

October 25, 2021



Bowden Grandview School



Parents **PLEASE DO NOT** let your kids run out from cars to cross the street during pick up and drop off. Ideally if you could drop them off on the north side of the road west of the bus zone and have the children use the sidewalk side to exit the vehicle.

If using the south side of the road, please have them carefully use the crosswalks to get from one side of the street to the other. We have had a couple of close calls with kids darting out between buses or vehicles and not using the crosswalks.

Additionally, a reminder not to stop and drop your children off in the middle of the road but to pull up to the north curb west of the bus stop area.

Drivers please continue to exercise extreme caution when navigating the road in front of our school and keep your speed to 30 km or less. Please be extra watchful in case we do have a child pop out from between vehicles.

Thank you for your cooperation. Your child's safety is our first priority!



Student council is collecting food bank items to help scare away hunger. Donations will be going to Pastor Jason to be used in our community. Please have all food bank items to the school by October 29th.

Update

October 19, 2021



Parent Update October 19, 2021

Hello everyone, We wanted to make you aware of some changes that have been put forward by Alberta Education and Alberta Health Services recently. We have outlined all of these in an updated COVID-19 Protocols document. The key changes we want to bring to your attention are as follows:

- Alberta Health is now informing us when one of our students or staff members has potentially attended school while infectious with COVID-19. Once we have that information we will confirm that the positive COVID-19 case was in attendance on the given dates.
- Families will then be notified of positive COVID-19 cases that were infectious while at school.
- In Kindergarten through Grade 6, if there are three positive COVID-19 cases in a class within five calendar days, those classes will temporarily shift to at-home learning for ten calendar days.
- Outbreaks in schools will now be defined as 10 or more positive COVID-19 cases within a 14 day period.

It is important to note that we will only be made aware of those positive COVID-19 cases identified by Alberta Health Services (AHS) that have attended school while infectious. When we have been made aware of that information, and the attendance is verified, we will share it within a school community so that families know about the possible exposure to COVID-19.

If your school is identified with an outbreak you will receive a letter from Alberta Health Services. We will act on the direction that they provide to us to enhance our safety measures.

If there is an outbreak in a given school, we will consider moving certain grades or the entire school to temporary at-home learning. This would occur if there are particularly concerning safety issues and/or if we have difficulty maintaining operations because of a shortage of staff in the school.

Thank you for helping us keep our schools as safe as we possibly can.

Yours truly,

Kurt Sacher

Superintendent, Chinook's Edge School Division



Parent-Teacher Interviews

Dear Parents/Guardians of Grade 1-12 students,

Parent Student Teacher Interviews are scheduled for November 3 and November 4 from 3:30 pm to 6:30 pm each day. Unfortunately, due to COVID restrictions, all interviews will be conducted by either google meet or phone call.

This year, Chinooks Edge School Division has gone to an online booking system for Parent Student Teacher Interviews. The booking system will open for bookings this Monday October 18 at 9:00 am. Bookings will close Monday November 1 at 11:59 pm.

Instructions for using our online booking system: please visit our website at www.bowdengrandview.ca. Click on “Bookings” at the top of the page. Click on the event called “Grade 1-12: Nov 3 and 4 Parent Teacher Interviews”.

On the first screen, you will be asked to enter your name (Parent), your phone number and email address. Then you will be asked to choose your preference of either google meet or phone call. At the bottom of the first screen you will be asked to add your students. Click Next.

On the second screen, you will then be asked to choose which class and teacher for each child. Under Class, the default is “Bowden Grandview Teachers”. Please select this as the default. Then Click on teachers and it will list each teacher in our school. You will add one teacher at a time. You may have to scroll down as they are not listed in alphabetical order.

Once you have selected your child’s teachers, the next screen will allow you to pick what time you would like to book providing that time is available. A circle indicates that it is available. A dash indicates it is not available. The booking system only allows you to choose one time slot per teacher. Use the bar at the bottom to scroll to the right for later times.

Once you have completed your bookings, a confirmation screen will appear and a confirmation email will be sent to you. It will have a link you can click if you need to view, change or cancel a booking.

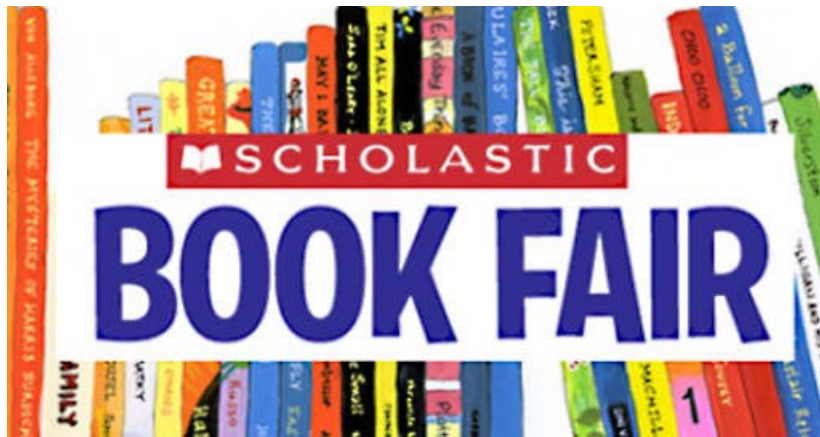
If you are not able to participate in the November 3 or November 4 interviews, or not able to book a time, please contact your child’s teacher.

If you are having issues with the booking system, please contact the office at 403-224-3422.

RENAISSANCE

Accelerated Reader®

BGS is having an Accelerated Reader challenge. Each grade is accumulating their words read. The grade with the most read words accompanied by an Accelerated Reader test will win our challenge. How many words can Bowden Grandview School read before December 17th?



Scholastic Book Fair coming November 1st-5th
Student in-person shopping or parent on-line shopping
Watch for Book Fair Flyers coming home this week.
Thank you for supporting the BGS library!

Congratulations to our Junior Volleyball team who had their first victory

Monday, October 18th!



Take Me Outside Day

Take Me Outside Day aims to raise awareness about outdoor learning by encouraging teachers to take their students outside for 1 hour on October 20th.

This year was the 11th annual Take Me Outside Day and we kicked it up a notch by asking the grade 3, 4, 5 and Life skills students to participate in a variety of activities partnered with Jade at FCSS.

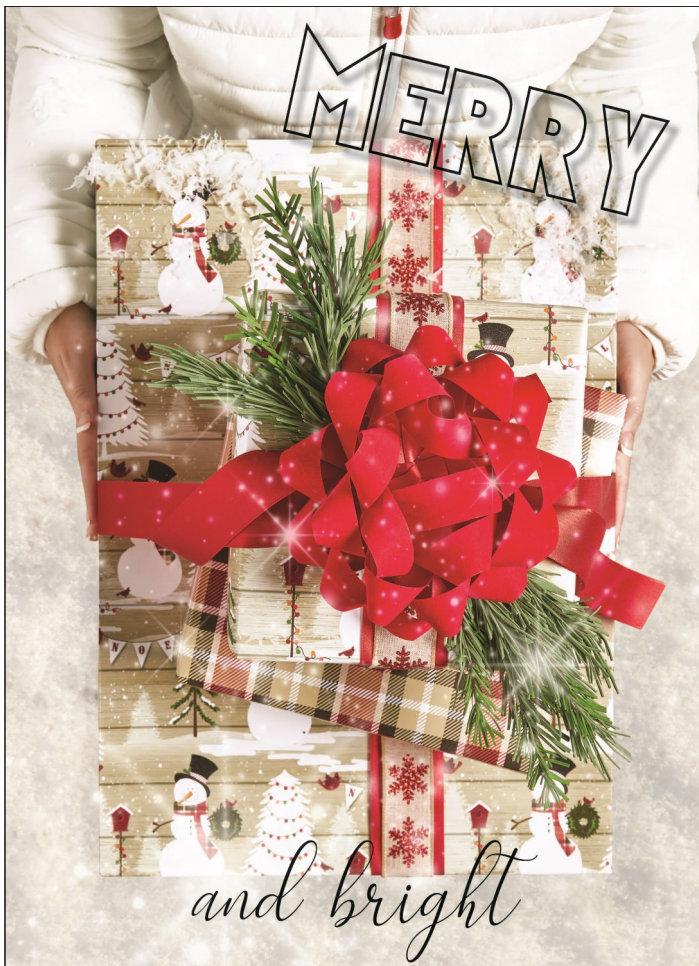
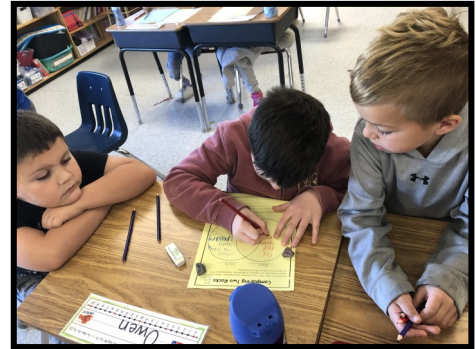
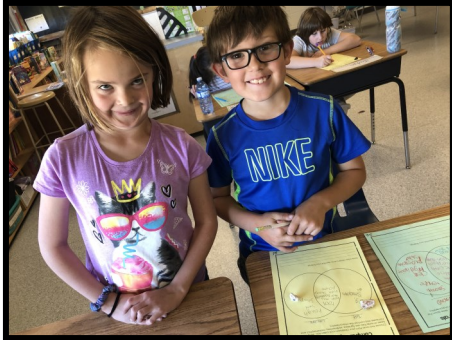
We took the afternoon learning about Bannock (reading Fry Bread written by Kevin Noble Maillard), made bannock and cooked it over the fire, played indigenous games and completed a scavenger hunt.

A beautiful day to deepen our connections with Indigenous perspectives, strengthen our health and well-being with outdoor learning, and share laughter with one another.



Grade 3

Comparing Rocks in Science



Just a reminder our Friends of
Grandview **Fundraiser** orders
are due on Nov 5th.

Dieleman Fundraising
www.SHOPDFCANADA.COM

ID# 7192

Remembrance Day Service

Do you have a family member that served? We would love a picture and a small write up or even a video that we could include in this year's VIRTUAL Remembrance Day Ceremony. If you are interested in providing this information, please send it to knorthrup@cesd73.ca by Wednesday, November 3rd at 9:00 am.



Providing one on one support
to youth struggling with;

Mental Health
High Conflict Divorce
Parent Conflict
Bullying
Uttering Threats
Inappropriate use of Social Media

We provide a free one on one support service to youth aged 13+ in the rural communities of Central Alberta. Our services are mobile, meeting the youth where they are at in their own community, while also providing food and personal hygiene products as needed.

We accept self referrals, community, school and RCMP referrals.

Phone; 403-318-7690

Email; louise@anamruralyouth.com



Grade 2 returned to The Jungle Farm on the afternoon of Friday, October 15. This was the group's first out of town field trip, and for many, their first time on a school bus! The students learned about what life was like on the prairies more than 100 years ago. They ground wheat to make flour, trampled through unbroken pasture, and of course PLAYED. The 2s enjoyed a snack and picked a pumpkin before heading back to school. It felt great to step outside the classroom, and thanks to everyone who joined us!



UN LIMITED CHAMPIONS

An Inclusive Group
Serving
Children With Special
Needs

Time: 4pm-5pm

**When: Every Other Wednesday
Starting October 6th**

Where: Virtual

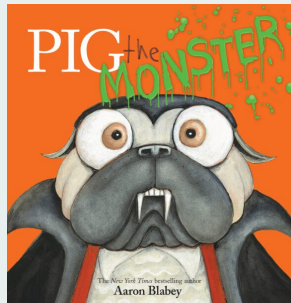
**Pre-registration is required
Please call or text Kristin at 403-877-7163**



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Literacy Education

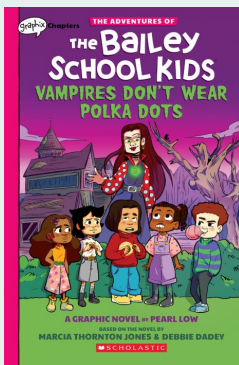
Pig the Monster Author: Aaron Blabey

Pig was a pug and I'm sorry to say, on Halloween Eve he'd get carried away...Pig, the world's greediest pug, is on the rampage for TREATS! TREATS! TREATS!



Pixie Tricks #4: The Halloween Goblin By Tracey West

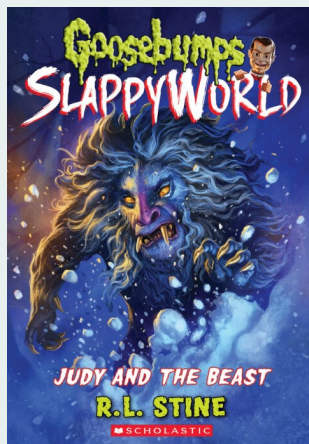
Violet and Sprite are hot on the trail of the escaped pixies, but the pixies are up to their own tricks and one puts a hiccup spell on Violet! But the big scare is Bogey Bill - a creepy goblin who wants every day to be as spooky as Halloween.



The Bailey School Kids Graphix #1: Vampires Don't Wear Polka Dots

By Debbie Dadey and Marcia Thornton Jones

The third graders at Bailey Elementary are so hard to handle that all of their teachers have quit. But their new teacher, Mrs. Jeepers, is different to say the least. She's just moved from the Transylvanian Alps into a spooky old house in Bailey City. She wears a mysterious brooch that glows as green as her eyes. Could Mrs. Jeepers be a vampire?



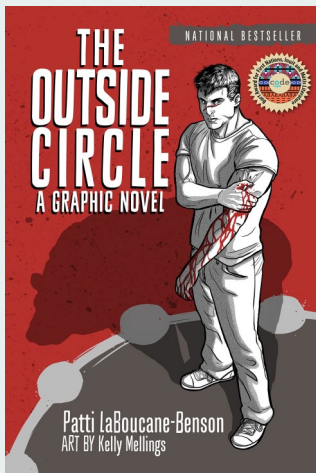
Goosebumps SlappyWorld #15: Judy and the Beast By R. L. Stine

Judy Glassman lives with her brother, Kenny, and father, Noah, in a village at the foot of Evil Rock. Every winter, Kenny accompanies their dad up to the mansion at the top of the mountain to assist the rich, eccentric Grendel family with their house repairs. But this year, Judy convinces her dad to let her come too. Judy has heard whispers about the Beast of Evil Rock — a half-human creature who stalks the crags. And she's determined to find out for herself if it's true. Will Judy discover the secret of Evil Rock before the Beast finds her first?



The Taking of Jake Livingston by Ryan Douglass

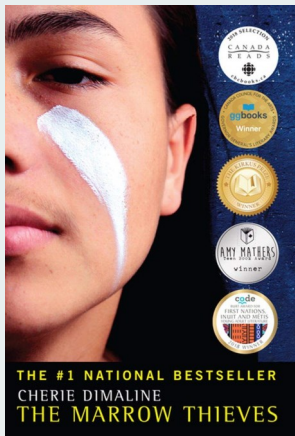
Sixteen-year-old Jake Livingston sees dead people everywhere. But he can't decide what's worse: being a medium forced to watch the dead play out their last moments on a loop or being at the mercy of racist teachers as one of the few Black students at St. Clair Prep. Both are a living nightmare he wishes he could wake up from. But things at St. Clair start looking up with the arrival of another Black student—the handsome Allister—and for the first time, romance is on the horizon for Jake.



Indigenous Education

The Outside Circle A Graphic Novel

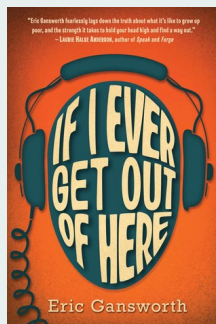
The Outside Circle tells the story of Pete, a young Aboriginal man who grew up in the inner-city and got wrapped up in gang violence and crime due to poverty.



The Marrow Thieves by

Cherie Dimaline

In a futuristic world ravaged by global warming, people have lost the ability to dream, and the dreamlessness has led to widespread madness. The only people still able to dream are North America's Indigenous people, and it is their marrow that holds the cure for the rest of the world.



If I Ever Get Out of Here by

Eric Gansworth

Acclaimed adult author Eric Gansworth makes his YA debut with this wry and powerful novel about friendship, memory, and the joy of rock 'n' roll.



FREE Family Swimming

Held at the Innisfail Aquatic Centre from 3 - 5 p.m.

on the 2nd Sunday of each month.

Space is limited. Pre-registration is required.

Sunday, October 10

Sunday, November 14

Sunday, December 12



ADMISSION (AGE 6+)
\$10/DAY
\$20/WEEKEND

1st Annual Red Deer International Powwow

OCTOBER 22 - 24, 2021

EXHIBITION HALL WESTERNER PARK
4847A 19TH STREET, RED DEER, ALBERTA

**GRAND ENTRY
AT 7PM SHARP**
SAT
Grand Entry 12pm & 7pm
SUN
Grand Entry 12pm

**HONOURING OUR
CHILDREN OF THE
PAST &
CELEBRATING OUR
YOUTH OF TODAY**

**MASTER OF
CEREMONIES**
Donald Speldel &
Hal Eagletail

ARENA DIRECTORS
George Desjarlais &
Eric Mentuck

**MUST SHOW PROOF OF
VACCINATION OR
NEGATIVE COVID-19 TEST**

TABULATIONS:
C&T Tabulators
DRUM JUDGE: TJ Warren
VENDORS: Curtis Miller Joe

SOUND
Parkland Audio
SPECIALS
TBA

GOLDEN AGE
55+
Ladies & Mens Categories

ADULT CATEGORIES
18-54

Men's Fancy, Men's Grass, Men's
Chicken, Men's Traditional,
Ladies Fancy, Ladies Jingle,
Ladies Traditional

TEEN CATEGORIES
13-17 YEARS
Teen Fancy, Teen Grass, Teen Chicken,
Teen Traditional, Teen Jingle

JUNIOR CATEGORIES
7-12 YEARS

Junior Fancy, Junior Grass,
Junior Chicken, Junior
Traditional, Junior Jingle

TINY TOT 0-6 YEARS

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Original & Contemporary
Combined

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PRIZE \$ INFORMATION ON WEBSITE

City of Red Deer Peavey Mart ATB Financial Shaw Communications Central Alberta Regional Consortium Red Deer Museum + Art Gallery Safe Harbour Chinooks Edge School Division Red Deer Catholic School Division Red Deer Aboriginal Dance Troupe Urban Aboriginal Voices

ACTIVE PARENTING

VIRTUAL



Sessions: Every Tuesday from 1pm-2:30pm
or
Every Wednesday from 7pm-8:30pm
for the Month of October



A comprehensive parenting program helping parents of kids ages 5 to 12 raise responsible, cooperative children who are able to resist negative peer pressure and thrive.

Please pre-register by contacting Kristin at
403-877-7163



Innisfail and Area FRN



7th Annual *Creating a Vision
for Non-Violence Conference*

November 12, 2021

**NOW
VIRTUAL**

8:30 am - 3:30 pm

Speakers Include:

Dr. Scott McLean: "Trauma and Victimization - A Child's Lens"

Sheryl Krill: "RESILIENCY: The Power of YOU"

Elena Esina: "Supporting the Supporters: The Role Informal Supporters Play in Preventing Domestic Violence"

Veronika Ilich: "Patriarchy Hurts Men Too: Engaging Men and Boys as Stakeholders in Gender Equality"

Camilla Jones: "The Gift of Laughter"

\$50/person, includes Speakers and Draws

FREE MAILED GIFT FOR THE FIRST 100 REGISTRANTS

Please register by October 22 @
<https://www.townofpenhold.ca/p/regional-vision-for-non-violence-conference-2021>

Email fcss@townofpenhold.ca or
visit visionfornonviolence.weebly.com
for more information.

REGISTER BY
SEPT. 30 FOR A
CHANCE TO WIN AN
EARLY BIRD PRIZE



OCTOBER 2021

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
					1 Stay, Play & Learn 10am-11am Lego Club 3:30pm-4:30pm	2
	ALL MATERIALS ARE FREE & CAN BE DELIVERED	CALL OR TEXT 403-877-7163 TO REGISTER				
4	Creative Masters 5:30pm-6:30pm	5 Stay, Play & Learn 9:30am-10:45am Active Parenting 1pm-2:30pm Impact Youth Club 4pm-5pm	6 Stay, Play & Learn 11am-12pm Un Limited Champions 4pm-5pm Active Parenting 7pm-8:30pm	7 Stay, Play & Learn 10am-11:30am	8 PDDAY Active Kids 10am-11am Art Attack 1pm-2:30pm	9
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IMPACT YOUTH CLUB

12+
Virtual

When: Every Tuesday

Time: 4pm-5pm

Please Pre-Register by Contacting
Kristin at 403-877-7163

ART ATTACK

6-10YRS
VIRTUAL



When: Every Other Friday Starting
October 8th

Time: 1pm-2:30pm



Please Pre-Register by Contacting Kristin at 403-877-7163

CREATIVE MASTERS

6-14YRS

VIRTUAL

Every Other Monday Starting October 4th
Time: 5:30pm-6:30pm

Pre-registration is required
Please contact Kristin at 403-877-7163



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Family
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Lego Club

6+yrs
Virtual

When: Every Other Friday Starting
October 1st

Time: 3:30pm-4:30pm



Pre-register by contacting Kristin
at 403-877-7163



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HOW DO YOU HANDLE FEAR & ANXIETY?



FEAR FIGHTERS!

FREE YOUTH EVENT

OCTOBER 30, 2021 ✨ 1:00 - 3:00 PM

HUNT THE FOREST FOR FUN & SPOOKY TREASURES

PLAY A GAME OF WITS... YOU'RE GONNA NEED THEM!

SEEK WISDOM FROM A HORSE ~ SHE WILL GUIDE YOU TO YOUR STRENGTH

Special Event Sponsored by Innisfail YAC & YPAC

Open to all Innisfail Youth age 13-18

Hosted by Confident Kids Canada

Sylvan Lake, AB ~ Transportation Available

more info & registration at:

www.confidentkidsCanada.ca

or 403-507-9619 *limited spaces available*



Strengthening The Mental & Emotional Health Of Youth & Families

Stay, Play and Learn

**2-5yrs
Virtual**

Tuesday's: 9:30am-10:45am

Wednesday's: 11am-12pm

Thursday's: 10am-11:30am

Every Other Friday: 10am-11am

Pre-registration is required

Please call or text Kristin at

403-877-7163



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WANTED: TEEN MENTORS

Contact Nichole at
nicholek@youthhq.ca
or 403-302-1389

BECOME A TEEN MENTOR!

- Mentor on your own time through a virtual platform.
- Teens can help their little in many ways like helping with homework or playing games
- Boost confidence through positive role modelling
- Learn new things, like trying a new craft or skill
- Develop leadership qualities
- Make great memories and ignite potential while having fun

YOUTH
HQ



Big Brothers Big Sisters
OF RED BEER AND DISTRICT





HOW IT WORKS?!

For ages 7 - 12

Has your child ever wondered what makes things work? We will use some tools and take apart some small appliances and electronics to see what make them work and what's under the cover.

DATES AND LOCATIONS

OLDS

October 26 | 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

SUNDRE

October 13 | 3:15 pm - 5:00 pm

CARSTAIRS

October 27 | 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

CREMONA

November 10 | 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

DIDSBURY

November 24 | 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

 New date!



Visit www.mvfrn.ca or email info@mvfrn.ca to register!

BGC Olds and Area and the Olds Regional Exhibition Present

Halloween Drive-in Movie

THE ADDAMS FAMILY



Where: Olds Regional
Exhibition

When: **October 30th 4pm**
(Parking Starts at 3:15)

Price: By Donation

****Limited Tickets Available****

