

# **Angus Morrison ES**

### Week At A Glance

## **September 18, 2023**

### **WEEKLY NEWS AND REMINDERS**

New Safe Arrival System For SCDSB Schools – call 1-888-885-8065 to report an absence The Simcoe County District School Board (SCDSB) has a new Safe Arrival system at elementary schools. This system will support us in continuing to improve our home-to-school communication process and streamline absence reporting. To report a student absence, call 1-888-885-8065. Callers will be prompted to identify the school before leaving a message. Guardians should spell the student's name, say the teachers' name, dates, and reason for the absence. When schools do not hear from a parent/guardian, and a student is absent, the school will call home to find out the reason for the absence. If you have questions about the new system, please contact the Simcoe County District School Board. If you call the school directly to report an absence, you will be redirected to call the toll free number.

**School Cash Online** Please complete the permissions and acknowledgements form on SchoolCash Online to allow your child(ren) to participate in activities such as community walks, safe arrival, etc. Please visit <a href="https://simcoecounty.schoolcashonline.com">https://simcoecounty.schoolcashonline.com</a>

**Re-organization** Yearly, the SCDSB undertakes a process to balance our classes to be compliant with Ministry guidelines for classrooms. This sometimes necessitates the movement of students and restructuring of classes. Next week, communication will come directly to you if your child is affected by this process. New school organization will be effective on September 27, 2022.

**Volunteers Needed** Would you like to help out at school? Volunteer with Lunch Days? Assist in our Snack Program? Read with students or be a special buddy? Attend Field Trips and Special Events? Please register at <a href="Parent Portal-Simcoe County District School Board">Parent Portal - Simcoe County District School Board</a>. You will be required to complete a CRC/VSC (record check). Please return your completed CRC/VSS to the school to complete the process. If you have questions, please call the school office 705-424-5701.

**September PA Day** Please note that Friday, Sept. 22 is a PA Day for all SCDSB students. Please refer to the 2023-24 School Year Calendar on the SCDSB website for more information: <a href="www.scdsb.on.ca/elementary/planning">www.scdsb.on.ca/elementary/planning</a> for school/school year calendar.

## **Weekly Schedule**

Monday 18 Day 5	
Tuesday 19 Day 1	Flag Football Tryouts 3:35-5:00pm Cross Country 3:35-4:30pm **All permission forms must be filled out before participating**
Wednesday 20 Day 2	Rowan's Law Day
Thursday 21 Day 3	International Day of Peace Flag Football Tryouts 3:35-5:00pm Cross Country 3:35-4:30pm
Friday 22 Day	PA Day (No School)

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

September 27 - Elementary Turnaround Day

September 28 - Volunteer Coffee Morning 9:45-10:45am (School Library)

October 9 - Thanksgiving (No School)

October 14 - AMES Terry Fox Run rain or shine

October 18 - Grade 7 Vaccination Clinic

October 20 - PA Day (No School)

#### **Days of Celebration**

September 19 - Ganesh Chaturthi (Hinduism)

**September 19 - Powley Day (Indigenous World View)** 

September 19 - Samvatsari/Paryushan Parva ends/Daslakshan Parva begins (Jainism)

September 20 - Kshamavani or 'Forgiveness Day' (Jainism)

September 20-26 - Festival of Higan-e (Buddhism)

September 21 - Harvestide/Mabon/Fall Equinox (Wicca)

#### **Quote Of The Week:**





September 28, 2023 from 9:45-10:45am at Angus Morrison Elementary School library

Angus Morrison Elementary School is looking for help with:

- Reading Buddies
- Snack Program
- School Lunches
- In-School Events

Current volunteers welcome too!

Join us for coffee & treats and get
all the information you need for
volunteering at the school!

