLOSED
January 6	School Re-opens
February 3	Professional Development Day - NO SCHOOL
February 17	Louis Riel Day - NO SCHOOL
February 20 & 21	Middle Years Winter Activity Days
March 14	Parent/Teacher Conferences - NO SCHOOL
March 31-April 4	Spring Break - SCHOOL CLOSED
April 18	Good Friday - NO SCHOOL
April 25	Professional Development Day - NO SCHOOL
May 12	Professional Development Day - NO SCHOOL
May 19	Victoria Day - NO SCHOOL
June 23	Professional Development Day - NO SCHOOL
June 24, 25 & 26	Middle Years Activity Days
June 27	Last Day of Classes - EARLY DISMISSAL

PLEASE NOTE: Dates and events are subject to change. During the year, other professional development days and special events will be planned. Monthly newsletters will provide updates and the information will be posted on our school website. Please visit our website frequently for updates:

www.7oaks.org/school/weststpaul/Pages

JUNE

WEST ST. PAUL COMMUNITY SCHOOL
 Advancing Community Schools
 Joey Robertson - Learning Support Teacher - Early Years
 Cheryl Rajfur - Community Coordinator
 204-339-1964

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
PARENT/CHILD PROGRAMS						
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2	3 Parent/Child Storytime 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. 3 – 5 years	4 Rhymes & More 9:15 – 10:30 a.m. 0 – 5 years	5	6	7	8 
9	10 Storytime Wind-up 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Sunova Centre	11 Rhymes & More 9:15 – 10:30 a.m. 0 – 5 years	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
<i>Have a safe and happy summer!</i>						
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 						2013

PRESCHOOLERS AND PARENTS/ ADULT CAREGIVERS YOU'RE INVITED FOR SOME FREE SUMMER FUN!

FREE parent-child summer preschool programs
for parents/adult caregivers and children ages 0-5

At Victory School (395 Jefferson Ave.),
O.V. Jewitt School (66 Neville Street),
and A.E. Wright School (1520 Jefferson Ave.).

Each school will be open for program July 09 to August 15, 2013, two days per week, from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon.

At summer pre-school programs we:

- * read interesting books
- * play
- * sing
- * create wonderful art
- * share a delicious healthy snack.



You and your children will have so much fun and will meet new friends and neighbors in the community.

***For more information or to register YOUR Family for
Summer Parent-Child Programs call:***

Chris Turnbull: 204-633-1714

***Registration ends JUNE 07
Spaces are limited and you must register to attend.***





**SEVEN OAKS
SCHOOL DIVISION**
community begins here

Seven Oaks Adult Learning
and Settlement Services
Centre

We help immigrant families in
Seven Oaks area.

CALL US

Phone: (204) 632-1716

VISIT US

950 Jefferson Ave.

Office Hours:
Monday to Thursday
1:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

E-MAIL US

settlement@7oaks.org

WEBSITE

[http://www.7oaks.org/
Programs/Settlement](http://www.7oaks.org/Programs/Settlement)

OUR TEAM

Fran Taylor
Executive Director

Jana Mckee
Coordinator

Settlement Workers:
Sally Nelson
Jose Chinchilla
Rowena Hernandez
Shane Livingstone

Seven Oaks Settlement Services Centre

EVENTS AND RESOURCES

June 2013

Money Management Training for Families



Come, participate and learn about:

- Making a budget
- Basics of banking
- Registered Education Savings
- Different ways to borrow money

FREE

**no registration
required**

June 12, 19 & 26, 2013

1:30 - 4:00 pm

660 Sheppard Street



Call the office for
more information.

CONVERSATION CIRCLES

Come practice English and meet new friends.

- Saturdays, 10:00 - 11:30 am until June 15, 2013 at 660 Sheppard
- Thursdays, July 4 - July 25, 2013 @ 9:00-10:30 am at Arthur E. Wright Community School
- Thursdays, Aug. 1-15, 2013 @ 9:00-10:30 am 950 Jefferson Avenue
- Wednesdays, July 3 - Aug. 14, 2013, 6:00-7:00 pm at 950 Jefferson Avenue

No registration required. Everyone Welcome!

2013 Winnipeg Folk Festival

The **40th annual Winnipeg Folk Festival** takes place **July 10 – 14, 2013** at **Bird's Hill Park!** We have 22 tickets to give to clients. We will raffle the tickets. If you are interested, get a form in the Settlement office and drop it off in the drop box. Raffle draw will be on **June 28, 2013**. Hurry! It's **FREE**

**660 SHEPPARD STREET OFFICE HOURS
FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2013 : Monday to Thursday at 1:00 - 5:00**

Upcoming COMMUNITY EVENTS

It's time to register!

Free of charge

**Seven Oaks School Division
Summer English as an Additional
Language (E.A.L.) Program**

High School Level (Grades 9-12)

Ecole Leila North Community School
20 Allan Blye Drive

For details please contact:

Ken (204) 632-6314 or

Debbie (204) 927-3700 Ext 6

Elementary Level (Grades 1-8)

Arthur E. Wright Community School
1520 Jefferson Avenue

For details please contact:

Cindy Burkett at 204 479 0803

cindy.burkett@7oaks.org

Nutrition Program for Parents

Wednesday 9:00-11:00 am

July 4-24, 2013 at Arthur E. Wright School

July 31- Aug. 14, 2013 (venue: to be confirmed)

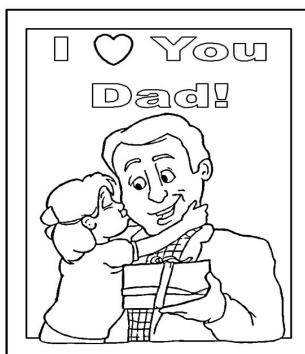
No need to register

Talk to a Settlement Worker for details

A TRIBUTE TO ALL DADS ON FATHER'S DAY

Father's Day Festival has become popular over the years. The festival is always set in the month of June and is celebrated not just in Canada, but in a large number of countries around the world. This is an opportunity to thank our Dads.

As we says:



F.A.T.H.E.R.S.

"F" aithful.

"A" lways there.

"T" rustworthy.

"H" onoring.

"E" ver-loving.

"R" ighteous.

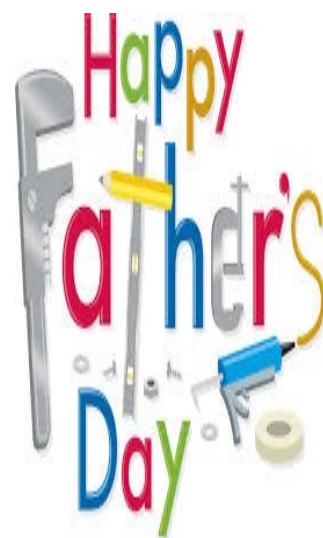
"S" upportive.

BECAUSE.....

A Father Is:

There in every memory
See his love and care
Strength and hands to count on
Freely he does share
Provider, toil so faithfully
To make our dreams come true
Give strong and tender discipline
Though it is hard to do
A Father is God's chosen one
To lead the family
And point it to His will for life
Of love and harmony...

Sue Skeen



Canada Day @ Elwick Community School Grounds

July 1, 2013 @ 1:00 p.m. onwards

This event welcomes the residents of Seven Oaks, as well as showcasing local musical and entertainment talents in the community.

If you would like to be part as a performer or volunteer for this event.

Please contact :

Chelsea or Kristie @ Elwick Village

(204) 632-5992

- Musical show
- Treats
- Crafting
- Dancers
- Games
- Fireworks
- Face painting
- And more



Hosted by:

Elwick Village and Resource Centre

1417 Fife Street

June 5th, 2013

Ecole Seven Oaks Middle School
800 Salter St.

REUSE 
REDUCE
RECYCLE



GEAR DRIVE

accepting all
"gently used"
hockey gear



Donations will go to help kids play hockey within the 7ohsa and any proceeds will be donated to the Amadeus Steen foundation. Every donation will receive a ballot for special prize draws.



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Seven Oaks School Division

Summer Programs 2013

BEEP

(Balanced Experiential Education Program)

Elwick, Margaret Park and Governor Semple Schools (new at Gov. Semple in 2013)

Daily Breakfast Program, Walking School Bus,

Exciting Learning Activities and Weekly Outings

FREE OF CHARGE

Students will be given first opportunity at their home school

July 3rd to August 9th

9:00 am – 3:00 pm

For more information contact Cindy Burkett at 204 479 0803 or cindy.burkett@7oaks.org

EAL at AEW

English as an Additional Language

Experiential Learning, Weekly Outings

FREE OF CHARGE to students Gr. 1 – 8

Intended for Seven Oaks students new to Canada and learning English

Bussing provided to/from Garden City Collegiate for those east of McPhillips

At A.E. Wright School

July 2nd to 26th

9:00 to 11:00 am

For more information contact Cindy Burkett at 204 479 0803 or cindy.burkett@7oaks.org

High School Summer School

All courses offered, Gr. 9 – 12

July 3rd to 25th

8:00 to 10:30 am, and 10:40 am to 1:10 pm

Leila North School

Seven Oaks students should register at their home schools from June 3rd to 14th

Registration fee: \$50.00 for residents of Seven Oaks and \$220.00 for non-resident students

For more information contact Ken Campbell at 204 632 6314 or ken.campbell@7oaks.org

KYAC

(Kildonan Youth Activity Centre)

FREE Drop-in Program, Open Gym, Daily Field Trips, Rotary Leadership Circle,
Arts & Crafts, Movies, Hip Hop Dance, Gardening and Volunteer Opportunities

(Small fee applies to Field Trips and Canteen)

For youth ages 8 – 17

2 Summer Sites:

ESOMS - Ecole Seven Oaks Middle School

Edmund Partridge School

Monday to Friday, 9:30 am – 4:30 pm

July 2nd – August 9th

For more information contact Coordinator: Pierre Feng at 204 223 2639 or pierre.feng@7oaks.org

Lighthouse Program at Victory School

Lighthouse provides a safe and fun environment for students ages 6 - 11 years of age
Gym Games, Arts & Crafts, Baking, Board Games, Field Trips, Outdoor Games and more

FREE OF CHARGE

(nominal fee charged for Field Trips)

Tuesday, July 2nd – Friday, August 16th
Monday to Friday
10:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Victory students will be given first opportunity

For more information contact Garth Emmonds at 204 612 1497 or garth.emmonds@7oaks.org

MYAC

(Maples Youth Activity Centre)

FREE Drop-in Program, Open Gym, Rotary Leadership Program and Youth Council,
Outings, Girls Program, Arts & Crafts, Movies, Bhangra Dance Classes,
Cooking Workshops, Drama/Improv and much more!

For youth ages 10 – 17

Arthur E. Wright Community School

Monday to Friday, 1:00 – 9:00 pm
July and August

For more information contact the MYAC hotline at 204 471 6922 or email myac@mts.net

MY Camp

Action and Activity tailored to the needs and interests of Middle Years' Students
(Dance, Art, Drama, Track and Field, Wrestling, Football, Tennis and Swimming)

For Seven Oaks students currently in Gr. 3 - 8

Four 2-week General Sessions **9:00 am – 4:00 pm:**

Cost: \$50 per session

July 2 – 12 West Kildonan Collegiate

July 15 – 26 West Kildonan Collegiate

July 29 – August 9 Garden City Collegiate

August 12 – 23 Garden City Collegiate

One 1-week Intensive Hockey Camp **9:00 am – 4:00 pm:**

Cost: \$150

August 26 – 30 Maples Arena

For more information contact Sandee Deck at 204 223 3499 or sandee.deck@7oaks.org
or Cindy Burkett at 204 479 0803 or cindy.burkett@7oaks.org

Preschoolers and Parents/Adult Caregivers Program

FREE Summer Programs for parents/adult caregivers and children ages 0 – 5

July 9th to August 15th

10:00 am – 12:00 Noon

Victory School – Wednesdays and Thursdays

O.V. Jewitt School – Tuesdays and Wednesdays

A.E. Wright School – Tuesdays and Thursdays

Read books, play, sing, create wonderful art and share a delicious healthy snack

Meet new friends and neighbours

Register at your community school

For more information contact Jacky Molyneux jacky.molyneux@7oaks.org

WASAC KIDS CAMP

(Winnipeg Aboriginal Sport Achievement Centre)

FREE Day Camp for students of Aboriginal Heritage

Old Exhibition Grounds, 80 Sinclair Street

FREE lunch, transportation and WASAC Camp T-shirt

Limited number of spots available to students ages 7 - 12 at these schools:

Constable Finney, A.E. Wright, O.V. Jewitt, James Nisbet, Elwick, Riverbend, Margaret Park, Forest Park, Belmont, Collicut, R.F. Morrison, Victory and Governor Semple

Transportation provided to and from several Seven Oaks Schools

Supported by: City of Winnipeg, Canadian Heritage, Government of Manitoba, Centre for Aboriginal Human Resource Development, Winnipeg Foundation, Sport Manitoba, Manitoba Aboriginal Sport and Recreation

For more information contact Kids Camp Hotline at 204 986 6785 or office line at 204 589 2772

Wayfinders Summer School

and Summer Programs

Wayfinders offers **Summer School** opportunities for students completing Gr. 9 and 10 who need to obtain credits in Math, Science and English

Most classes are held at the Wayfinders Site, 950 Jefferson Ave.

Student Parent Support Workers are on site to provide additional support to students

Additionally, Wayfinders offers a wide array of outings, events and opportunities during the summer months for all students connected to Wayfinders

For more information contact the Wayfinders Office at: 204 631 5849 (ext 3278)