

# The Bulletin



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**September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

## Notes From Administration – Mr. Gau

Welcome back to another great school year. We hope that all of our students, staff, and their families had a relaxing summer holiday and are into the swing of things.

September already promises to be a busy month, as students and staff have settled into their classes and plans are underway for many upcoming events. Staff arrived early on Friday, September 6<sup>th</sup> to prepare pancakes and sausages for the entire school at our “Welcome Back” breakfast. Thank you to all the staff for making this event a success. It was a great opportunity for students and staff to gather, discuss their summer activities, and enjoy a hot breakfast prior to classes.

In addition to welcoming all of our new students, Bawlf School would like to extend a warm welcome to our international student, Mami Asano, joining us from Japan, and will be in our grade eleven class. Hosting international students is a great opportunity for our school community to learn more about other countries and cultures and we look forward to getting to know Mami. We are also pleased to welcome new staff members to our school. Mrs. Laurel Donohue (grade 3/4), Mr. Chase John (HS Science), Mrs. Janine Lyons (grade 1/2 and 4), and Miss Hailey Ortman (grade 6) have joined our staff this year. We are very excited for them to join our team and we look forward to having them work with your children.

September 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> marked the first days for the start of our two classes of Kindergarten students and their families to our school. Thank you to Parent Council and BEST for setting up the BOO HOO breakfast and welcoming our new families into our school community. It is a very exciting time for our kindergarten students and our families and we know they will have a great year.

Our Wildcat athletes have wasted no time in getting back into action as both our volleyball and x-country running teams are fully into their respective seasons. Cross country runners from grades 4 to 12 have been meeting after school to train for the various competitions that they will participate in this fall. Practices are also underway for all of our volleyball teams including our grade five and six mini-slayers. Please check the updates for each of our teams later on in this newsletter. We hope that many of you will be able to come out and cheer on our Wildcats throughout the season!!! Go Wildcats!

## Upcoming Events!

- Sept 25 – JH Volleyball @ CK
- Sept 26 – Cross country race – Hardisty
- Sept 27 & 28 - JV G Volleyball @ Killam tournament
- Sept 28 – HS Boys Volleyball home tournament
- Sept 30 – Lifetouch school pictures
- Sept 30 – JH Golf Regionals @ New Norway
- Oct 1 – Orange Shirt day
- Oct 1 – Mad Platter hot lunch
- Oct 1 – HS B Volleyball host Cornerstone
- Oct 1 – HS G Volleyball @ Daysland
- Oct 2 – JH Volleyball host Bashaw
- Oct 3 – Cross country race – New Norway
- Oct 3 – Staff meeting – early dismissal 1:50 p.m.
- Oct 4 – Extreme Pita hot lunch
- Oct 4 – Secondary Academic Awards @ 7:00 p.m.
- Oct 8 – HS Volleyball @ Forestburg
- Oct 9 – JH Volleyball @ New Norway
- Oct 9 – Papa John’s hot lunch
- Oct 10 – Gr 1-6 Swimming in Killam
- Oct 11 – Staff Collaboration Day – no school
- Oct 14 – Thanksgiving Monday – no school
- Oct 15 – HS Volleyball host Hay Lakes
- Oct 16 – JH Volleyball @ CCHS
- Oct 18 – Booster Juice hot lunch
- Oct 18 & 19 – JH Volleyball tournament @ CK
- Oct 18 & 19 – HS B & G Volleyball tournament in Morinville
- Oct 21 – Edo Japan hot lunch
- Oct 22 – Gr 6 & 9 immunizations in A.M.
- Oct 22 – HS Volleyball @ New Norway
- Oct 23 – JH Volleyball @ OLMP
- Oct 24 – Ham & Egger lunch (BEST)

**Next Bulletin:**  
*October 24th*

## School News

Throughout the year we will continue to communicate with our parents/guardians through the use of our school email. We will also send out messages from "School Messenger", which is a service that helps us push messages out to families in a timely manner. You can receive messages by phone, email, or text. For the most part, we will only use this service for emergencies or school wide events. If you would like to change your preferences for School Messenger, check out our website for more information. There is also a School Messenger app that can be downloaded to receive notifications on. Thanks for staying connected!

With the transition into the new school year we also have many new families that are unaware of our drop off and pick up procedures at the beginning and end of the school day. We are asking that if you drop off your student in the "parent lane" to make sure you pull over to the far right so that traffic still has the opportunity to pass when leaving. It is also very important that ALL students and parents use the crosswalk at the front of the building and students and parents do not cut across the bus lane. Our bus drivers have asked that we remind parents and students of this. Our bus drivers have also asked us to remind parents that if they wish to send their child home on another bus route with a friend, they need to contact that bus driver in advance for permission and to ensure there will be adequate room for that student. They also need a written note to accompany that student signed by the student of the visiting student.

Bawlf School has completed two evacuation drills and we will have another evacuation drill and a lockdown drill in October. Thanks to the staff and students for doing a great job preparing for emergencies and promoting a safe environment.

On September 10<sup>th</sup> School Council and BEST met for the first meeting of the year. Thank you to all the parents who attended and to all the parents that have volunteered for different events throughout the year.

Thank you to all parents that have already submitted their completed registration forms to the office. If you have not had a chance to submit these yet we would ask that you please get these into the office as soon as possible. In addition to these being an Alberta Education requirement, they also provide updated contact information that we require in case of an emergency. School fees will also be issued in the upcoming week and sent home with students. For HS students, HS Options fees for next semester will be billed in February. For JH students, second semester fees for Complex (courses at CCHS), will be billed in February. We encourage you to use the online payment system which can be accessed from our website. If you are paying by cheque, please make sure school fees are submitted separately from any other extracurricular fees such as athletics, yearbook, or hot lunch. Thank you in advance for your assistance with this.

Once again, we welcome you back to the start of the school year and look forward to another successful year with all of our students.

🌟 A huge Wildcat thank you to Canada Malting Co. in Bawlf for the generous sponsorship of our Welcome Back Pancake Breakfast! On Friday, September 6<sup>th</sup>, all staff arrived early to make pancakes and sausages for all the students, staff and bus drivers. This is an annual event that promotes great school spirit and helps kickstart a great school year!

🌟 Hot lunch items not consumed on the day of the hot lunch and not picked up by noon the following day, will be disposed of. If you are absent on hot lunch day, it is up to the student to go to the concession to ask for it from the cooler at lunch time. Please email your child's homeroom teacher will any other directions.

🌟 Our breakfast program received a generous grant from President's Choice Children's Charity School Nutrition Grant program. A cheque for \$1,800 was provided to the school and will be used to purchase supplies for the Grab & Go Breakfast program, which benefits all students.

🌟 **Orange Shirt Day** is going to be Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at our school. The day is intended to acknowledge the legacy of our country's residential school system and pay tribute to those who experienced it – whether they be survivors or those who died.

🌟 **School Picture day** is Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup> starting right away in the morning after announcements. Class pictures will also be done this day.



🌟 **Green Certificate** ~ Mr. Clayton Roe is the new Off-Campus Coordinator for BRSD. He will be coordinating the parent-student meetings this fall for new trainees of the Green Certificate program as well.

Here are the testing dates for those enrolled:

November 20, 21, 22

February 25, 26, 27

May 27, 28, 29

Permission forms will be sent home closer to those dates.

### 🌟 Learning Commons

Welcome back and Happy Fall everyone! Here are just a few things happening in the Learning Commons so far:

- Grades 4, 5, 6 & 7 will be participating in the **Rocky Mountain Book Award** starting in November and ending in March. We will be reading, reviewing and voting on the 2020 nominated books. The Rocky Mountain Book Award invites students and educators to participate in the readers' choice program. This program is designed to motivate the reading interests of

students in Grades 4 -7. The Rocky Mountain Book Award is an Alberta based program designed to connect young readers with exemplary Canadian literature.

- Grades ECS, 1, 2 (all Grade 2) will be paired up with Grades 7, 8, 9 for **Reading Buddies**. Once a month these grades will meet and the Junior High classes will read to the elementary grades during their Library class.
- A note has gone home to parents stating which **textbooks** students have signed out and will need to return at the end of the semester or year. Students are responsible for the proper use and care of these textbooks and for their return.
- We will once again be doing the **Star Reader** program in the Learning Commons. Students may be lucky enough to find a Star Reader in a book their reading and be rewarded with a prize/treat.
- We will once again be doing **Flashlight Reading** with elementary classes. We now have a supply of small flashlights so parents do not need to send flashlights for these days. Thank you!
- Our ECS student enjoyed the story "**Pirates go to School**" and had a treasure hunt for gold while wearing their pirate hats made by the Grade 6 class.
- Parent reminder **Bookmarks** (My library class is on...) went home with students in Grades ECS, 1 and 1/2
- The **Scholastic Book Fair** will be coming on November 4 - 8th. Family night will be on November 6th during Parent-Teacher Interviews. Our Scholastic Book Fair is an excellent opportunity for our school to earn free books for our Library.
- We hope all our students are enjoying our **new books** in the Learning Commons!

Your school council for the 2019-2020 school year is: Chair: Christee Langkamp, Secretary: Trudi Duheme, Breakfast Program Coordinator: Terry Lynn Sereda, Hot Lunch Coordinator: Christee Langkamp, Non-officer parent representatives: Michelle Van Petten, Chelsea Bergstrom, Stephanie Enright, Ainsley Severson, Erin Reimer and Gail Cunningham. Just a reminder that council meetings are open to all parents. Our meeting dates can be found on the school calendar. Next meeting date is November 19, 2019 at 6:30pm.

The Breakfast program is back in full swing. The students are enjoying those morning snacks. I want to take this opportunity to welcome Michelle Molinski who will be working closely with Terry Lynn for this program. We would like to thank all of the families that have returned the letter sent home and have made monetary donations to the program and to all of those families that have volunteered to donate food items. We are compiling all of those names and will be in contact with you throughout the school year to make arrangements to have you bring in food items.

The online lunch ordering program is also up and running with the first hot lunch that took place on September 16<sup>th</sup>. Just a reminder that if you want to participate in the hot lunch program you will need to register with Healthy Hunger. For those of you who would like to use this program and prefer to use paper forms we can offer that option. You will need to email council to get that set up. If you would like more reminders about council events including the hot lunch program we do use the remind app feel free to sign up at any time. We welcome any feedback on the online program and if you have any questions or concerns with the program please email [bawlfschoolcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:bawlfschoolcouncil@gmail.com).

Thank you  
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<https://www.remind.com/join/ba794e>  
Like us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Bawlf-School-Parent-Council/>  
Check out the school website: [bawlf.brsd.ab.ca](http://bawlf.brsd.ab.ca)

## School Council & BEST News

### Parent Council

Welcome back to another school year!

By now you should have received an email with a link to fill in the volunteer form for Council and BEST, we want to thank everyone who has completed that. We will soon be starting on going through all of the information gathered and getting back to everyone, if for some reason you signed up for something for council events or information and do not hear back from us by the end of October please email us at [bawlfschoolcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:bawlfschoolcouncil@gmail.com).

## BEST

**BEST Foundation**  
**Special General Meeting of the Association**  
October 21, 2019  
7:00pm Bawlf School Conference Room

Purpose of the meeting is to pass a Special Resolution to amend the following bylaws to change the required quorum from 51% to 4 board members:

"8. Meetings

A. A Regular Meeting of the Board shall be called at the frequency determined by the Board which will permit their duties to be accomplished. Regular Meetings of the Board will be announced to all Board Members by providing no less than



ten (10) days notice in writing or three (3) days notice by telephone or email. A quorum of the Board of Directors shall consist of at least 51% of members. "

and

"B. A Special Meeting of the Board shall be called by the Secretary upon the instructions of any two (2) Board Members, by providing no less than ten (10) days notice in writing or three (3) days notice, by telephone or email, to all Board Members setting forth the reasons for calling such meeting. At least 51% of Board Members shall constitute a quorum at a Special Meeting of the Board."

All Bawlf School parents and members of the Bawlf community are welcome to attend BEST Foundation meetings.

### **FUNDSCRIP**

Watch for Fundscrip paper orders to come home with your child in early October!

Order gift cards for retailers you shop from regularly (groceries, fuel, clothing, etc) and BEST receives a percentage while you can redeem full value on your cards!

**Paper order forms will be due Oct 15.**

You can also sign up online at [fundscrip.com](http://fundscrip.com) using supporter code UDJFXB

## **FSLW Update:**

### **FAMILY SCHOOL LIAISON WORKER REFERRAL PROCESS**

Hello Bawlf families!

I am thrilled to be back at Bawlf School for another year!! We have a new referral process so if you would like to make a referral please follow these steps:

- Visit the Battle River School Division Website at [www.brsd.ab.ca](http://www.brsd.ab.ca)
- Click on the Family School Liaison heading
- On the left hand side click on the Family School Liaison heading
- Scroll down and click on FSLW Referral - Students, Parents/Guardians and Community
- Download form, fill out, save and email it to [fslwreferral@brsd.ab.ca](mailto:fslwreferral@brsd.ab.ca)
- If you are not able to access a form online please ask at the office for one. Also, if you are not able to email form you can drop it off at the office

***Below is a summary of the role of a Family School Liaison Workers (FSLW):***

1. Provide education and counselling to children, youth and parents to help them positively manage challenging issues and events.
2. Offer support services to students, families and/or groups focusing on safety, mental well being and the healthy development of children.
3. Enhance personal strengths and coping skills.
4. Ensure that students and families seeking assistance are involved in the decisions that affect their lives.

5. Involve appropriate community agencies by providing referrals.

I look forward to working with you and your students!! Please contact me ([ldrever@brsd.ab.ca](mailto:ldrever@brsd.ab.ca)) if you have any questions!!

Have a great day,

Lyndell Drever

FSLW

## **Athletic News**

🌟 **High School Volleyball by Mrs. Holm** ~ Our senior girls volleyball team is off to a solid start. They competed in the Augustana tournament where they finished first in their pool. They then defeated Pigeon Lake in the cross over but lost in St. Augustine in the semi final. A great first tournament. The following weekend they competed in the Wetaskiwin tournament. Here too they finished first in their pool, then defeated Wetaskiwin and Lamont to win the tournament. Well done girls! Then on Saturday, September 21<sup>st</sup>, we hosted our home tournament. We had 8 teams participate. The girls played very well all day and found themselves facing CACHS in the final. After losing the first set, they fought back to win the next two and win the tournament! Great job! I would also like to thank the parents for all their help with the concession and clean up. It is always greatly appreciated.

Our team consists of Casara Holm, Jordyn Watson, Shalane Munro, Chloe Thirsk, Mya Van Brabant, Megan Van Petten, Halle Weinkauff, Grayce Flemming, Lena Morin, Hope Reimer and Emily Grouette.



🌟 **Junior High Girls Volleyball** ~ Last weekend the JH volleyball team played in a large tournament in Red Deer. They had many tough games and in one actually came back from being down 18-24. They went to the semi-finals and barely won it in the third set. When they got the last point they got extremely excited and everyone was off their seats. They then went on to the final to lose in the third set 19-17, but the girls played amazing against some 4A schools.

## Community News

### 🌟 Junior Varsity Girls Volleyball Team ~

Shariss Piro has volunteered to coach the team this year and is looking forward to a great season focused on developing skills and enjoyment of the sport! (Shariss has kids in grades 4, 2 and Kindergarten in Bawlf, and one 4 year old at home!)

Our team roster:

#### Grade 7

Brooklyn Blatz  
Megan Herder  
Claire Dingman  
Audrey Stang  
Rachel Steil  
Madison Stephen  
Chantell Yestrau  
Amy Van Petten  
Bailey Severson  
Drea Schielke  
Kyla Taylor-Stuckey  
Destinee Holmberg

#### Grade 8

Jaycee Ellis  
Grace Harmider  
Elle Rehmann  
Kobie Larson

Our team kicks off the season this weekend at a tournament in Killam on Friday and Saturday. Come out to Killam to cheer on our team!

Upcoming games/tournaments:

Oct 1- Daysland @ Bawlf (may change)

Oct 8- Bawlf @ Daysland

Oct 26- Charlie Killam tournament

We may have a couple of additional games added as well to our schedule.

Our team is looking forward to a great season!

🌟 **Cross Country Running** ~ We are at the mid way point in our cross-country running season! We have had two races, the Bashaw Town and Country Race and the Vikings Cross Country race, which was held at the Camrose Biathlon area. We have had several runners finish in the top ten in their categories and we are so proud of all of our runners for their determination and effort to participate and complete the races! It has been great to watch the students improve week to week and can't wait to see them participate this week in Hardisty and next week at the Spartan Tough Race, put on by New Norway school! A big thanks to our bus drivers, parent supporters, and parent helpers! #GoWildcats!



🌟 **Annual Bawlf Fall Market** ~ Sunday, October 27 from 11-3 p.m. in the Bawlf School. Free admission, silent auction, Kid's corner, face painting, crafts, household, gifts, specialty items available, plus food, drinks and desserts available for purchase. This supports Bawlf School Athletics. Contact Tara Myers for more information @ 780-679-8390.

🌟 **The Rosalind 4-H Club** will soon be starting the 2019-2020 year. Our first meeting is Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. in the Rosalind Hall. Right now, we have only beef projects, but we are a multi club, so if there is a project that interests your child or you are interested in leading a project, there are opportunities available.

If your child is 6-8 years old, the Cleaver program might be for you! This is an introduction to 4-H and what the program offers, although younger siblings of beef club members often do a cleaver calf project with a baby calf. Regular club members must be 9 years old to join, but if the idea of a big market steer or heifer project is overwhelming, we also offer a novice beef program which is done with a calendar year calf.

If you are interested, please give Alison a call at 780-375-2441 or text 780-608-6052.

🌟 **Fundraiser for the Bawlf Homecoming** – July 17 & 18, 2020 ~ The Bawlf Homecoming Committee will be hosting a bottle drive on Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>. Please drop off your bottles at the Skating Rink between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. or call John at 780-608-5747 or Gordie at 780-608-3123. Village residents may leave bottles (in a clear plastic bag) at the curb for pickup.

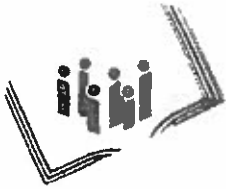
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***Check us out on our website!***

***<https://bawlf.brsd.ab.ca>***

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***PLUS! Find us on Twitter!  
@BawlfSchool ~ we tweet out almost  
daily of what's happening in our  
classrooms with exciting experiments,  
projects and planned events!  
Check. It. Out.!!!***



# BAWLF SCHOOL

Principal: Mr. S. Gau

Assistant Principal: Mr. M. Chanasyk

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Dear Parent/Guardian(s);

September 13, 2019

Battle River School Division has an emphasis on safe and caring schools. Part of providing a safe learning environment is helping students and staff be prepared for an emergency. Our school holds six evacuation drills each year and we will also be holding two lockdown drills – one in October and another in the spring. We will be doing two evacuation drills in September and another in October.

A lockdown is when all the students and staff are tucked into a safe, lockable area of the school to avoid a threat inside the building. This is not a situation we expect our schools to encounter but, just like an evacuation drill, practicing will help us be better prepared if such an incident does occur. There can be many reasons a lockdown can be used.

When we hold our lockdown drill, discussions also take place with students in a calm, sensitive, age-appropriate way, so as not to generate anxiety or fear. If you'd like to speak to your children ahead of time to provide additional reassurance that they are safe at school and drills are what we do so we are prepared 'just in case', we would welcome your support.


For your information, here are some simplified lock down procedures: 1. "Lockdown" is called by a staff member. 2. Students outside a classroom go into the nearest lockable area. 3. Students go into an area that cannot be viewed from the hall as directed by their teacher. Our classroom doors now have blinds that can be drawn. 4. The lights are turned off, door locked, and blinds are drawn. 5. Staff and students remain quiet and still until given the all clear to resume class.

During a lockdown drill, the outside doors of the school are locked. If you arrive at the school during the brief time our drill is taking place, a sign is posted letting you know why it is locked.

It is possible we will have police officers present for the drill, as well as representatives of the school division. Their role is to help us evaluate our preparedness and suggest any changes we might make in future drills.

Please ensure student(s) has/have indoor shoes and encourage them to wear them at school at all times. If there is an emergency and we need to evacuate, they will be prepared.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any concerns or questions please contact me at 780-373-3784 or [mchanasyk@brsd.ab.ca](mailto:mchanasyk@brsd.ab.ca).

Sincerely, 

Mark Chanasyk

**P L E A S E**  
**S L O W D O W N**

**Please remember that the speed  
limit in Bawlf is 30km/h!**

**We have had two incidents where parents/guardians were  
driving too fast or not paying attention and students could  
have been seriously injured.**

**Please do not use reverse to get  
back onto the street from the bus  
lane or drop off lane!**

**We have been talking to students to teach them  
about crosswalks and crossing the street.**

**Please do your part to make sure our students  
stay safe!**

**Please share with anyone picking up or dropping  
off your students (grandparents, etc.)!**

**Kid's Corner  
&  
Face Painter**



**~Crafts  
~Household  
~Gifts  
~Specialty  
Items**

**3<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL  
BAWLF FALL MARKET**

**OCTOBER 27/19  
11AM-3PM**

**BAWLF SCHOOL  
BAWLF, AB**

**Free  
Admission**

**Silent  
Auction**

**All  
Proceeds  
Go To Bawlf  
Athletics**

**FOOD, DRINKS AND DESSERT AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE**

**Contact Tara Myers for more information**

**780-679-8390**

**[ttone@ualberta.ca](mailto:ttone@ualberta.ca)**










# Career Counselling

September 2019 Newsletter

## We have a new look with updated resources!

The **High School Plus** website has a new look and updated resources. Check out the sections for *High School Resources*, *Work Transitions*, *Post-Secondary*, and *Funding Your Education*.

Post-Secondary	myPass & myBlueprint	Scholarships
<p>Keep in mind that most post-secondary institutions start accepting applications October 1st (a few even before!!). Some programs are non-competitive with a first qualified, first applied, first accepted process!!</p>  <p>Alberta post-secondary applications will require a <b>myAlberta Digital ID</b> account before registering in the <b>ApplyAlberta</b> site.</p>  <p>Applications may require a Career Investigation, volunteer hours, interviews, portfolios, etc. Be sure to check for non-academic requirements so you are prepared.</p>	<p>Did you check your <b>myPass</b> account to make sure all your courses/marks/credits including diplomas are accurate?</p> <p>Grade 10 students can look forward to learning about this key high school resource in the near future!</p>  <p><b>myBlueprint</b> is ready for you to sign-in and view your activities for the year. Remember completing the assigned activities will earn points which you can redeem for prize draws!!</p> 	<p>There is no time like the present when it comes to scholarships. Look for scholarship ideas and deadlines in the <i>High School Plus</i> website under <b>Funding Your Education</b>.</p> <p>Many scholarships require letters of reference. One tool to help with your references, located in the <i>Funding Your Education</i> section of the website, is a tip sheet to help you build a profile to share with your future referee. This is an ongoing document that you may add to with new experiences, accomplishments, and skills.</p> 

*The BRSD Career Counselling Team is back in your school this September. Look for them to ask about post-secondary programs, upcoming deadlines, etc..*

Your BRSD Career Counsellors, Lynda Kope & Carla Praticante

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# Career Counselling

October 2019 Newsletter

## Attend a Post-Secondary Open House/Event this Fall

The [High School Plus](#) site calendar has post-secondary events posted for you to check out! Always cross-reference with the actual institution's website for accuracy of details and steps for registration.

### Post-Secondary

Consider applying early if you plan to start in the fall of 2020. Some programs are non-competitive (first qualified, first applied, first accepted).

Ready to narrow-down post-secondary choices? Student for a day type events are an on-campus opportunity to experience student life by attending classes, touring facilities, learning admission requirements, scholarships and much more. Look for registration steps on the institution's website.

Get started! Volunteer experiences may be required for your post-secondary program. Check websites for posted non-academic requirements.

### myBlueprint

Have you signed into your [myBlueprint](#) account to update your *Who Am I* surveys? Save past results into your portfolio and refine your six unique assessments for self-exploration and discovery.

Parents can create a [myBlueprint](#) account linked to their student's account (grades 7-12).



Steps:  
Sign up - Select your school - Choose family/advisor account - Type in student email - Wait for an invite!

OR ask your child to send you an invite from their account.

### Scholarships

Are you registered in one or more of the scholarship websites available to high school students? You can find links to scholarship websites in the *High School Plus* website under [Funding Your Education](#).



Grant Me



Disability Awards .ca

*The BRSD Career Counselling Team is busy meeting with high school students. Look for them to ask about post-secondary program prerequisites, Rutherford Scholarship qualifications or high school pathway possibilities.*

Your BRSD Career Counsellors, Lynda Kope & Carla Praticante

[careercounselling@brsd.ab.ca](mailto:careercounselling@brsd.ab.ca)



Daysland Alliance Church is excited for AWANA kids' club! AWANA is for every kid, no matter their faith or church background.

AWANA runs Mondays starting

**Monday, September 23, 2019**

6:00-7:15pm

@ Daysland Alliance Church

5030 57<sup>th</sup> St

**AWANA at Daysland is grouped by age:**

- **Cubbies - 3 & 4 year olds**
  - **Sparks - Kindergarten-Grade 2**
  - **T & T - Grades 3-6**
  - **Trek - Grades 7-8**
  - **Journey - Grades 9-12**
  - **Parenting session-any parents who are interested in a fresh perspective. Starts in Oct**
- Registration is Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> or the first night your child attends. Please bring your child's health care number
- **AWANA is free and ends April 6, 2020.**
  - **Kids can join AWANA anytime in the year!**
  - **Here is what kids will find at AWANA:** Bible truths, friends, games, music, community involvement, belonging!

DAC church office 780-374-3777

Thanks! Dixie Schielke



To develop volleyball skills and compete at a

Provincial and National level

**Tryout Dates for 2020 Season**

**Everyone welcome!!!**

**13U/14U Girls**

Dec 1, 2019 from 1:00- 2:00pm- Bawlf School

Coach- Ben Dyck and Ainsley Severson

**15U Girls**

Dec 1, 2019 from 2:00- 4:00pm- Bawlf School

Coach- Andrea VanBrabant- Level 2 Training

Assistant Coaches- Karissa Burnstad and Jessica Haesloop

**16U Boys**

Dec 1, 2019 from 4:00- 6:00pm- Bawlf School

Coach- Joshua Mueller- Level 1 Training

**17U/18U Women**

Dec 1, 2019 from 6:00-8:00pm- Bawlf School

Coach- Andrea VanBrabant- Level 2 Training

Assistant Coach- Emma Gjesdal- Level 2 Certified



**Athletes need to be registered with Volleyball Alberta prior to trying out. VA website- \$10.25 membership fee.**

Andrea VanBrabant- 780-781-1119 [volleyballavb@gmail.com](mailto:volleyballavb@gmail.com) Facebook- "Raptors Volleyball Club"



## **DAYSLAND PALACE THEATRE**

**Movie Information Line: 374-3774 [www.daysarts.ca](http://www.daysarts.ca)**

**SHOW TIMES: ALL EVENING SHOWS 7:30**

**Tickets : Adults \$8, Seniors \$6, Students \$6, Children 3 - 11 \$4**

**Reel Alternative : Adults \$9, Seniors & students \$7, Children \$5**

**October 4 & 5 at 7:30 and Sunday, October 6 at 2:00**

**No Sunday evening show**

**THE LION KING Rated: PG**

**Voices of: Donald Glover, James Earl Jones, Beyonce**

**Drama/Adventure. After his father's death, a young lion ventures out on his own learning the meaning of bravery and honour.**

**October 11, 12 & 13**

**THE ART OF RACING IN THE RAIN Rated: PG**

**Mild profanity.**

**Starring: Milo Ventimiglia, Voice of Kevin Costner**

**Drama. A dog reflects on his life and the lessons he learned with his racecar driving owner.**

**October 18, 19 & 20**

**THE PEANUT BUTTER FALCON Rated: PG**

**Coarse language.**

**Starring: Zack Gottsagen, Shia LaBeouf**

**Comedy/Drama. A man, with dreams of becoming a wrestler, runs away from his care home and teams up with a crab fisherman, who is also on the run.**

**REEL ALTERNATIVE Monday, October 21**

**& Wednesday, October 23**

**OVERCOMER Rated: G**

**Starring: Alex Kendrick, Aryn Wright-Thompson**

**Drama. A high school basketball coach volunteers to coach a troubled teen in long-distance running.**

**October 25, 26 & 27**

**IT: CHAPTER TWO Rated: 14A**

**Frightening scenes, gory violence, not recommended for children.**

**Starring: Jessica Chastain, James McAvoy, Bill Hader, Jay Ryan, Isaiah Mustafa  
Horror. A group of adult friends come back to their hometown to fight an evil entity that appears every 27 years.**

**“See you at the Movies”**

**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 781-2452 or Sharon at 374-2403**

**PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN SCHOOL**

Youth are more likely to remain healthy when their parents are involved in their education.

Maintain ongoing communication with your child's teacher.

Participate in community events that tie into what your child is learning, such as taking in the local museum.

**THE VALUE OF PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN SCHOOL**

Your child benefits from your involvement in school.

They want you involved.

Connect with teachers, regularly check in with your kids.

**WAYS TO STAY INVOLVED IN YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION**

- Connect with their teacher
- Volunteer
- Talk to your child about school
- Ask teachers how you can get involved

**WAYS TO STAY INVOLVED IN YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION**

- Offer your skills to the school
- Help with an activity
- Set up or clean up after a classroom party
- Help plan a safe grad
- Offer help with sport days
- Organize fundraising events

**MORE RESOURCES**

[search-institute.org](http://search-institute.org)  
[keepconnected.searchinstitute.org/  
community.hmhc.ca/](http://keepconnected.searchinstitute.org/community.hmhc.ca/)

Information on mental health, community supports, programs and services in your area:



Addiction Services Help Line  
1-866-332-2322

Mental Health Help Line  
1-877-303-2642

