# The Bulletin



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#### **Upcoming Events:**

June 26	Grades 1-4 swimming at Forestburg Pool
June 26	Grade 6 Social PAT/Science 7/Social 8/Math 10/Math 20 exams
June 27	Grades 6 & 9 Science PAT/Social 7/Math 8/Science 30 exams
June 27	Last day for Students ~ Elementary Awards starting at 11:00 a.m.
June 28	Last operational day – staff only
September 1	Kindergarten drop off supplies from 1:00-3:00
September 5	First day of school Grades 1-12
September 7	First day of Kindergarten
October 6	Secondary Academic Awards Night
October 19	Lifetouch school pictures
October 20 & 21	HS home Volleyball tournament
December 15 & 16	JH home Basketball tournament
December 19	Annual Christmas luncheon

<sup>\*</sup>all dates are subject to change

# ELEMENTARY AWARDS TUESDAY, JUNE 27 @ 11:00 A.M. IN THE GYM ~ PARENTS ARE WELCOME!

-after Awards, students can head to their classroom to pick up their belongings and head home with parents/guardians ~ if not, buses are running as usual at the end of the day

#### **Administration Notes** ~ *from Mr. Chanasyk*

So many things going on! Field trips, activity days, projects, assemblies, thank you to all staff for planning these great events and to all parent volunteers for helping out! These don't happen without staff and family support.

It was great to see many families at our elementary field day and at our School Council meeting. Thank you for your support and especially to all the volunteers who helped with the lunch! Thank you to Central Agencies for the sponsorship and to Bawlf Rec for the BBQ. To all the parents who helped with hot lunches throughout the year, thank you! And a huge thanks to Trudi Duheme for organizing all of it!!

As the year comes to a close, we would like to wish a huge thank you to Mrs. Brusse who joined our staff as an EA in February. Her skills and contribution to our school culture will be missed.

As mentioned earlier, we have hired Mrs. Mary Prescesky to help split our Grade 6 class, and we welcome back Mrs. Johnson who will continue to fill in for Mrs. Donohue. We also like to welcome Mrs. Magnan who will be joining us as an EA for our ECS program. Welcome!

Please remember to check our website as information will be posted on there for the startup in September. Class supply lists will be posted as well as the school calendar and the bell schedule. Later in the summer, the website will be updated to reflect any changes that will affect the student body. There will be a move-in day for our ECS students on September 1<sup>st</sup>.

On a personal note, I would like to thank everyone in our Wildcat community for their support. The school's number one priority is learning in many ways - academically, socially, and personally - and learning does not happen without good relationships. Trusting and building these relationships can be hard, but they are absolutely necessary. Our staff, students, and community are awesome - I have said that from the very beginning. But this does not happen without the trust and support of relationships. Know that Bawlf School is a great school, not because of the building, but because of the people. No matter what, please trust each other and continue to build those relationships. Staff, students, and families, I wish you all the best, and keep striving in the quest for Achieving Excellence. "Do the best you can until you know better. Then, when you know better, do better." Maya Angelou

Go Wildcats!

Best wishes, Mr. Chanasyk

#### **School News**

- School supply lists for 2023-2024 ~ Lists for all grades on are our website! Click on the "Menu" tab, then "Students", and then on the School supply lists 2023-2024 link. Scroll down to whichever list you need, take a screenshot on your phone and there you have your shopping list! Or click on the attachment in this email. Or, your last option is to click here: <a href="schoolsupplylist20232024">schoolsupplylist20232024</a>
- **WILDCAT SPIRITWEAR!** ~ Interested in Wildcat Spirit Wear? Check out our new online store at <a href="https://bawlfschool.entripyshops.com/">https://bawlfschool.entripyshops.com/</a>. Hoodies, pants, shorts, hats, water bottles, bags, so many choices and a lot of it is customizable! You can order whenever you'd like and it is mailed directly to your home address.
- Grade 1 field trip ~ On Friday, June 2nd, we went to Miquelon Lake Provincial Park. It was a warm and sunny day. We had fun in the Animal Senses program. We went on a nature walk and played games to learn how animals use their senses. After lunch we had some free play time at the park. It was a

great day and we learned a lot about the animals around Miquelon Lake and how they use their senses!

Thank you very much to the Bawlf Recreation Association for the generous donation of this wonderful learning experience.

**Grade 3, 3/4, & 4 field trip** ~ *by Ms. Ortman* ~ Grade 4s, 3/4s, and 3s had a great time exploring the Telus World of Science this month! We got to build roller coasters and watch the "Legends of the Northern Sky" presentation in the Zeidler Dome as well. Thank you to BEST for supporting this field trip and thank you to all who supervised and helped to organize.

- On June 21st, National Indigenous Peoples Day, Grades 1 6 took part in a virtual presentation where artist Elizabeth Buller Page (member of Treaty 6 Mistawasis Nehiyawak), country musician Mat Cardinal (Bigstone Cree Nation, Wabasca/Demarais, AB) and Metis athlete Bryan Trottier (seven-time Stanley Cup winner and best selling author) shared stories and art, as well as a live music performance with students.
- Elementary fun ~ by Ms. Ortman ~ On Friday, June 23 all elementary students will participate in a school-wide treasure hunt to celebrate X Day (X Marks the Spot Day) of our ABC Summer Countdown! A few other highlights of our ABC Countdown included B Bawlf School Colours Day, F Future Day (dress like the job you want when you grow up!), I Ice Cream Day, and P Physical Activity Day (Track Meet!). Not many more letters left now!
- Elementary Track and Field Day ~ by Mrs. Konrad and Mrs. Matthews ~ Our Elementary Track and Field Day was a huge success. There was lots of fun to be had and the students all did great. A huge thank you to all of our parent volunteers for helping lead a group. We could not have had as many stations without you taking on this role. Also a big shout out to our student leadership class who led the stations and were R.E.A.L. Leaders for our elementary students. We would also like to thank Bawlf Recreation Association for their generosity and sponsoring the ribbons and prizes. Look forward to next year's event.

#### **Athletics**

\*\* Secondary Athletic Awards ~ Our annual Secondary Athletic Awards & Senior Night were held Thursday, June 8<sup>th</sup> in the gym. Please see the results listed below.

#### SCHOOL COUNCIL

Another school year is wrapping up; bring on summer! We held our final meeting of the school year on June 5 and filled our elective to form a School Council once again. Emily Herder will Chair our council, Chelsea Bergstrom will be our Vice Chair, Trudi Duheme will be our Secretary, and Colleen Konowalyk and Terry-Lynn Sereda will be our Non-Officer Parent Representatives for the coming year. Please note that meetings are open to all parents/guardians that would like to attend. Our first meeting back will be on September 18 @ 7pm.

We would like to thank the Bawlf Lion's Club for providing a hamburger lunch once again to all our students and staff on June 8th. Thank you to Central Agencies in Camrose for donating all of the food for our Year End Picnic which was held on June 13th. Thank you to the Bawlf Recreation Association for the use of their BBQ. And a huge thank you to all of the volunteers that helped with these lunches and all of the other events throughout the school year! We could not do this without you all.

If you are interested in volunteering or looking for ways to become involved, please email us at bawlfschoolcouncil@gmail.com. Have a wonderful summer!

#### **BEST**

#### Panago Fundraiser

We have one more day left for our Panago pizza fundraiser. Order pizza from Panago on June 27 using the code SCHOOL15, and get 15% off your order. Panago will then also give 15% back to the school! What a great deal!

#### **Camrose Energy Partnership**

Many of you may not know that BEST has been partnered with Camrose Energy since 2020. Once a customer is signed up with Tania Greenwald through Camrose Energy, BEST gets a portion as long as that customer is with Camrose Energy. Give Tania a call for a free analysis of your current power/gas usage rates. Tania Greenwald-780-781-2718 or email <a href="mailto:dtgreenwald@hotmail.com">dtgreenwald@hotmail.com</a>.

#### **AGM**

Our AGM was held June 19. Our board for the upcoming year is Everly Larson, Corina Thue, Angela Meyer, Tanya Welch, Tana Munro, Leah Thue and Tara Wenstob. We look forward to the next year of fundraising.

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### 2022-2023 SECONDARY ATHLETIC AWARDS

### **CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING**

#### TOP RUNNING WILDCATS:

CARSEN BENDFELD
COLBY BENDFELD
SHELBY HAFSO
MADELYN HERDER
KATE MACDONALD
HEDDA ROOKMAKER
BLAYZE THUE
JHETT THUE
KITLY THUE

## **HIGH SCHOOL GOLF**

TOP PLAYER:
GRIFFIN VAN PETTEN

# JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

#### MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS:

ALEXIS DYCK
DEVYN RASMUSON

WILDCAT AWARD: RAYNA HAFSO

MOST IMPROVED PLAYER:
KATE MACDONALD

# JUNIOR HIGH BOYS VOLLEYBALL

MOST SUPPORTIVE TEAM PLAYER AWARD:
SCOTT DODSWORTH

KILLER KILL SHOT AWARD:
BLAYZE THUE

ALL AROUND EFFORT AND LEADERSHIP AWARD:

MATTIX REIMER

# Most Outstanding Play Award: Evan Barber

# MOST CONSISTENT AND RELIABLE PLAYER AWARD: DARREN SEREDA

MOST VERSATILE AWARD:
GAVIN GALLON

SNAP-OUT-OF-IT AWARD: CHASE HILL

### **HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS VOLLEYBALL**

MOST IMPROVED PLAYER:

JAIDAN BURNSTAD

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER: EDYN VAN BRABANT

WILDCAT AWARD:
CLAIRE MACDONALD

# **HIGH SCHOOL BOYS VOLLEYBALL**

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER:
OWEN RASMUSON

Top Serving & Dedication:
Griffin Van Petten

TOP PLAYMAKER AWARD: FINLEY RASMUSON

# **CURLING**

MOST IMPROVED PLAYER AWARD:
IZABELLA KELLAND

# JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS BASKETBALL

MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS:
RAYNA HAFSO

#### **DEVYN RASMUSON**

# HEART & HUSTLE AWARD: MADELYN HERDER

MOST IMPROVED PLAYER:
NEVEAH LAMB

## JUNIOR HIGH BOYS BASKETBALL

**DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR:**BLAYZE THUE

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR:
DARREN SEREDA

LEADERSHIP AWARD:
MATTIX REIMER

# HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL

TOUGH AS NAILS AWARD:
SHAYE FLEMMING

**BEST TEAMMATE AWARD:**JAIDAN BURNSTAD

MOST IMPROVED PLAYER AWARD: SYDNEY ELLIK

BEST DEFENSIVE PLAYER AWARD:

MAKENZIE BRATRUD

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER AWARD:
TARYN WATSON

## **HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASEKTBALL**

TOP SHOOTER AWARD:
TYLER NIKIFORUK

BEST SHOT BLOCKER AWARD: FINLEY RASMUSON

BEST REBOUDING & DEFENSIVE AWARD:

GRIFFIN VAN PETTEN

# MOST DEDICATED AWARD: IAN TOMASZEWSKI

# MOST VALUABLE PLAYER AWARD: OWEN RASMUSON

# **JUNIOR HIGH BADMINTON**

BASED ON RESULTS AT THE BRSD REGIONALS

#### GRADE 7

BOYS SINGLES: GOLD: RYDER BERGSTROM
BOYS DOUBLES: GOLD: LUKE STANG & RILEY VAN PETTEN
BOYS DOUBLES: SILVER: KAYD MUNRO & KITLY THUE

#### GRADE 8

**BOYS SINGLES: GOLD: KAI BURNSTAD** 

#### **GRADE 9**

GIRLS SINGLES: SILVER: KATE MACDONALD
GIRLS DOUBLES: GOLD: ALEXIS DYCK & ADDISYN WEINKAUF
BOYS SINGLES: GOLD: MATTIX REIMER

BOYS SINGLES: SILVER: EVAN BARBER

### **HIGH SCHOOL BADMINTON**

BASED ON RESULTS AT ASAA PROVINCIALS

TOP PLAYERS:
MADISON DYCK
TARYN WATSON

# JUNIOR HIGH TRACK

BASED ON RESULTS AT BRSD REGIONALS

#### GRADE 7

GIRLS: GOLD: HEDDA ROOKMAKER IN 400 M & 4 X 400M RELAY

GIRLS: SILVER: JORDYN YURKOSKI IN LONG JUMP BOYS: SILVER: DYLAN SKINNER IN SHOT PUT BOYS: BRONZE: RYDER BERGSTROM IN DISCUS

#### GRADE 8

Boys: SILVER: JORDAN STEIL IN DISCUS
BOYS: SILVER: JHETT THUE IN JAVELIN

**GRADE 9** 

GIRLS: GOLD: ALEXIS DYCK IN 4 X 100M RELAY
GIRLS: GOLD: RAYNA HAFSO IN 4 X 100M RELAY & 4 X 400M RELAY

GIRLS: GOLD: KATE MACDONALD IN 100M, 200M, 1500M,

4 X 100m RELAY & 4 X 400m RELAY

GIRLS: GOLD: DEVYN RASMUSON IN SHOT PUT, DISCUS, JAVELIN

& 4 X 100M RELAY

GIRLS: GOLD: ADDISYN WEINKAUF IN 4 X 400M RELAY

BOYS: SILVER: BLAYZE THUE IN 1500M

## **HIGH SCHOOL TRACK**

BASED ON RESULTS AT THE ASAA ZONES

TOP TRACK ATHLETES:
SCOTT BARBER
MADISON DYCK

# **TOP JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS & BOYS ATHLETES**

TOP GIRL ATHLETE:

**DEVYN RAMUSON** 

**TOP BOY ATHLETE:** 

MATTIX REIMER

# CAL BOHMER MEMORIAL AWARD FOR TOP GIRL & BOY HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES

TOP GIRL ATHLETES:

SHAYE FLEMMING EDYN VAN BRABANT TARYN WATSON

TOP BOY ATHLETE:

**OWEN RASMUSON**