Bowden Grandview School

October 11, 2022

ORANGE SHIRT DAY

Last week, classrooms discussed and shared knowledge about their understanding of Truth and Reconciliation. Alberta's commitment to incorporate First Nations, Métis and Inuit perspectives and experiences into the education system was reaffirmed on March 27, 2014, at the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC) event in Edmonton. This commitment included:

- mandatory content for all Alberta students on residential schools and treaties
- a Kindergarten to Grade 12 curriculum development standard
- support for professional learning opportunities for teachers Grade 1-6 gathered on Thursday, led by Mrs. Lentz drumming group / choir and explored the idea of "clans". Our goal - discuss and share what we already believe that Bowden Grandview School is a " family of learners". Within our family, we have many attributes and qualities that we share with one another. Students and staff were divided into 7 clans: EAGLE [LOVE], BUFFALO [RESPECT], BEAR [COURAGE], SASQUATCH[HONESTY],

BEAVER [WISDOM], WOLF [HUMILITY], and TURTLE [TRUTH]. Each group gathered to discuss what their particular animal represented including the importance of each animal and their attributes. After brainstorming, groups created a flag/banner/crest to showcase their animal and presented it to the other groups. We hope to have these clans work together soon to continue their cross graded bonds.









Grade 7-12 Awards Night is on Friday October 14th at 7 pm in the gym. Awards will celebrate achievements from the 2021-22 school year. Students receiving awards have been contacted via email but all are welcome and encouraged to attend! If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Dye through the office or at vdye@cesd73.ca





Thank you to Pat Filipenko for donating Cross Country uniforms for our team.





IT'S BALL HOCKEY SEASON!

Join Ms.W from the YES program on the tennis courts at lunch for drop in Ball Hockey

MONDAYS 12-12:40PM TENNIS COURTS

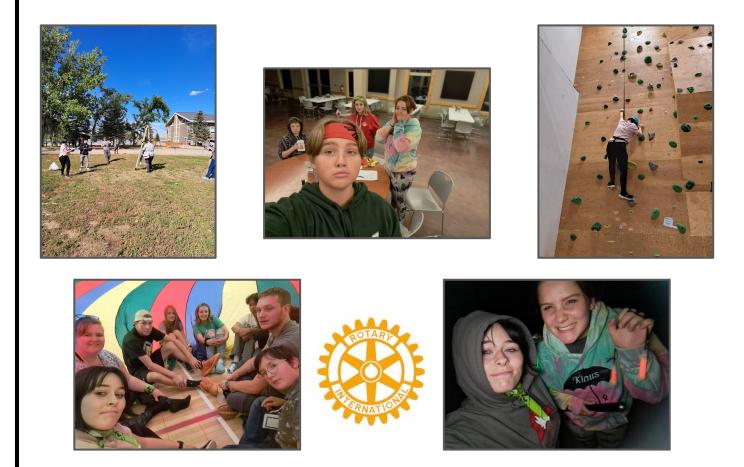
For more info,email kweisbrodt@cesd73.ca



ADVENTURES WITH THE INNISFAIL ROTARY CLUB

The Innisfail Rotary Club provided an amazing opportunity for one of our BGS students, **Rotary Youth Program on Enrichment (RYPEN).** They sponsored Erica LeBlanc, a Bowden Grandview student, who attended Rypen a few weeks ago. Located on the Little Bow Travers Reservoir, RYPEN Supports youth to find their voice. It is a camp experience, where the participants are involved in a variety of sessions, workshops and activities. Each activity provides the opportunity for these students to build skills in areas like leadership, friendship, working as part of a team, goal setting, communication, challenging oneself and contributing to a community.

The Innisfail Rotary Club provides many different learning opportunities and activities for students at BGS. These include Adventures in Agriculture, Adventure in Citizenship, Leadership, Technology and Enrichment Camps. If you would like to know more about one of these opportunities or know of a student you think might benefit from any of these opportunities, please contact: Donna Lynn Anderson at the school 403-224-3422.



BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

OPEN FOR REGISTRATION

BGC Olds and Area is excited to partner with Bowden Grandview School to offer before and after school care!

THE DETAILS

BGC Olds and Area has been providing licensed before and after school programs for children in Olds and area for the past 38 years! Our program provides children with a safe place to go in the out of school hours where they can have fun, interact with their peers, and develop skills that will last a lifteime

Before School - \$250 After School - \$310 Full time - \$380 Before and after kindergarten - \$175 Drop in \$20/segment

***Subsidies are available through the Government of Alberta for families with a household income less then \$89,999

REGISTRATION Contact Ashley

403–598–7663 ashleybgcolds@outlook.com

Olds & Area

FUN FRIDAYS

AFTER SCHOOL UNTIL 4PM



GRADE 4/5	GRADE 6-8
OCT.14	NOV 4
DEC .2	JAN.13
FEB.3	MAR 3
MAR.17	APR.21
MAY 12	JUN.9





SKILLS AND DRILLS Volleyball Club



GR 6-8 GIRLS Mondays October & November



Mental Health Capacity Building





Bowden Grandview School Council 2022-2023

The School Council at BGS is a group of parents, administrators, the Town of Bowden, our Ward 5 School Board Trustee and other community stakeholders that meet monthly to discuss ideas related to the school. It provides a forum to discuss concerns, celebrate successes, and plan for the future. The School Council through The Friends of Grandview (FOG) also fundraisers for a number of enrichment programs.

This may include:

Playground Development Teacher Appreciation Events Fine Arts Performances Advanced Technology Purchases For The Classrooms Music program Life Skills Program Breakfast Program Support for Grads

The School Council is committed to offering a number of ways to get involved. Being a parent volunteer is one more way to stay connected and involved in your child's educational experience. The activities you choose to undertake do not have to be overly time-consuming. We welcome new members and volunteers to come out to our council. You can make a difference!

We are meeting through **Google Meets at 12:00pm** on the following dates this year:

September 20, October 18, November 15, December 20, January 24, February 28, March 14, April 18, May 16, June 20. All meetings begin at noon.

Please contact us at <u>bgscouncil@gmail.com</u> to be sent a link. We look for ward to having you.

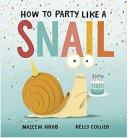


Literacy Corner

Before we officially launch into spooky season, I wanted to share a collection of Laugh-Out-Louds for the entire family to enjoy! Snag one of these titles and cuddle up with your family for a storytime of pure pleasure and giggles! What LOL book would you add to your weekend reading list?

Naseem Hrab's How to Party like a SNAIL

Snail loves everything about parties but the noise! When parties get loud, Snail retreats into his shell. He's still partying, but no one can tell he's having a good time while he's tucked inside. With Snail's friends not able to understand him, his party invites begin to dry up.





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Sam Hearn's *Never Brush a Bear* introduces us to an adventurous and ambitious pet stylist who wants to style an animal he has never worked with before... a bear!

What happens when a one-horned calf with impeccable logic is convinced they're a unicorn? Helen Yoon spins an endearing comedy of self-determination for gigglers everywhere.





This must-read book is an innovative and deceptively simple journey of words that rhyme (or don't) with "parfait."

Indigenous Education

This Place 150 YEARS RETOLD Interest Age: 15–18 Grade: 9–12 In graphic novel format, Indigenous writers explore the untold stories of the past, present, and future in what is now Canada.



Purpose

Family Resource Network (FRN) focuses on prevention and early intervention services for families and youth aged 0-18 years. Funded by Alberta's Ministry of Children's Services, FRN believes that as long as a child is safe, they can achieve their greatest potential within their family unit. FRN educates parents and caregivers about child development, provides social supports, and offers coping and problem-solving skills in order to build resiliency and success within families and communities.

Process

Through a "hub and spoke" service delivery model, FRNs (hubs) coordinate delivery of all programs and services, which are accessed either directly through a hub or via collaborative partnerships and agencies (spokes). FRN offers programs geared towards early childhood development, child and youth development, parent education, family support, and home visitation. "Hubs" may deliver all services, coordinate independent "spoke" services, or empower "spoke" services to support more than one FRN "hub" throughout certain regions.

Outcomes

Using evidence-based and informed models, FRN employs a continuum of prevention and early intervention services to ensure that parents, caregivers, and children receive the care and tools they need to create strong family units, foster sense of belonging to a larger community, and thrive.

Program funded by:

Alberta's Ministry of Children's Services



Family Resource Network Hub & Spoke Services Locations:

Drumheller Hub Drumheller FRN

Innisfall Hub

Lacombe Hub

Red Deer Hub RedDeerFRN

Rocky Mountain House Hub RockyMountainHouseFRN

> Stettler Hub StettlerFRN

Wetaskiwin Spoke Services WetaskiwinFRNSpoke

For more information: Call:1(877)994-5465

Every day we help someone. How can we help you?

Family Resource Network



To support and encourage individuals and families to achieve their full potential as members of their community.



www.McManCentral.ca

Our Family Resource Network Services are available for all Albertans with children aged 0 - 18.

Services include:

Early Childhood Development

Early Childhood Development will serve families with children aged 0-6. Child activities will be directly related to: Fine Motor Skills, Gross Motor Skills, Communication Skills, Problem Solving Skills and Personal-Social Skills. Programs will include staff supervised Parent/Child Play; Developmental Screening Sessions with Ages and Stages Questionnaires; and Supported Play Sessions where collaborative partners (Occupational Therapists, Speech Pathologists) attend to assist parents with questions and strategies for improved developmental outcomes.





Child and Youth Development

Child and Youth Development will serve families with youth aged 7 - 18. Program examples are social skills groups, life skills groups, anger management groups, coping skills groups and youth leadership development.

Parent Education

Parent Education will serve families with children and youth aged OH8. Parent education curriculums used are empirically supported and evidence based. Further examples of programming include Connect, Kids Have Stress Too, Triple P, Circle of Security and Active Parenting.

Family Support

Family Support will serve families with children and youth aged 0 - 18. Programming is intended to build parental/caregiver resiliency and is focused on the family unit to promote family wellness. Programs are flexible and goal oriented to fit each family's specific needs with a focus on strengthening protective factors and reducing risk factors for all members of the family.

Home Visitation

Home Visitation will serve families with children aged 0-6. This program is designed to support families in providing a nurturing, stimulating and safe environment for their children from prenatal until the child turns six. Families with new bables participate in home visitation services by trained staff in a way that meets their specific needs.

> McMan Central is excited to receive your referrals for our new Family Resource Network Services.

> Please call 1-877-994-5465 to connect with one of our Networks.

Visit: (McManCentral

Friday, October 14th all Youth and Staff of Chinook's Edge School Division are welcome to attend for free. (please see attached poster)

