

HAMPSTEAD SCHOOL E-MEMO

JUNE 15-19



June 15-19

June 15:	Field Trip to Splash Pad (Ms. Inkster & Mr. Walker)
June 16:	Field Trip to Oak Hammock Marsh (Ms. Bilous/Novelero & Mrs. Valka)
June 17:	Field Trip to Morning Sound Farm (Mrs. Enns, Mrs. Acheson, Mr. Walker)
June 18:	Mrs. Klassen's pen pals visit
June 19:	World Tour for students

Down the Road

June 22:	Field Trip to Camp Manitou for Grade 5's
June 22:	Splash Pad (Ms. Bilous/Ms. Novelero & Mrs. Enns)
June 23:	Field Trip to Activate (Patrol's)
June 24:	School-wide Field Day
June 26:	Grade 5 Farewell @ 2:00pm
June 26:	Pool Party (Mrs. White)
June 29:	Assembly & Bump Up Day
June 29:	Munroe Library (Mrs. Acheson)
June 30:	Early Dismissal @ 2:25pm

Information

Outside Learning – dress for the weather!

Please ensure your child comes to school with clothing appropriate for the weather, which might include a hat or rain/wind jacket, etc. Please also ensure they have a water bottle and are wearing sunscreen if necessary. Classes often will go outside for learning during part of their day, and it is important that they come prepared to do so. They will also be outside for all recesses, even if it is lightly raining.

Checking Agendas & Backpacks

Please be sure to check your child's backpack & agenda daily for any field trip forms and other important information. We have a **LOT** of fun things happening at Hampstead School over the next few weeks!

June 19 – World Tour - The world comes to Hampstead...

The Grade 3s from Mrs. Valka's class are learning all about countries from around the world. In doing so they are eager to share their learning with the school. All Hampstead students who attend school on June 19th will have the opportunity to "travel the globe" during the World Tour presentation. Students will have a chance to try foods from other cultures. All foods will be nut-free and labeled with contents and potential common allergens (such as egg, dairy, soy, and wheat). There will also be the opportunity to engage in culturally significant activities such as calligraphy, maintaining a miniature Zen garden, miniature table curling, and others. If you have any questions, please contact the office or Mrs. Valka at mvalka@retsd.mb.ca

Name Our New School!

In partnership with the Province of Manitoba, RETSD is building a new Kindergarten to Grade 8 school in the Devonshire area of Transcona. More information is below. As construction begins, we are inviting members of the community to become part of Transcona history by helping to come up with an original name for the new school. More info below.



If your child was born in 2021, it is time to register them to start Kindergarten this September!

Registration forms are available at the school and on the Hampstead website at:

www.retsd.mb.ca/hamp under *Documents & Forms*

Kindergarten at Hampstead School is everyday all day!

Everyday kindergarten provides extra time for children to build relationships with teachers and other students, while they engage in play-based programming to develop literacy and numeracy skills. It also offers consistency of school routines and habits to serve as a strong educational foundation.

We have seen tremendous success in our littlest students. We can't wait for your children to join us!

Hampstead Kindergarten Open House

Hampstead School
920 Hampstead Ave.
Tuesday, June 2nd
4:00pm to 5:00pm

Meet Kindergarten teachers and visit classrooms and receive Kindergarten packages!

Growing and Learning Days

Salisbury Morse Place School
795 Prince Rupert Ave.
Wednesday, May 13
4:30pm to 6:30pm

Register by phone @ 204-669-4043 or
email: kinderlinks@retsdb.ca

In order to register your child for Kindergarten, a filled out registration form and

THE FOLLOWING IDENTIFICATION IS REQUIRED:

TWO (2) PIECES OF PROOF OF RESIDENCY:

- This can be your Manitoba Medical Card, driver's license, lease agreement or current offer to purchase (duly signed), or current utility bill (name and corresponding address)

ONE (1) PIECE OF PROOF OF AGE:

- This can be your child's birth certificate, passport, passport, health card, treaty card, baptismal papers, or record of live birth (the child has to have been born in 2021)

Here are some helpful links as your family prepares for kindergarten:

- Information about registering for kindergarten can be found on the RETSD Registration page: <https://www.retsd.mb.ca/page/101/registration>
- The school locator will help you find your child's designated school: <https://retsdb.ca/page/46/schools>
- Here is a video that shows what to expect in kindergarten in RETSD: <https://vimeo.com/250145815>
- Prepare for kindergarten with our Kinder Links website: <https://www.retsd.mb.ca/page/100/kinder-links>

If you have any questions, please call the school at 204-654-1818 or email us at hamp@retsdb.ca

Be Part of Transcona History by Naming Our New School



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More information, including the online form to fill out, can be found at the following link:

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Deadline for submissions is July 3, 2026, at 4 p.m.



RETLife is dedicated to helping people connect to living The Good Life.

We value:

- making connections
- providing opportunities for people to share their passion with other people
- growth based learning at all levels for community members, instructors, and administrators.

Whether you are looking to participate in a fitness class or leisure activity, or build your skills so you can land your dream job, we have a class for you – whatever age or stage you're at. And the best part? You can stay close to home and do it all in the River East Transcona School Division.

RETLife Camps and Classes for 2026

RETLife is pleased to announce the return of our WEEKLY SUMMER DAY CAMPS from July 6 until August 7 at Valley Gardens Middle School! These camps are a great opportunity for your child to join in the fun as they spend time learning, growing, and having fun together! Each week features time at the splash pad, games in the gym, fun crafts, interesting science experiments, and a special guest! *Spaces are still available each week so register early to avoid disappointment!*

RETLife is also offering **one-day options on July 2 and July 3!** Special pricing is available until May 15 – *book early to save!*

NEW SUMMER CAMPS AVAILABLE!

In addition to our weekly RETLife Summer Day Camps, we are also pleased to announce that we are also offering a one-week Volleyball Camp on July 27 – July 31. This special camp is open to kids ages 10 – 13 and runs from 9:00 am – 12:00 noon each day at College Miles Macdonell Collegiate. *Space is limited, so register soon to avoid disappointment!*

RETLife is also partnering with Engineering for Kids to offer Robo Games Summer Camp from August 10 until August 13 AND Battle Bots Summer Camp from August 17 to August 20! These tech-based day camps are open to kids 7 – 12 years old and run from 8:30 am – 3:30 pm each day at Valley Gardens Middle School. *Space is limited, so register soon to avoid disappointment!*

Registration is open online for credit card payments. If you would like to register using a debit card or cash, please visit the RETLife office at 530 McLeod Avenue, Monday to Thursday between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm or Friday from 8:30 am – 4:00 pm.