



# January 2025



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## Important Dates

**Winter Break**  
Dec 23, 2024- Jan 3, 2025

**New Year's Day**  
Jan 1, 2025  
(Closed)

**Jan 29, 2025**  
PD Day

## Winter Break 2024 -2025 Operations

The School Location will re-open on  
January 2, 2025.

## THANK YOU! CASINO VOLUNTEERS

We would like to send a huge thank you to all the RSOSC casino volunteers who came out on December 16 & 17, 2024 to the Starlight Casino who helped to make the casino fundraiser a big success!

Funds raised from the event have not been received yet. An update will be provided in early Spring 2025.

## January 2025 Fee Increase

Please bring in supplemental cheques for the \$45/ child per month fee increase for January 2025 – June 2025 fee increase by January 2, 2025  
(Note: the fee increase is only for children in Grades 1-6)

New prices effective January 1, 2025:

Grade 1 – 6

Full Time = \$660/ child per month

Part Time = \$610/ child per month

Kindergarten

\$800/ child per month

(note: price is unchanged)

Drop In

Regular School Day = \$35/ child per day

Full Day Child Care = \$50/ child per day

### Cut-off arrival times for AM Child Care:

#### RSS Location:

Richard Secord – 8:15 a.m.

Westbrook – 8:00 a.m.

#### ELC Location:

Richard Secord – 8:00 a.m.

Greenfield – 8:15 a.m.

If your child/ren are dropped off after the cut off time, we cannot guarantee we will be able to walk them to school.

### Staff Appreciation Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our staff appreciation fundraiser due to your generous contributions, we were able to raise over \$4,000 for our educators this holiday season.

### Winter Craft & Bake Sale Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who stopped by to purchase items from the sale on Dec 18 & 19, 2024! The centre was able to raise over \$500.

### Reminders

If your child will be absent, please ensure you notify the centre in advance. We will expect all children to be attending each day unless notified otherwise.

When notifying the centre of your child being sick, please state what your child's symptoms are to the staff, as per Alberta Health Services standard we need to keep a record.

**Please do not let anyone into the centre.** It is the responsibility of the RSOSC staff to answer the door to ensure we are aware of all people entering the building.

Please ensure to send your child with appropriate gear for the weather each day. Each child should arrive to the centre every day with clothing appropriate for playing outside everyday.

*\*\*As per the Parent Handbook, "a fee of \$2.00 a minute per child will be charged for each minute after 6:00 p.m. that a child remains at the Centre."*



### **Staff Appreciation for the Month**



Reena has been a great addition to our team, since she joined in June 2024. She is friendly and eager to help wherever she is needed. When injuries have occurred at the centre, she has been quick to respond with getting help as well as applying first aid. When difficult situations arise between the children, she has been ready and eager to step in to help resolve the issue with the kids and to assist them with developing their problem-solving skills. Reena has also been great at providing additional activities for the kids based on their interests. We are very fortunate to have Reena on our team. Thank you Reena for all your hard work and contributions to the centre!