

Bowden Grandview School



September 18, 2023



What's Happening:

September 20

- Parent Grad Meeting

September 21

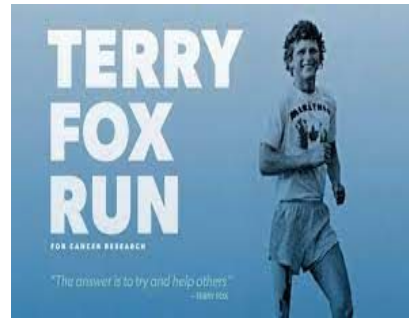
- Terry Fox Run

September 29

- Orange Shirt Day
- Jr/Sr Hike

October 13

- Jr/Sr High Awards Night



Please join Bowden Grandview School for our Terry Fox Run on September 21, 2023 @ 2:00pm

Students are encouraged to bring 'A Toonie For Terry'. All donations may be submitted to their homeroom teacher.

Just a reminder to please be respectful of the "No Parking in the bus lane during drop off and pick up" Thank you!



The grade one/two class and the grade 12 students shared breakfast and a story to celebrate the beginning and ending of their k-12 journey. Thank you to Mr. Filipenko for sponsoring this annual event!

We now have a debit machine at the office for all your payment needs!



Academic Awards

The Academic Awards Ceremony will be Friday, October 13th. Students being recognized will receive prior notice.

Blazer Athletics

Volleyball

BGS will have two girls volleyball teams representing us this year in the CESAA league - a JV team and a middle school A team! We are wishing our athletes all the best as they compete this year.

The game schedule will be shared if you are interested in attending and supporting our teams!

Please see attached poster in regards to a volleyball reffing opportunity. Many schools are in need of interested and knowledgeable volleyball refs.

Cross Country Running

Our cross country running team has taken off and will begin practicing next week. Please wish them luck on their season if you see them out and about!

KM Club

Students in grades K-6 are competing in a school wide KM Club during lunches. They will compete against other classes to see who can accumulate the most KM. At the end of October, the winning class will receive a pizza party for all their hard work running and walking. Please encourage your student to complete some KM to help their class out during KM Club lunchtimes.

Upcoming dates

- September 21** Terry Fox Run (more info coming soon)
- September 27** Volleyball Clinic at Olds College (open to grade 9-12 students playing on a team)
- October 5** Grade 1 to 6 students - Fun Run in Innisfail
CENAA Cross Country Race (Jr. High Cross Country Team)
- October 11** High School Cross Country Zones - Red Deer



Parent School Council

Friends of Grandview (FOG)

What is School Council?

School Council is a structured group of parents, principals, teachers, secondary students, and community representatives who work together to effectively support and enhance student learning. They provide a means for members of the school community to consult with and provide advice to the principal and the school board.

At Bowden Grandview we meet every 3rd Tuesday of the month at NOON until 1pm, through a google online meet. We have a structured agenda where each member gives a report in their area such as the Town, School Board, FCSS, we also have a section called Parent Questions. If a parent has a question we ask they email the question to bgscouncil@gmail.com.

If you would like to join the monthly meeting please email the above email to be added to the list.

Breakfast Program

Volunteers serve toast, fruit, and a small variety of other items each morning. They start at 8am so when the school doors open the toast is ready for all our students to enjoy. This is available for free to ALL students through donations and grants.

Welcome back **WAFFLE & SAUSAGE DAY** will be **Thursday Sept 21!**

To volunteer email: bgscouncil@gmail.com

What is FOG? Friends Of Grandview

This is our very own Fundraising group. A group of parent volunteers who work together to organize fundraisers for our school community. These funds work to supplement programs in the school such as gym equipment, playground additions, and other programs that fall short in funding. New volunteers always welcome!!

For more info contact Carla at (403)506-5222

Fundraisers

Eagle Creek Farms Vegetable Fundraiser has been sent home with youngest or only students and is in the newsletter. Order **deadline** is **Monday, October 16th** and delivery will be **Monday, October 30th**

Eagle Creek Farms

Vegetable Fundraiser

Who are We?

Eagle Creek Farms is a 4th generation farm that began growing vegetables in the 1960's. We grow Veggies, Seed Potatoes & Sunflowers. Cut Flowers and have been Certified Organic Since 2018. All the vegetables supplied in the fundraiser have been grown, washed and packed on the farm. We have created this fundraiser with Carrots, Potatoes, Beets and Cabbage.

Why Participate?

- Schools keep 30% of sales
- Families enjoy locally grown freshly harvested Alberta Vegetables.
- Families have the opportunity to visit the the Bowden Sunmaze to see where and how we grow the vegetables

How it works

- We grow and package the veggies
- Students sell the veggies
- We will deliver the bagged produce to your pickup location/date

ORDER DEADLINE: Monday, Oct. 16

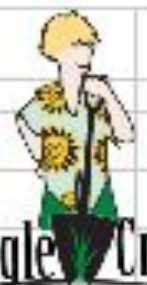
Delivery date will be Monday, Oct. 30!

Please make cheques payable to: *Friends of Bowden Grandview (FOG)*

Any questions please reach out to Rayell at rayell@eaglecreekfarms.ca



Vegetable Fundraiser



Eagle Creek Farms

Student:

Grade:

Phone:

Orders Due:

Cheques Payable to:

Order Pickup:

Customer Name & Phone	Carrots		Beets	Cabbage	Potatoes #2 Grade		I Love Local Veggies Bundle	Order Total
	2lb \$5	7lb large \$10	4lb \$10	3-4lbs \$5	10lbs Red \$12	10lbs Yellow \$12	10lb Red Potato, 7lb Large Carrots, 1 Cabbage & 2lb Beet \$27 (\$32 value)	
TOTAL								

All Vegetables are Certified Organic and Grown at Eagle Creek Farms, Home of the Bowden SunMaze, in Bowden Alberta
 Questions? Please email rayell@eaglecreekfarms.ca





Thanks to Eagle Creek Farms for hosting the grade 5 class. Students enjoyed the opportunity to learn and explore the farm on a beautiful afternoon.





PARENTS, WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK! PLEASE TAKE OUR SURVEY!

We're updating the Chinook's Edge website.
We want to know what you like about the current website, and what you think needs to be improved.

Your opinion will help us!

TAKE THE SURVEY:

Survey closes October 2, 2023

Click [here](#)



VOLLEYBALL **Officials Needed**

Looking to ref local high school volleyball games? Come out for an informal night of learning.

When: Tuesday September 19 at 5:00pm

- At Olds College
- Information session at 5:00
- Refing games start at 6:30

REGISTRATION:

Contact Ian Bates
ibates@cesd73.ca
403-335-3356

- Potential to become an qualified carded official.



Join the ADVENTURE!

Grades 9 -12

****Experience Two Iconic Cities:****
Explore the bustling streets of New York City and the historic landmarks of Washington, D.C. in one unforgettable trip!

APRIL 2024

For ALL the details
Visit <https://www.eftours.ca/tour-website/2616202HN>

**IT'S NOT TOO
LATE TO JOIN !**

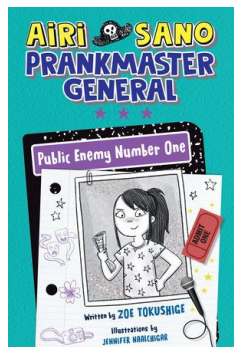
Payment plans
offered - travel
now, pay later

Contact Mrs. Crandall kcrandall@cesd73.ca



Call 1-800-263-2806 to enroll

Literacy Corner



Airi Sano, Prankmaster General: Public Enemy Number One by Zoe Tokushige

Airi is back for another hilarious story of friendship and pranks, and this time, there's drama—literally! Perfect for fans of *Dork Diaries* and *Diary of a Wimpy Kid*!

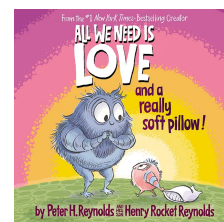
Book Launch - September 19, 2023

All We Need Is Love and a Really Soft Pillow! by Peter H. Reynolds (Author, Illustrator), Henry Rocket Reynolds (Author)

Coming off our celebration of International Dot Day, we would like to share a new story from Peter Reynolds.

A tender and timeless tale about what truly matters: LOVE -- from creative visionary of *The Word Collector*, *Happy Dreamer*, and *The Dot*, #1 *New York Times* bestseller Peter H. Reynolds!

Hardcover – Oct. 3 2023



Indigenous Education

CALLING ALL ARTISTS OF BGS!



Bark Paintings, Ochre Paintings, Fibre Art, Wood Carvings and Sculpture, Paintings on Canvas, Linen or Board, Works on Paper, Textiles, and various other forms

We are looking for creative Indigenous Art to display in our school. If anyone is interested in showcasing their art in various mediums; we would love to have it submitted. We would love to have this art to showcase by Wednesday, September 27th. Please submit your work to Mrs. Sietzema.



BEFORE/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!

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 Kass

(403) 559-4884

kassbgcolds@outlook.com

Meet the Leaders

Hi, my name is Miss Molly Minor! As well as working at BGC for a year now, I also work at Bowden Grandview School as an Educational Assistant. I am currently working towards my Early Learning and Childcare Diploma through RDP starting this fall. In my spare time I like to spend time with my animals, (cats, dog and horse), playing piano and guitar, motor biking, camping, exploring local spots and hanging out with my friends and family. I am looking forward to my second year at Bowden Jungle Junction with our current members and new ones!

Hello, my name is Miss Hailey Hronek. I've worked with the BGC for over a year now but prior to that I worked in kindergarten classes. I will be working towards my early learning and childcare diploma at Red Deer Polytechnic this fall. In my spare time I am often out driving





We are currently looking for School bus drivers in all areas. If you are interested in becoming a school bus driver please apply online at www.cesd73.ca under Careers/ Casual

Support Staff, by email at transportation@cesd73.ca or by calling our office at 403-227-7072

Chinook's Edge is one of the largest school divisions in the province, serving over 11,000 students in 43 Central Alberta schools between Calgary and Red Deer. Our schools are located in 13 small communities that sprawl east and west from the Highway 2 corridor, conveniently providing Chinook's Edge staff and families with the best of both worlds



Bowden Play & Learn



2023/2024 Registration

September

Full Time

Tuesdays & Thursdays
Mornings 8:20-11:10
Or
Afternoons 12:30- 3:00

Fees

Non Refundable
\$30.00 Registration Fee
Due With Application

\$5.00 per month
Or \$50.00 per year

Couple Things

Children must be 3 at
school start and fully
potty trained to join our
classroom

Contact Information

For more Information or
to register please email
us at

Bowdenplayandlearn@gmail.com
(Lisa)

Call at 403-357-7841
(Shayla)





Ukrainian Supper

Bowden Event Center
(Friendship Hall)

Thursday, September 28, 2023
5:00 - 7:30 p.m.

TICKETS

- *Available from Edie Sale' 403-396-8888*
Or
 - *Bowden Reddi-Mart*
 - *\$20 adults*
 - *\$10 children [8 & under]*
 - *Pre-Sale ONLY*
 - *Deadline September 22, 2023*
- *Take-out meals available with Pre-Sale ticket*



for every parent

Raising Competent TEENAGERS

Wednesday, October 25 (7:00-8:00 pm)

Session 2 Online Information Session via Zoom!



Set your teenager up for life with the strategies in this seminar which focuses on helping your child get the most out of their school years. Find out how to help them communicate well, develop self-discipline and good routines, follow rules and solve problems.



REGISTRATION & INFORMATION:

Register online at www.mvfrn.ca/registrations
call 1877-761-0033 or email info@mvfrn.ca



for every parent

Raising Responsible TEENAGERS

Wednesday, September 20th (7:00-8:00 pm)

Session 1 Online Information Session via Zoom!



Find out what makes teenagers tick!
You'll come away with new ideas to encourage your teenager to make good decisions, be respectful, considerate, reliable and involved in family life.



REGISTER ONLINE FOR THE ZOOM LINK

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After the Disaster Proven Parenting Strategies

As a parent or carer, a natural disaster can be an extremely challenging time for your family. It can be especially difficult to help your child or teen cope with the emotional distress they may experience.

Disaster Recovery Triple P is a free seminar brought to you by the Triple P - Positive Parenting Program®, one of the most proven parenting programs in the world.

Attend this seminar to learn more about:

- Understanding common reactions in children and teens
- Tips for helping your child manage their emotions
- Things that can contribute to extra distress
- Why some children are more affected than others
- Common parenting "traps" and how to avoid them
- How to answer your children's questions
- Other strategies that can help the family bounce back emotionally

After the Disaster Seminar
Tuesday, September 19
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Online via Zoom

This is a great opportunity for parents and those working with children and teens to gain valuable knowledge and skills to support families during challenging times

Registration is required
Visit MVFRN.CA/REGISTRATIONS
Email INFO@MVFRN.CA



GROUP TRIPLE P PROGRAM



Group Triple P is a 7 session program for parents & caregivers of children between the age of 2 - 12. Participants will gain individualized strategies to help support their children.

Triple P is an internationally recognized program that gives parents the skills they need to build strong family relationships, manage misbehavior and prevent problems from happening in the first place.

GROUP TRIPLE P CAN HELP

- ENCOURAGE BEHAVIOR YOU LIKE
- DEAL WITH PROBLEM BEHAVIOR
- BECOME MORE CONFIDENT AS A PARENT
- BE REALISTIC ABOUT YOUR PARENTING
- TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF

**September 20th -
November 1st**

**time &
location TBD**

Secure your spot! 

REGISTER AT WWW.MVFRN.CA OR EMAIL INFO@MVFRN.CA

