



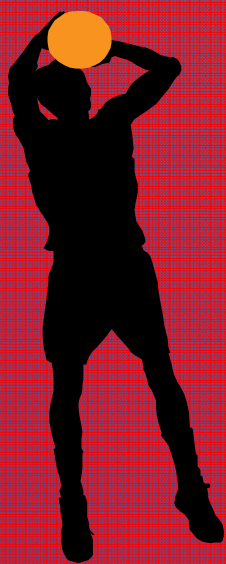
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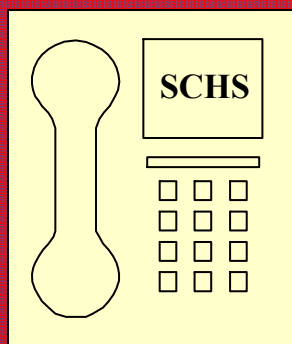


*Becoming the best we can be*



**Telephone Extensions (403-664-3644)**

- 8 Student Absences
- 0 or 2700 Office / Ruth Munroe
- 1 or 2701 Principal / Allan Stober
- 2703 Counseling/ Tricia Rolheiser
- 2704 Craig Polk
- 2705 Bruce Peers
- 2706 Carmen Hoffmann/Jill Armstrong
- 2708 Lois Bedwell / Library
- 2710 Dawn Peers
- 2711 Jean Kimber
- 2713 Gayle Vass
- 2714 Shannon Hauck
- 2715 Vaughn Olorenshaw
- 2722 Ched Simmons/Gym
- 2721 Larry Lane /Custodian



*South Central High 'Lights'*



Once again this semester RTD will be offering online diploma prep courses - professionally moderated by the web-based instructional platform **GoToTraining**

Summary: Students will be guided through an interactive diploma-prep that they will access online from their homes. They will see and hear their *highly-experienced* instructor, and learn core concepts and while working through relevant diploma-style examples.



**An Interactive Learning Experience**

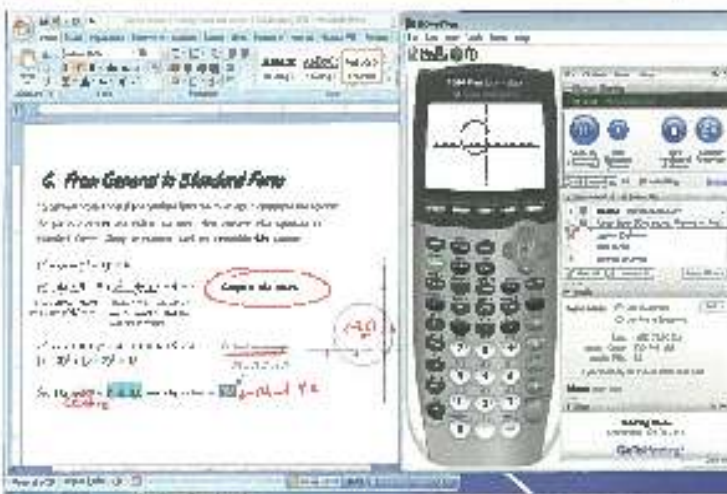
Students will be able to communicate with their instructor by voice (webcam mic) or type chat in the course manager window. They will be able to "raise their hand", and participate in polls and tests. Email support is also provided.

**Powerful Learning Resources**

Course materials / booklets will be sent in hard-copy form by mail. Pdf versions are also available.

**See Close-Up Notes and Guided Examples**

Students will see exactly what the instructor has on screen, and will have full access to our specialized online review notes. They will hear their instructor and see their on-the-go notes, their reference materials, calculator entries, etc.



**COURSE FEE: \$110** *includes:*

- ✓ Online Course Login Code – access to 16 + hrs of (scheduled) interactive course instruction
- ✓ Course Booklets (Sent by mail or PDF download)
- ✓ Online Course Practice Tests
- ✓ Instructor support via online chat, phone, and email

**Schedule Conflict?**

Class recordings are available for any missed classes / on-demand viewing

January, 2012 Online Prep Schedule



5 courses...	Jan 7 Sat	Jan 8 Sun	Jan 9 Mon	Jan 10 Tues	Jan 11 Wed	Jan 13 Fri	Jan 14 Sat	Jan 15 Sun	Jan 16 Mon	Jan 17 Tue	Jan 18 Wed	Jan 19 Thurs	Jan 20 Fri	Jan 21 Sat	Jan 22 Sun	Jan 23 Mon	Jan 24 Tue	Jan 26 Thurs
<b>Social 30-1</b>		7:00p 9:30p	5:30p 9:30p	5:30p 8:00p			9:30p 4:30p											
<b>Chemistry 30</b>													7:00p 9:45p	11:30p 5:30p	11:00p 5:00p	5:00p 6:30p		
<b>Biology 30</b>					5:00p 7:30p	4:30p 9:45p	8:30p 1:30p				5:00p 8:15p							
<b>Pure Math 30</b>	4:00p 8:45p	Class recording will be professionally edited & available on-demand for late registrants.						2:30p 7:00p	5:00p 8:45p	5:00p 8:45p							1:00p 4:00p	
<b>Physics 30</b>												6:00p 9:10p		6:00p 9:10p	6:00p 9:10p		6:00p 9:10p	6:00p 9:10p

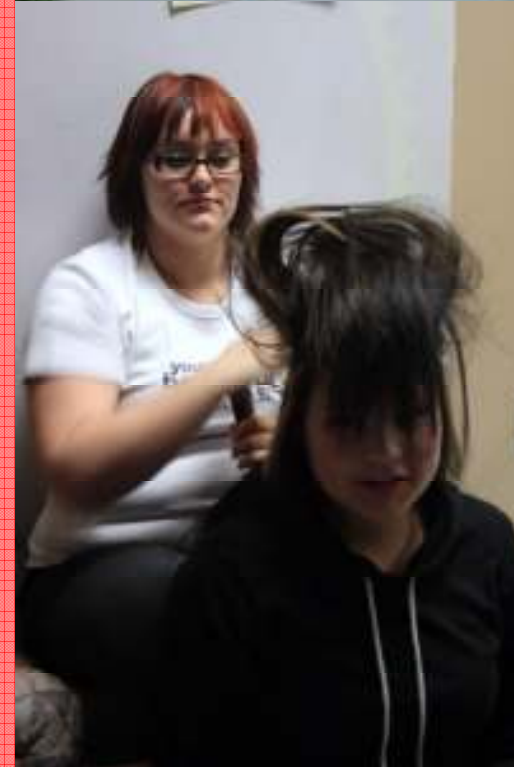
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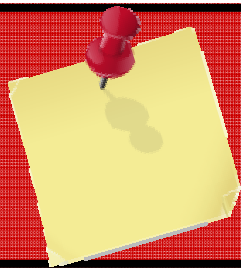
We also offer classroom diploma prep in **Lehrbridge, Calgary, and Edmonton**.  
Learn more at our website: [www.rockthediploma.com](http://www.rockthediploma.com)

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# Ladies First Night Memories

On November 25<sup>th</sup> 31 from SCHS, OPS and NBS attended the Ladies First sleepover facilitated by R.E.A.L. The sleepover was to improve the way that girls interacted in the school and to promote self-esteem and better the transition from junior high to senior high. Upon arrival everyone received a Dove t-shirt and a bag with a journal (donated by Return to Rural) with a variety of other items. The girls mingled and enjoyed the "no boys allowed" environment. We started off with mocktails and a "Zumba Break" led by Tamara Olsen, this was a great ice-breaker as all the feelings of awkwardness and embarrassment disappeared. Mocktails were then served and the girls drank them while listening intently to our guest speaker Joanie McLay's session. She highlighted the simple things in life that help make everyday special, including music, movies, and movement. Joanie also told us of her twin sister who attempted suicide and how they got through it together, explaining how just letting someone know you're there for them and talking to them when they need can make a dramatic difference in someone's life. After that the girls enjoyed a "make your own pizza" supper which was donated by the R.E.A.L project. The sleepover then turned into a make-over party, Brandi Kukura did make-up, Darianne Duffield did the ladies hair, Nirvana Hauck administered massages, and Rachel Smigelski did manicures. A fashion show was to follow, the ladies donned some very out-of-date dresses and had a fashion show, a lot modeling their parents grad dresses etc. The rest of the night was filled with laughter and fun games. Each guest enjoyed a door prize to take home thanks to the numerous local businesses that donated.





# NOTICES



## Important Dates to Remember

- \* Parent Council meeting Nov. 30th
- \* Cap & Gown pictures December 7th
- \* Biographies and ads are OVERDUE!!
- \* Coupon book money is past due
- \* NO SCHOOL on December 5th
- \* Turkey Supper is on December 7th
- \* Early dismissal at 2:00 PM on December 21st



**SCHS Scorpion gear is available for Christmas giving. We have jackets (\$50), t-shirts (\$10), track pants (\$30) and duffel bag (\$50); great gifts for that hard-to-buy-for student!**



## DECEMBER



Happy Birthday to:

Jaralyn McDonald, Erin Cartwright, Kaylee Dick, Jade Stober, Austin Olds, Jory Hoffman, Bethany Mitchell, Joe Weis, Nic Weis, Ryan Weis, David Reimer, Steven Chiliak, Ryley Skappak, Trax Wehr, Courtney Hunt



Hey Grads...

Magic Moments Bridals

TRUNK SALE

December 1, 2, & 3

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from 10am - 8pm  
& December 3rd from  
10am - 5pm

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See the latest and greatest gowns  
without having to wait!

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A Few Words From Mrs.  
Rolheiser.....

## Celebration 2012 May 18, 2012

Please help us make the 2011-2012 year the best ever!

Sign up for your **Cap and Gown Pictures** that are NEXT WEEK,

**Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup>** starting at 11:00 am and running until

8:00pm. We need a cap and gown picture for every graduate for the yearbook and the Celebration Booklet.



**BIOGRAPHIES are past due.** I need the following student's information:

Colton Battrum, Jared Carroll, Tyler Chiliak, Sierra Ford, Noah Gapp, Tayler Hoffmann, Zach Hunt, Justin Kehler, Sharmain Mann, Payden Merkl, Amanda Niwa, Bradyn Ross, Jared Santos, Andy Scott, Ryley Skappak, Carley Thornton, Rico Venturato, Trax Wehr, Chelsea Woods, Karen Yanez

There are **TOO MANY TO COUNT** as to who still needs to get their Sponsor Ads in. **IF YOU ARE STRUGGLING FOR AN IDEA OF WHO TO ASK OR WHERE TO GO FOR SPONSORS, SEE MRS. ROLHEISER ASAP**

We also have many outstanding Student Price Card Books that are out and about. There are approximately 30 books that students have, that have not been turned in. That equates to \$600 that the Student Council is out of pocket for. Each student was expected to sell a book. It is not hard to sell them. If you are one of the 30 that has not handed in your money, there will be a phone call home on Thursday, and you will be billed for the booklet that you have not sold if it or the money is not turned in on **FRI-DAY, DECEMBER 2<sup>nd</sup>**. This fundraiser took the place of our usual Winter Wonderland Campaign. The reason that we targeted each student in the building, is that all our students, at some point of the school year benefit from the monies raised by Student Council. Without fundraisers like this, we would not have anything in Barwacz Hall other than chairs.



CALLING ALL YOUNG WRITERS  
AND POETS!

Book Week 2012

# WRITING CONTEST

for Kids & Teens

## Do you love to write?

This year Book Week celebrates the importance of sharing stories with the theme **Read a Book, Share a Story**. The Book Week 2012 Writing Contest for Kids & Teens invites young writers to let their imaginations soar and share their stories or poems of adventure, humour, mystery and fantasy!

Students from **Grades 4 to 12** are eligible to enter and **one winner from each grade will receive a \$250 gift certificate to the bookstore of his or her choice!**

Winning entries will be posted on the Book Week website – [www.bookweek.ca](http://www.bookweek.ca).

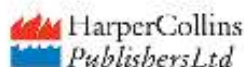
## CONTEST DETAILS

- Entries must be postmarked by **February 1, 2012**.
- The story or poem must be written during the current 2011/2012 school year.
- Entrants **must** be in Grades 4 to 12 at the time of the contest deadline.
- Entries must be written in English and must not exceed 1,500 words.
- All entries must be original content.
- All entries must include a fully complete **ENTRY FORM\***. The form is available at [www.bookweek.ca](http://www.bookweek.ca) under "Book Week 2012".
- No faxed or emailed entries will be accepted.
- Due to the large volume of entries, we cannot acknowledge receipt of entry.
- Contest open to residents of Canada only.
- For more information on the Writing Contest, contact [shannon@bookcentre.ca](mailto:shannon@bookcentre.ca).
- Winners will be announced on **May 9, 2012** during Book Week 2012.

\* Please note that entries not accompanied by an ENTRY FORM will not be considered.

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# SCHS Turkey Supper

December 7<sup>th</sup>



*When: December 7<sup>th</sup>, 5PM – 7PM*

*Where: SCHA Gym*

*\$10/plate for Adults*


*\$5/plate for Children Under 5*

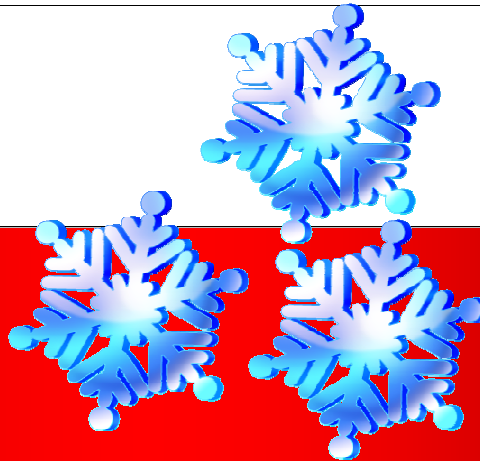
*\$30/ for family(immediate)*



# SCHS December



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5 No school	6	7 Cap and Gown Pictures	8	9	10 Human Rights Day
11	12	13 CTS Module #4 is Due	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21 Xmas Holidays Early dismissal at 2pm	22 Winter Begins Christmas holidays begin!	23	24
25 Xmas 	26 Boxing Day	27	28	29	30	31



# Upcoming Events 2011-2012

## December 2011

- 5 School Improvement Day– NO SCHOOL
- 7 Cap and Gown pictures starting at 11:00 AM
- 7 SCHS Turkey Supper
- 10 Human Rights Day–
- 21 **Last day Early dismissal at 2pm.**
- 22 Winter Begins
- 25 Christmas Day
- 26 Boxing Day



## January 2012

- TBA National Non-Smoking Week–
- TBA Weedless Wednesday– [cctc.ca](http://cctc.ca)
- 1 New Year's Day
- 5 **School starts after Christmas Holidays**
- 6 Epiphany
- 11 **English 30-1/30-2 Part A Diploma Exam 9:00-11:30**
- 12 **Social 30-1/30-2 Part A Diploma Exam 9:00-11:30**
- 18 **Last day of regular classes**
- 19 **CTS Module #5 is due**
- 19 **English 30-1/30-2 Part B Diploma Exam 9:00-11:30**
- 20 **Social 30-1/30-2 Part B Diploma Exam 9:00 – 11:00**
- 23 Chinese New Year
- School Improvement Day– NO SCHOOL**
- 24 **Biology 30 Diploma Exam 9:00-11:00**
- 25 **Pure & Applied Math 30 Diploma Exam 9:00-11:00**
- 26 **Chemistry 30 Diploma Exam 9:00-11:00**
- 27 **Physics 30 Diploma Exam 9:00-11:00**

## February 2012

- Heart Month - [heartandstroke.ab.ca](http://heartandstroke.ab.ca)**
- TBA Eating Disorders Awareness Week– [nedic.ca](http://nedic.ca)
- TBA Winter Walk Day– [shapeab.com](http://shapeab.com)
- 14 St. Valentine's Day
- 20 **Family Day Holiday– NO SCHOOL**
- 21/22 Days in Lieu of Parent Teacher Interview Evenings– **NO SCHOOL**
- 22 Ash Wednesday
- 23/24 Teacher's Convention–[seatca.ca](http://seatca.ca)– **NO SCHOOL**



## March 2012

- National Nutrition Month– [dietitians.ca](http://dietitians.ca)*
- National Social Work Month– [casw-acts.ca](http://casw-acts.ca)*
- TBA Healthy Habits Challenge– [movingandchoosing.ca](http://movingandchoosing.ca)
- TBA The Great Big Crunch 12:30PM– [foodshare.net/school-crunch.htm](http://foodshare.net/school-crunch.htm)
- 2 & 3 Provincial Curling-Location TBA
- 11 Daylight Saving Time
- 17 St. Patrick's Day
- 18-20 World Day of Water– [worldwaterday.org](http://worldwaterday.org)
- 20 Spring Begins
- 22/23 School Improvement Days– **NO SCHOOL**
- 28 Grade 12 English Field Trip to Vertigo Theatre in Calgary



## April 2012

- 1 Palm Sunday
- 2 Mid-Term Marks are due to the Office at 9:00am
- 3 & 4 Parent/Teacher Interviews from 4:00- 6:30pm
- 5 Mid-Term Report Cards mailed
- 6–15 Easter Holidays—**NO SCHOOL**
- 6 Good Friday
- 7 World Health Day
- 8 Easter Sunday
- 9 Easter Monday
- 22 Earth Day
- 25 Administrative Professionals Day



## May 2012

- 4/5 Provincial Badminton in Grimshaw
- 7 School Improvement Day - **NO SCHOOL**
- 10 WHO Move for Health Day– [who.int/moveforhealth/about/en](http://who.int/moveforhealth/about/en)
- 12 Canada Health Day
- 13 Mother's Day
- 15 National Peace Officers' Day
- 17 Ascension Day
- 18 Celebration 2012
- 21 Victoria Day Holiday– **NO SCHOOL**
- 31 World No Tobacco Day– [cctc.ca/](http://cctc.ca/)



## ORO STEEL PRODUCTIONS

