

# Bowden Grandview

September 12, 2022



Bowden Grandview School students were all smiles when returning to school! The Breakfast Program was in full swing thanks to Mrs. Carla Sparks and theme days kicked off the first week of school.



## What's Happening:

**Thursday, September 15th**

- Welcome Back BBQ
- Grad Ring Order

**Thursday, September 22**

- Terry Fox Day
- Smile Cookie Day

**Friday, September 23**

- No School

**Thursday, September 29**

- Orange Shirt Day

**Friday, September 30**

- No School—National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

## Choir

Students who love to sing are invited to join our in-school Choir program. We practice on Tuesdays during period 10. It is available for students in Grades 4,5, and 6. Our choir sings at special events and music festivals. Lots of fun!



# 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 lifetime

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 than \$89,999

## REGISTRATION

Contact Ashley

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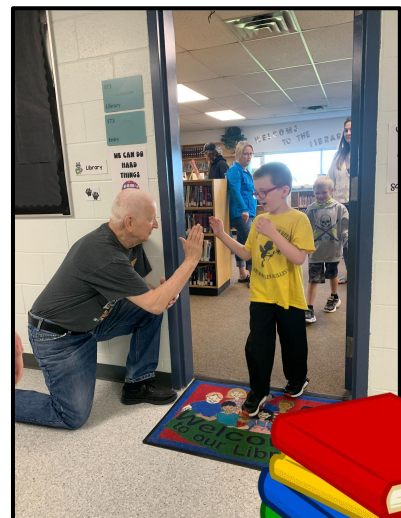
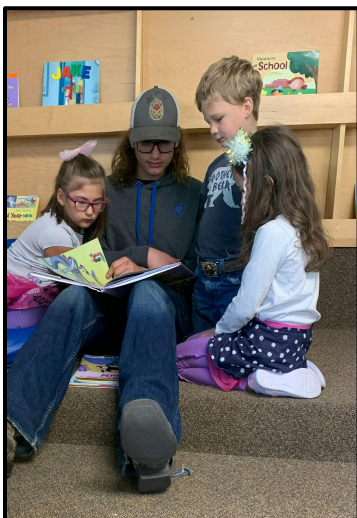


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Olds & Area

# Grade 1 & 12 Annual Breakfast

The grade 12 class welcomed the grade ones with a fantastic breakfast and a few stories! Mr. Filipenko has sponsored this event for numerous years. It is a memorable moment experienced by both grades!



Bowden FCSS & Bowden Grandview School invite you to:  
**Community Registration Night**  
For Bowden and Area  
September 15, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.

**FREE  
BBQ  
Supper**



2238 - 21 Avenue  
Bowden Grandview School  
BBQ hosted by FOG

Community  
Registration  
School Gym

To arrange a free registration table,  
contact 403-224-2207  
or fcss@bowden.ca



Time to break up with your couch and  
get back to your Favorite Fall Activities!



**BOWDEN**

## Class of 2023 – It's Your Time To Shine!



Order Day – Thursday, September 15th

(get your finger sized, ask questions, try on rings, place your order)

Time – 11:30 to 12:45

Interested in other Class of 2023 items? – [www.jostenscanada.com/classof2023](http://www.jostenscanada.com/classof2023)

Order Now & Have Your Jewelry  
For All Of Grade 12

Monthly Payment Plans Are  
Available

Design Your Jewelry @ [www.jostens.com](http://www.jostens.com)



A \$129  
VALUE!

Order Your Jewelry in School & Receive Free Wireless Earbuds  
(excludes Tradewinds rings, P rings & Senior Jewelry)

Sean & Denise Kelly – 403.252.1774 – [sean.kelly@jostens.com](mailto:sean.kelly@jostens.com)





## Smile Cookies

Make Someone SMILE on September 22nd with a cookie from Tim Hortons.

Pre-order your Smile Cookies today! Each cookie costs \$1 dollar. Cookie sales start on Wednesday, September 14<sup>th</sup> until Tuesday, September 20th.

**You can purchase the cookies in front of the Grade 6 room for yourself or buy one for a friend. Fill out the name and Grade you wish to give the SMILE COOKIE to.**

**The Grade 6 class will hand them out on Thursday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>.**

Proceeds go to: Bowden Grandview School  
**Smile....pass it on!!**



## **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 [bqscouncil@gmail.com](mailto:bqscouncil@gmail.com) to be sent a link. We look forward to having you.



# Literacy Corner

"IT'S CORN! A big lump with knobs. It has juice! I can't imagine a more beautiful thing. Thi's corn! I can tell you all about it. I mean, look at this thing. When I tried it with butter everything changed!" - TARIQ

There is not much on corn out there as far as kids literature goes, but I wrangled up a few to mark this moment in POP culture history.



# Indigenous Education

"All over the world, cultures and communities have mapped the moon cycle, which happens 13 times per year, in cycles of 28 days. For many Nations, including the Anishinabek Nation, there are teachings and other culturally important aspects of the moon cycle, which is associated with women's menstrual cycles as well as other natural phenomena like the tides. Indigenous teachers and knowledge keepers can provide more specific information on the teachings that go with each moon, which will depend on their particular history and culture."

## Corn Moon

August - Corn Moon (Mdaamiin Giizis):

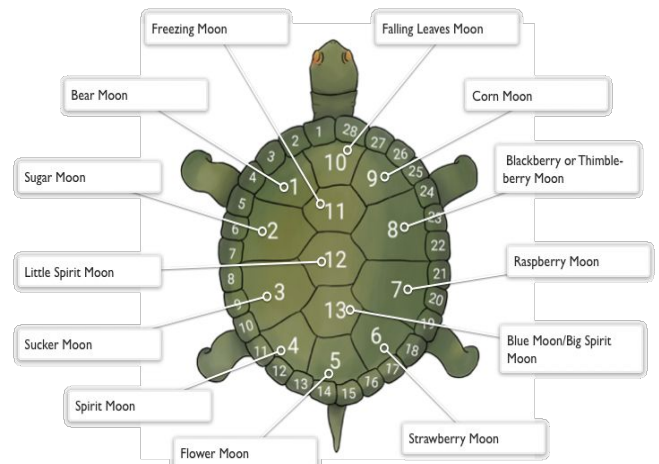
This moon teaches about the cycle of life. Each cob of corn should have 13 rows of kernels, which represent future generations who have yet to begin their journey of life.

## Falling Leaves Moon

September - Falling Leaves Moon (Biinaakwe Giizis):

This is a time when it is said that all of creation makes offerings to Mother Earth. The beautiful colours of fall and the awakening of spirits happens during this tenth moon.

Information about the moons and image came directly from <https://ecampusontario.pressbooks.pub/>



# BOXITECTS

What to do when it's the second day of school, you're missing six students, and it's the Friday before a long weekend? Improvise, of course! The grade 2s read the book "Boxitects" by Kim Smith which is a great story built upon the facets of creativity and teamwork. The students excitedly brainstormed their creations and brought them to life in an hour... using several large boxes leftover from maintenance work over the summer. In the end, we had two race cars, an airplane, three boats, and a house. And of course the most important thing... FUN!!!

