

# CLASSROOM NEWSLETTER

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## Look At What We're Learning!

### ENGLISH

- In our English class we're learning about the concept of "The Hero's Journey" in our Greek Mythology and how this story structure continues in our media even to this day.
- We're also continuing with learning to be more descriptive in our writing following the "Show, Don't Tell method".
- Later in the month, students will begin their short story assignment to demonstrate their new descriptive writing skills.

### SOCIAL STUDIES

- In Social Studies 8 we're learning about the history of Canada, including historic events and the cultural significance of these events. Also, we're learning about the culture of Canada and what makes our country unique.
- In Social Studies 9: we'll be learning about the fall of the Roman Republic and its replacement with the Roman Empire.

### MATH

- Math 6: Area of a rectangle.
- Math 7: Operations with fractions.
- Math 8: Sales taxes and ratios.
- Math 9: Multiplying and dividing polynomials.

### CAREER

- In Career, students are finishing their essays on time management and will soon start their book study on setting purposeful goals.

### ART / PAA

- In art the students are beginning their music unit, while in PAA the students are learning about "Tourism in Saskatchewan".



## Fun facts about May



- May is the only month that never begins or ends on the same day of the week.
- May's birthstone is the emerald.
- May is named after the Roman goddess Maia.
- Some studies suggest that people born in May tend to have positive attitudes.
- The Anglo-Saxons referred to May as "Tri-Milchi," as cows could be milked three times a day due to the lush spring grass.
- May 4th is National Star Wars Day! As in: May the 4th Be With You.



## Upcoming

- Friday, May 9th: Mother's Day Tea
- Tuesday, May 13th Track & Field Meet @ Gull Lake
- Monday, May 19th: Victoria Day (No School)
- May 21st: Track and Field Sectionals & Flower Order delivery.
- May 31st: Val Marie Grad