

Spirit River Regional Academy

NEWSLETTER

Home of the Renegades

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Scholarship Winners 2010-11

Spirit River Regional Academy
is pleased to announce
their scholarship winners



**Artesian Insurance
Excellence in English:**

Jr: Kelsey *Sr:* Annelise

**Kenneth Alvin Skoworodko
Excellence in Mathematics**

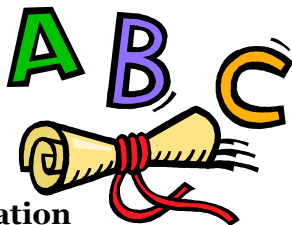
Jr : Ian *Sr:* Kevin

**William Gebhart Trucking
Memorial Award for Excellence in
Social Studies**

Jr: Skye *Sr:* Payton

**SRRRA School Council Excellence in
Science**

Gr. 7: Skye
Gr. 8: Adrian
Gr. 9: Tiana
Sr: Kayleigh



**SRRRA School Foundation
Excellence in CTS**

Foods: Payton
Info Pro: Payton
In. Ed: Calvin

**SRRRA School Foundation Top
Academic Students**

Jr: Adrian *Sr:* Payton

**Alexander Rutherford
Scholarships**

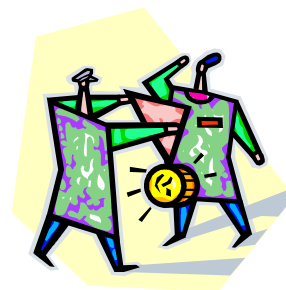
Maggie, Gregory, Dylan, Jesslyn,
Braden, Lise, Jessee, Kevin, Jaycee

Michael Maloney Scholarship

Kevin

**Marc Richard Central
Peace Oilman's
Association
Scholarship**

Gregory



Bob Chambul Memorial Award

Gregory

Governor General Award Winner

Jessee

Premier's Citizenship Award

Jessee

SRRRA Student Achievement Awards

Gr. 7: Katie
Gr. 8: Ashton
Gr. 9: Sam
Gr. 10: Payton
Gr. 11: Bailey
Gr. 12: Kristen



Rocky & Ruby Renegade Award

Aiden and Kelsey

Panther Volleyball Bursary

Lise

ADLC Honours Award

Megan

Athletic Awards

Junior High -

Gr. 7: Katie ,
Brett, Bailey,
Jayden, Bree

Gr. 8: Adrian, Kristen,
Ashton, Coleton,
Brooke

Gr. 9: Rylan

Senior High -

Gr. 10: Payton, Brydon,
Tanner , Julie,
Jenny, Dustin,
Courtney,
Rachel , Serena,
Kassie , Kennie,
Morgan, Dustyn

Gr. 11: Amber, Christina,
Stef, Jimmy ,
Steven , Cole

Gr. 12: Alyissa ,
Justine



Honours Award

Congratulations to the following students on achieving honours for the June 2011 final report card.

Junior High -

Gr. 7: Katie
Skye

Gr. 8: Adrian,
Kristen,
Megan

Gr .9: Kelsey, Tiana

Senior High –

Gr. 10: Payton , Morgan,
Brydon , Julie,
Andrew, Rachel,
Jennifer,
Dustin , Kassie,
Kennie

Gr. 11: Britney , Kayleigh,
Tim, Megan,
Annelise, John,
Matt , Kara,
Jamie

Gr. 12: Brittany,
Lise , Kristen,
Amanda



Parent and Student Access Website

Instructions were mailed out last week to parents on how to access their child's marks, attendance, fees, schedules and email access ability for each of their child's teachers. This year parents can access all of their children on the same logon. If you have any questions/problems with accessing your account please contact the school office.



Elementary Awards

(These were presented June 24, 2010)

Parent Council Student Achievement Awards

- Gr. 1: Jaycie & Ethan
- Gr. 2: Shayla & Kade
- Gr. 3: Kimberlee & Evan
- Gr. 4: Braxton
- Gr. 5: Shelbie
- Gr. 6: Cheyenne

Citizenship Award

- Div 1: Chloe
- Div 2: Alexandra and
Hannah

Most Improved

- Div 1: Haylie
- Div 2: Chyanne

Kaye Imes Memorial Award

Paige

Kathy Rowe Memorial Award

Cheyenne

Honours Awards

- Gr. 1: Jaycie , Zoe,
Shelby, Cate,
Tara, Ashleigh,
Ethan, Jaidah,
Jordyn
- Gr. 2: Wyatt, Shayla,
Kade
- Gr. 3: Paige , Evan,
Austin , Chloe
- Gr. 4: Sheena, Elysia,
Braxton
- Gr. 5: Cullen , Logan,
Hannah , Alexandra,
Coleton , Shelbie
- Gr. 6 Devon Danylchuk



Synervoice.

A New Communication Program for
Student Attendance and Announcements!

Starting this school year our school has been using a new communication program which, in addition to make student absentee phone calls, can be used for public announcements to inform parents of up-coming events. The system is set to call home phone numbers. If parents would prefer that the automated dialing program call a different phone number (cell number, work number, email etc.) please call the school and we can customize the callout feature to ensure you receive the information based on your preference.

Traffic Congestion & Parking on 46th Street Adjacent to the School

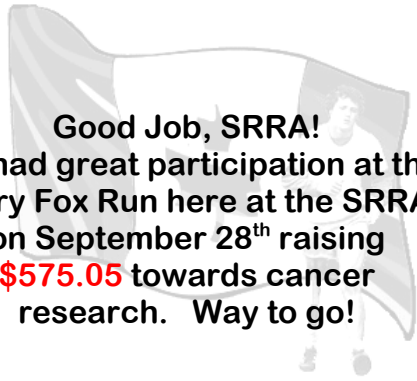
There are certain times throughout the day that 46th street is extremely congested with parked vehicles, on both sides of the street, dropping off and/or waiting to pick up students. In some instances our neighbor's driveways have even been blocked off by parked vehicles making it impossible for them to either leave or park in their driveways.

We request that when you drop off or pick-up students that you park only on the school side (east side) of the street and that you follow the "15 minute maximum" parking signs. Parking on the west side requires students to cross the street as well as narrows the street creating a safety concern for student pedestrians. There are also some parking spots available in staff parking lot that could be used for the "15 minute maximum" parking.

Please help us address this traffic congestion safety issue by following these requests.



Good Job, SRRA!
We had great participation at the Terry Fox Run here at the SRRA on September 28th raising **\$575.05** towards cancer research. Way to go!



2011 Career Connections

Grande Prairie Composite High School
Tuesday, October 4th 7 to 8:30pm

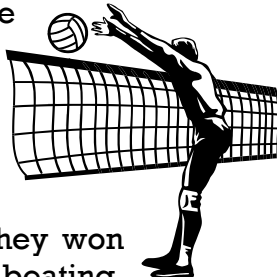
VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

The varsity girls' played in the annual Big Red Volleyball Tournament hosted by GPRC on September 23rd & 24th. The girls' played very well finishing the tournament with a bronze medal.

Stef was named to the tournament All-Star team. The girls' now travel to the Spruce Grove International Tournament on Thanksgiving weekend.

Reminder that we will be hosting the ASAA 2A Girls' Volleyball Provincials in Spirit River from November 24th-26th, 2011.

The varsity boys' played in the annual Big Red Volleyball Tournament hosted by GPRC. The boys lost out on the consolation side to La Crete in the third game. The boys then travelled to High Prairie on September 30 and October 1, where they played well. They won the tournament beating



Donnelly in the final in two straight sets. Matt was named the tournament MVP. The boys' are travelling to Spruce Grove International Tournament on Thanksgiving weekend.

JR GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Congratulations to the Junior A Girls Volleyball team on winning gold at the Ecole Heritage tournament this past weekend.



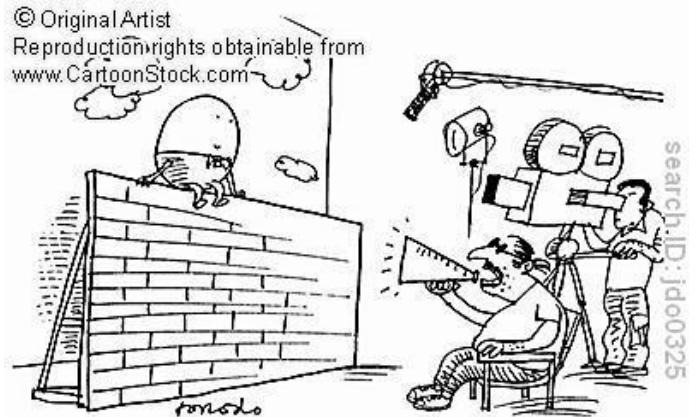
Cross Country

Congratulations to the SRRA runners at Dreamer's Lake on September 28th.

They are Shannon, Brooke and Bailey along with Tanner who won gold and Karsten who won silver in the intermediate men category. They all did very well and are looking forward to Zones next week.



JOKE OF THE WEEK



"OK H.D.- Break a leg."

Mr. Martin's Chess Puzzles

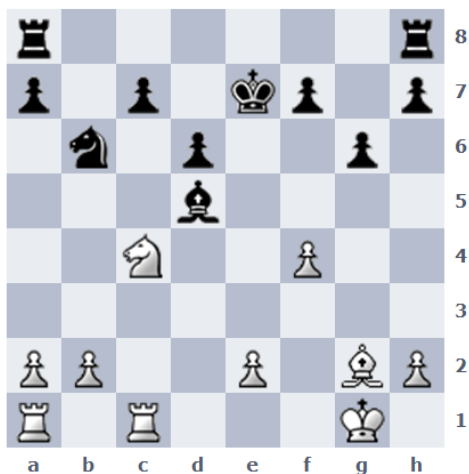
Mr. Martin's challenge: If you see a better solution to my puzzles, show me. If convinced, will buy you lunch at the school!

Point values of the pieces:

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|------------|------------------|
| pawn – 1 | Bishop – 3 |
| Knight – 3 | Rook – 5 |
| Queen - 9 | King – priceless |

It is white's move and white is behind one pawn. In other words, white is losing by a goal.

However, white is in a position to score and move into the lead by 2. What is white's best move to win material?



Kc4 x Kb6
 Black's rook is now
 threatened. Black must take
 white's knight in exchange.
 Black's bishop is now left
 hanging.



**Peace Wapiti
 Public Schools
 Transportation
 Department**
*is recruiting spare school bus
 drivers
 for all areas of our Division.
 All necessary training will be
 provided.*
*If you have time in the morning
 and afternoon
 please contact Joanne Peters,
 Transportation Student Manager
 @ 780-532-7734.*

D3yc
 (Deanery 3 Youth Committee)
Youth Group Tour 2011-12
 October 21, 2011
 Beaverlodge St. Mary's Catholic Church
 Basement. 7 to 9:30 pm

