



Daysland Digest



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Looking Ahead

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ECS Circus	16
Town Clean Up (2:15)	16
PD Day (no classes)	17
Victoria Day (school closed)	20
Sr. Track Areas @ Stettler	22
School Council Meeting (7:00pm)	22
Board Presentation (dual credit students)	23
K-3 Dental Checks	23
ECS @ Wipf's Greenhouse	28
Jr. Track Counties @ Sedgewick	28
Physics 30 Field Trip	28
Sr. Track Zones @ Red Deer	29
Gr. 4 @ Drumheller	30
School Closed	31
	<u>June</u>
Jr. Track Regionals @ Camrose	4
Gr. 5 @ Circle Square Ranch Camp	4-6
Staff Meeting (Early Dismissal 2:35pm)	6
Staff Collaboration Day (no classes)	7
PE 20/30 @ Canmore (tentative)	12-14
K-3 @ Reynolds-Alberta Museum	13
Elementary Trackmeet	14
Last Day of Classes (Sr. High)	18
Last Day of Classes (Jr. High)	19
Exam Week (schedule attached)	19-27
National Indigenous Peoples Day (school closed)	21
Elementary Fun Day	26
Elementary Awards	27

Principal's Report

May is a busy month with many things going on in the building. We are looking forward to the new playground scheduled to arrive later this month and we are thankful for the many people who have invested time in making this happen.

On Friday, May 17th, our staff will engage in collaborative conversations around learning. We value the expertise of our staff and collectively, we work together to support the students of Daysland School. It's a great conversation and we have many things to celebrate.

As always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out. You can contact me at 780-374-3676 or jbrandt@brsd.ab.ca.

Yours in Education,

Jerrit Brandt



2019-2020 Kindergarten Registration

Registration forms have been sent home with playschool students and are now available at the school office for students who will be entering kindergarten in September. **Children must be 5 years of age before December 31, 2019 to be eligible.** Copies of birth certificates, health care cards, legal land locations and 911 addresses are required at the time of registration.

If you have any questions, please call the school at 780-374-3676.

Exam Week

Students in grades 7-12 are permitted to leave the school to go home and study after their exams are written during exam week. Individual students may have this privilege revoked if it is abused. Parents, please read the full details on the permission forms that will be coming home in June. Forms must be signed and returned by all grade 7-11 students.

Next School Council Meeting
Wednesday, May 22, at 7:00pm.
Everyone Welcome!

SPRING EXERCISES

OUR 2019 SPRING EXERCISES TOOK PLACE ON FRIDAY, MAY 3. OUR GRADUATES HEARD MESSAGES FROM MISS BEAULIEU, CLASS REPRESENTATIVE RAEGAN HOLBEN, AND GUEST SPEAKER DR. JODY CARRINGTON, CONNECTING THEIR THEME "AND SO THE ADVENTURE BEGINS" TO THE NEXT PHASE OF THEIR LIVES THAT WILL SOON BE BEGINNING. CONGRATULATIONS GRADS! SEE PHOTOS BELOW.



School Supply Online Ordering

Parent Council along with Daysland School will once again be using online school supply ordering for interested parents. Supplies can be ordered online, individually or as a kit according to your student's grade and will be delivered to Daysland Pharmacy during the last two weeks of August.

Watch for more details coming home with your child soon!

2018-2019 ECS Community Calendar

The kindergarten class is once again doing the Community Calendar fundraiser. Canvassers have been contacting those community members who have purchased calendars in the past to confirm if they would like to purchase a calendar again this year. If you have not been contacted or have never purchased a calendar and would like to, please contact Heather at 780-374-3566, before May 31st.

Daysland Legion Remembrance Day Poster & Literary Contest Winners

Congratulations to the following students who placed in the Divisional Competition of the Legion Remembrance Day Poster & Literary Contest:

Spencer K., Seth M., Kasey B., Pearl D., Julia M., Kiera S., Emma D., and Jena R.



Track & Field

Track and Field season continues with students preparing for the events they have entered. The Sr. High students will first compete at Areas in Stettler on May 22, with the Jr. High students competing here at school for their phys ed classes, before moving on to Counties in Sedgewick on May 28th.

DAYSLAND PALACE THEATRE

Movie Information Line: 374-3774

www.daysarts.ca

SHOWTIMES: ALL EVENING SHOWS 7:30

May 17, 18 & 19

CAPTAIN MARVEL

Rated: PG

May 24, 25 & 26

LITTLE

Rated: PG

May 31, June 1 & 2

MISSING LINK

Rated: PG

Birthday party packages are available for children 12 and under. The birthday child gets in free with a free small popcorn and fountain drink and for \$5, each guest will get a small popcorn and small pop along with admission. Cakes can be brought in to have after the movie. For more information phone Lisa at 780-374-2452 or Sharon at 780-374-2403.

Notice of Annual General Meeting for Society of Friends of Daysland School Council Wednesday, May 22, 2019 at approximately 8:00pm (after School Council meeting) Daysland School

What is the Society of Friends of Daysland School Council?

This Society's main purpose is to raise funds for activities and equipment to enhance student education and experience at Daysland School. This is a self-governing legal entity, which is separate from the School Board and has the authority and responsibility to make necessary decisions to manage its operations and activities. As a society, fundraising may be done that requires a gaming license from Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (AGLC), such as bingos, casinos, or raffles. (In contrast, Daysland School Council assumes an advisory role in education matters at Daysland School, such as academic programs and budgeting. It operates as part of the School and, therefore, the School Board.)

At the AGM, there will be a Special Resolution to repeal and replace the current bylaws with updated bylaws, work has been done through this year's Society of Friends of Daysland School Council membership. All parents and guardians of children at Daysland School are encouraged to become members and vote on these bylaws. Community members with a vested interest in the educational well-being of students at Daysland School may also become members. Staff of Daysland School may become Associate Members without voting rights. There is no membership fee and it simply requires a form to be filled out stating your desire to be a member. Membership forms will be available at the AGM and once filled out, membership is active.

To obtain a copy of the proposed bylaws prior to the meeting, please email Alison.Eshpeter@gmail.com.

Daysland School Final Exam Schedule

June 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10	11	12	13 SOCIAL 30 Pt. A	14
17	18 Last Day of Classes (Sr. High)	19 Last Day of Classes (Jr. High) ELA 6 Pt. B PAT	20 MATH 6 PAT Math 7 Science 8 SOCIAL 9 PAT ELA 10 Math 20	21 NO SCHOOL
24 SOCIAL 6 PAT ELA 7 Social 8 MATH 9 PAT Science 10 ELA 20 SOCIAL 30 Pt. B	25 SCIENCE 6 PAT Science 7 Math 8 ELA 9 Pt. B PAT BIOLOGY 30	26 Social 7 ELA 8 SCIENCE 9 PAT	27 PHYSICS 30 Last Instructional Day	28 Last Operational Day

Unless otherwise noted, all final exams will begin at 9:00am in the regular classroom.
Provincial Exams are shown in **BOLD** type.

2018/2019 YEARBOOK ORDER FORM

In our soft-cover yearbook, we feature all students from Kindergarten to Grade 12 throughout the whole school year. We boast 48 colour pages of candids and school portraits to enjoy for years to come.

THIS IS THE LAST YEARBOOK WE WILL CREATE, SO GET ONE WHILE YOU CAN!

If you would like to order a yearbook for the current year please return this form
with a **\$35.00 cheque payable to Daysland School.**

We expect the books to be delivered before Christmas, 2019.

I would like _____ yearbooks at \$35.00/book, and have included my cheque.

My name: _____

Contact Number: _____

Please give my book(s) to _____ to deliver
it/them to me.

The Gail Watt Annual Scholarship in Human Services

Sponsored by Flagstaff Family and Community Services and Flagstaff’s Informsed Response Sharing Team (FIRST)

This is a \$500 scholarship presented annually to three students from each of the Flagstaff High Schools.

Eligibility

Students must show an interest in work in Human Services (a professional who acts asa an agent to assist and or empower individuals, groups, families and communities to prevent, alleviate or better cope with crisis, change and stress to enable them to function more effectively in all areas of life and living) or Community Development (seeks to empower individuals and groups of people by providing these groups with the skills they need to affect change in their own communities).

Students must have attended High School at Forestburg, Daysland or Sedgewick Schools. There is no age restriction on this Scholarship, adult students can apply as long as they attended High School in Flagstaff.

Students must present a successful admission to a Post-Secondary Institution to receive payment of scholarship.

Application

Application forms are available at the school office.

All applicants must include a completed application form and will be evaluated on the basis of essay submission.

Application forms and essay must be mailed to the FFCS/FIRST office at Box 450, Killam, AB T0B 2L0 no later than May 30th of the current school year.

BRSD SUMMER OFF-CAMPUS PROGRAMS 2019

Battle River School Division #31



Work Experience — students going into grade 11 or 12 as of September , 2019 are eligible to take work experience during the summer. Deadline for signing up is June 20th, 2019. Please see Mrs. Carlson for more information.

RAP (Registered Apprenticeship Program) - students going into grade 10, 11 or 12 as of September , 2019 are eligible to take RAP during the summer. Deadline for signing up is June 20th, 2019. Please see Mrs. Carlson for more information.



Career Counselling

May Newsletter

Career Counselling Appointments

As we enter into our final weeks of the school year, opportunities to see the career counsellor may be more limited, please plan ahead with any final questions.

Skill Development	Canada Labour Force 2030	Dual Credit
<p>Develop new skills by...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • volunteering • committing to learning in trend areas • doing your homework • being persistent • promoting your skills, strengths & progress • leaning into the reality and feedback to grow <p><i>"By focusing on the foundational skills required...a high degree of mobility is possible between jobs."</i></p> <p>Humans Wanted. RBC. pg.3. 2018</p>	<p>The future state of the world of work in Canada will be <i>"older, more diverse, global, and knowledge-driven: A decade from now, the labour force will be visibly different from today.</i></p> <p><i>20% of Canadians will be over the age of 65 (compared to 17% today)</i></p> <p><i>60% of Canadians will be of working age (down from 65.5% today)</i></p> <p><i>62% What the labour force participation rate will be (today it is 66%)</i></p> <p>Humans Wanted. RBC. pgs .28, 29, 2018</p>	<p>Check out the variety of learning opportunities where students can earn both high school and post-secondary credits.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No cost to students/families • Online format • Examples:, Heavy Oil & Gas, Esthetics, Soil Science, Safety & Nutrition, Accounting, Business Technology, Hospitality & Tourism, Medical Terminology, Human Relations, Criminal Justice, etc. <p>Check out Dual Credit possibilities in the <i>High School Plus</i> website or with your school's administration.</p>

myBlueprint Career Planning Tool...

Is your student in the right courses? Grade 9 and high school students planning next year's courses can use the *myBlueprint* high school planning tool to explore alternative high school plans to meet high school diploma/certificate requirements and/or post-secondary program prerequisites. Look for the **High School** section on the left-hand search bar in *myBlueprint*.

Your BRSD Career Counsellors, Lynda Kope & Carla Praticante

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**Congratulations to our Grade 12 students who participated in Spring Exercises
on May 3rd!**

