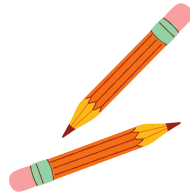




# MM WEEKLY PARENT PLANNER

WEEK OF APRIL 7-11



MONDAY	Recess Club - Div 1 - in the gym at 12:05 Homework Club - 2nd Recess in the library
TUESDAY	Jr. Choir Rehearsal - 12:05-12:35pm
WEDNESDAY	Safe Spaces Club - 12:05 in Rm 118 Cheer Club - gym @ 12:05 - Gr.4-6 are welcome Honour Band & District Choir - Dress rehearsal at the Jubilee - 9am -2pm <b>Night of Music -Jubilee - 7pm</b>
THURSDAY	<b>Hot Lunch - Papa John's</b> Glee Club @ 12:05
FRIDAY	Homework Club- 2nd Recess in the library <b>Choir Tour - 9-1:30pm</b> Klf & KJ - Teachers Pet - Dino senses - 9-11am Kwf & KJ - Teachers Pet - Dino senses - 1-3pm

## Looking Ahead

April 18 - Good Friday  
April 21 - Easter Monday  
April 22 -PD Day - No School

## Contact Info



[mm@spschools.org](mailto:mm@spschools.org)



780-458-0205

## MM School Office Notices:

Returning Students - Registration for 2025-26 school year is online through powerschool, log into your parent portal. You Must use a web browser as registration forms are not accessible through the powerschool APP. Once logged in, click on the tab of the student you will completing the form for, then on the left hand column, select the "Returning Student Registration Form".

If your student is not returning to Muriel Martin, please let the office know as this is helpful for planning for the 2025-26 school year.

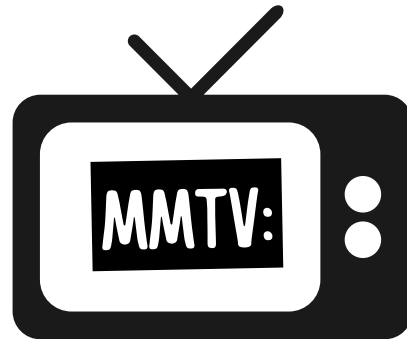
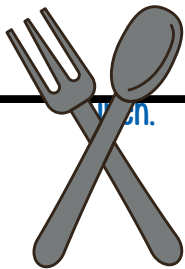
<https://spschools.powerschool.com/public>

Click on the link to register for Kindergarten:

<https://murielmartin.spschools.org/information/registration>

## Waste free Lunches

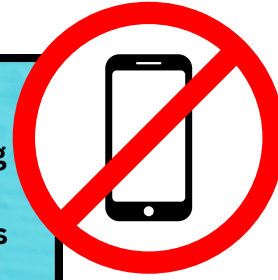
The office will no longer be providing plastic cups or cutlery for students to use. Please make sure your student has packed a water bottle and the necessary utensils for their lunch.



Welcome to another year of MMTV! You can catch our weekly news on Mondays by subscribing to our [Muriel Martin TV Youtube](#) channel. Our news is hosted by our talented grade 6 students and produced by Mr. Grice.

## Cell Phones:

We would like to remind families that student cell phones or Smart watches are not to be used on the school property during the school day from beginning at 8:40 when supervision starts. This includes recess & lunch. When students bring these devices to school, they are expected to have them turned off and in their backpack / locker. Should your student need to contact you during the day, or you them, the school phone system is available. Please have this conversation with your student. Your cooperation and partnership are greatly appreciated.



## Absence Reporting:

To report an absence, we prefer you use our online absence reporting form and fill it out with as much detail as possible. You can find it on the Muriel Martin Website or go directly to it using the following link  
<https://murielmartin.spschools.org/parents/absence-reporting>

## MM Musical Moments



Don't forget to get your Night of Music tickets as they are almost sold out!

Don't miss this incredible evening of musical excellence, featuring our talented Muriel Martin students alongside more than 600 students from across the district. Please use the link below to purchase tickets:

### Night of Music Tickets

April 9 - Dress rehearsal at the Jubilee 9-2pm  
April 11 - Choir Tour - Jr Choir 9-12, Glee Club 9-3pm  
April 17 - Year End Choir Concert - 6:30-7:30pm

**BAND** - <https://sites.google.com/spschools.org/sapsdconcertband/menu>

**CHOIR** - <https://sites.google.com/spschools.org/sapsddistrictchoir/menu>

The MM music website will always have the most up to date information for our music programming here at MM.

<https://sites.google.com/spschools.org/mmmusic/home>

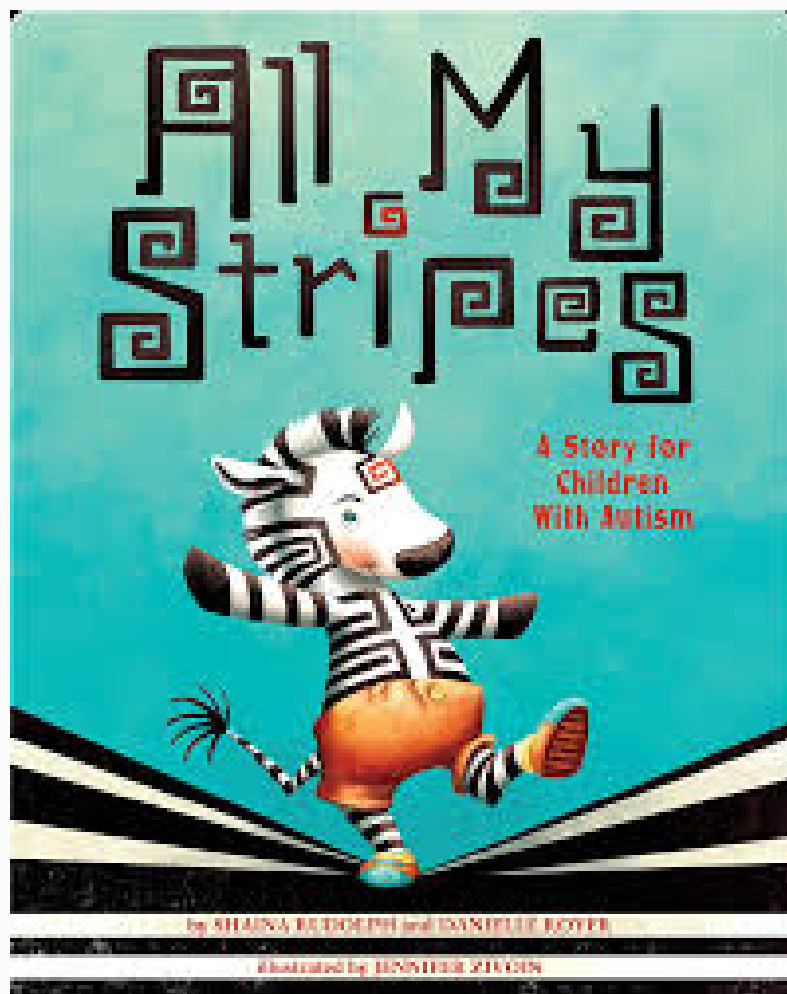


# Inclusion Spotlight

Our mandate in schools is to provide a safe, caring, and welcoming learning environment for all students, staff and the MM community. We would like to promote inclusion through love, kindness and understanding. Inclusion means that we choose to be kind, and that we try to understand the feelings of others. It means that we encourage and support others, and that we are open to learning about others' differences. Whether we realize it or not, members of our school community still face prejudice and inequality, discrimination and injustice. At MM we RAWR: we choose respect and responsibility, and we can choose to be inclusive.

This Inclusion Spotlight is a collaborative effort by parents, staff and students of MM to be more inclusive and to develop empathy. We plan to share tools, tips, and books that will encourage reflection and conversation, and provide support for all of us to create a safe, caring, welcoming, and inclusive community at our school

This week we recognized World Autism Day. We learned about autism and participated in an art project with the theme All About Support. The read aloud that we want to share this week is called 'All My Stripes' and this version is special because it is read by the book's author Danielle Royer. At the end both she and co-author Shaina Rudolph also take some time to answer some questions about autism. We hope that you enjoy the story and have opportunities to talk more about how each of us can support people with autism, and maybe even think about the stripes that make each of us special and unique.



## Late/Leaving Early

If your student is late please bring them to the office to be signed in. If you need to pick up your student during the day, please notify the office before you come. This way we can have your student ready and waiting. When you arrive at the school come into the office to sign them out. Please note, students are not allowed to walk home alone during school hours.

## Parking:



Between 8 AM and 4 PM, please do not use the staff parking lot to drop off or pick up your student. There is plenty of parking in the neighborhood and around the school where you can park and walk your student to their designated door. The other option is to use our drop off / bus lane in front of the school. Please note, you should not be parking in the drop off / bus lane. This area is meant for students to quickly exit or enter your vehicle.

Busses get priority  
in this lane, if you see them coming please make room for them as quickly as possible.

**Accessible Parking:** We have two designated accessible parking areas, one in the staff parking lot, and one in the drop off / bus lane. Only families who have handicap parking permits are allowed to use these areas.





# Muriel Martin

## Fundraising Notes

APRIL 4, 2025



FlipGive  
TEAM FUNDING MADE EASY



### HOT LUNCH

**Papa John's Pizza – April 10**

Order by April 5

**Edo Japan – April 17**

Order by April 12

### FUNDRAISING AGM

**Attend on May 5 @ 8pm**

Muriel Martin Fundraising will be hosting our AGM on May 5. We are looking for interested parents for the role of **President** and **Vice President**! It's a two-year term and a great way to get involved in your school. For more information email

[murielmartinfundraising@gmail.com](mailto:murielmartinfundraising@gmail.com)

### BP'S RECEIPTS

**Operation Education**

Submit your Boston Pizza receipts to the school office and we **earn 5% cash back!**

### PURDY'S PICK UP

**Arriving between April 1-14**

Specific dates will be posted to the Facebook group. Reach out to fundraising you would like to make special arrangements for pick up.

### EASTER SHOPPING?

Shop through **Flipgive** and we receive a commission on your purchases!

Join the app using invite code **CK67XD**

or visit: [flipgive.com/f/1371378](https://flipgive.com/f/1371378)

### YEARBOOKS ON SALE

**Orders Close May 18**

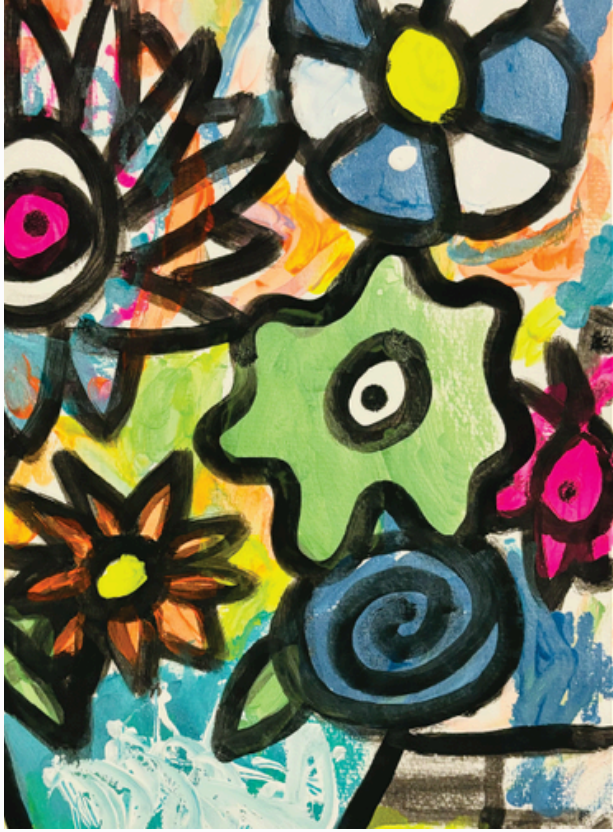
\$25 at [ybpay.lifetouch.ca](https://ybpay.lifetouch.ca)

Use Yearbook ID: 14330025



Next meeting: **April 7** | 8 PM in the music room  
[MURIELMARTINFUNDRAISING@GMAIL.COM](mailto:MURIELMARTINFUNDRAISING@GMAIL.COM)

Join the Muriel Martin Parent Community  
Facebook group  
[facebook.com/groups/271444916334270/](https://facebook.com/groups/271444916334270/)



# St. Albert Public Schools ART SHOW

**WHEN:**

Opening Night April 8 from 5-7 pm  
Music and Refreshments  
Show closes April 17

**WHERE:**

St. Albert Place  
5 St. Anne Street, St. Albert

**WHO:**

Art students from  
Kindergarten to Grade 12

**WHAT:**

Art pieces that were created in 2024-25 school year

Poster art created by Nora Letourneau, a grade 2 art student at  
E.S. Gish Elementary/Jr. High School



**SAVE  
THE DATE**

**Muriel Martin  
presents:  
A Dino-mite  
Showcase**



**Thursday, May 15th, 2025**

**More information to come in early April**



**CANADIAN VISION CARE (CVC): PROJECT AFRICA**

**DONATE YOUR OLD GLASSES**



**DEADLINE: APRIL 15TH**



**ADULT AND CHILDREN GLASSES ACCEPTED**

**CVC WILL PROVIDE EYE CLINICS APR 21-25  
IN SEVERAL VILLAGES IN MALAWI, AFRICA**

**BRING YOUR OLD GLASSES TO DONATE TO  
THE MURIEL MARTIN OFFICE**