



Wayoata School Community Council (WSCC) - May 5, 2025

6:00 p.m. In Person - Multi-Purpose Room (MPR)

Principal's Report - R. Reyes

A huge thank you to the WSCC for hosting an incredible Spring Dance that was enjoyed by many of our Wayoata families!

- 1. Extracurriculars** - Our grades 4 & 5 students had the opportunity to participate in basketball club. Those who joined and attended practices will take part in a basketball tournament on Monday, May 12.
Our grades 3, 4, and 5 students also had the opportunity to participate in floor hockey games, playing both for fun and to try to be the team who wins the Wayoata Cup. Final playoffs are coming up!
Our grades 3, 4, and 5 students also had the opportunity to participate in Marathon (Running) Club. Those who attended practices diligently will head to the Jog In The Park event at Assiniboine Park on Thursday, May 8.
- 2. Kindergarten Registration** - Kindergarten registration opened on March 1, and we have received a good number of registrations already, however we are expecting that there are many more to come! If you know any families in the community with children who will be Kindergarten aged by Sept (born in 2020), please encourage them to contact the school and to come register their child as soon as possible. Our planning for our Kindergarten classes has already begun! Our Wayoata Kindergarten Open House is coming up on May 28!
- 3. Active Transportation Week** - Our Active Transportation Week (Apr 14-17) was a success, with many students coming to school in active, healthy ways! We loved seeing 102 students coming to school by walking, jogging, scootering, biking, rollerblading, or skateboarding. That was a wonderful number, giving us 53% of students choosing an environmentally conscious way to commute!

4. **Spring Class Photos** – On the mornings of May 6 & 7 we will be having our Spring Class Photos through Edge Imaging.
5. **Fire Drills, Lockdown, and Hold & Secure Practice** – We will have several more fire drill practices, for a total of 10 fire drills throughout the school year. We will also conduct one final lockdown practice, and one final hold & secure practice.
6. **Divisional PowWow** – On May 22, RETSD will host its annual divisional PowWow. River East Collegiate will be hosting the event this year. The PowWow is a huge and well-attended event where families are welcomed to sample traditional food, watch all ages and categories of dancers, and listen to drum groups. Our grade 4 and 5 students at Wayoata worked on creating gifts that will be presented to some of the special guests attending the PowWow!

Lunch Program Coordinator Report – From Sunaina:

As the school year ends, time has passed quickly. Students improved in teamwork, cleanliness, and social skills, enjoying planned activities and increasing engagement. However, lunch noise levels remain high. Our summer goals are to manage noise better and promote inclusion through group activities. We had extra spending on supplies, but it was worth it for the kids' enjoyment. We're excited for the final stretch and upcoming fun activities!

Thank you, WSCC, for your time and investment in supporting the students and staff of Wayoata School!

Next WSCC Meeting – Monday, June 2th