



Senator Joyce Fairbairn Middle School

November 2nd 2022

Dates to Remember:

November 2nd

Middle School Indigenous Parent
Bingo Night at G.S Lakie 5:30–7 pm

November 3rd

School Council Parent Event – Nate
Webb 7pm at Chinook High School

November 4th

Save the Kids Nate Webb 10:30am at
SJF Middle School

November 8th

Wear Black and Red Day

November 10th

Remembrance Day Ceremony

November 11th – 14th

No School

November 15th

Roc Your Mocs

November 29th & 30th

Fairbairn Festival

December 2nd

Last Day of Term 1

Dress for the weather!

Doors for students do not open until 8:40 am, please make sure your student is dressed for the weather! If they are arriving earlier than 8:40 they will be required to wait outside. When the temperature is below 20 degrees Celsius or during winter storms, the staff will adjust the entry time for student safety reasons



Health Days

SJF Middle School will organize three Health Days throughout the year. Students will rotate through different presentations that cover learning outcomes from the Health Curriculum that are not covered in

Health Classes. On November 4th, we will host our first Health Day. We have a number of engaging presentations scheduled from both teachers and guest presenters. Students will rotate through four 20 minute presentations, and then attend an assembly focusing on digital citizenship and online safety. The assembly will also be focusing on technology use and associated health factors. Swag and prizes will be given out during the assembly courtesy of School Council.

Volley Ball

Volleyball Playoffs are around the corner!
LSAA Playoffs
¼ Final Tuesday November 8th



Girls ¼ final vs St Francis (Game time 4:15pm)
Boys ¼ final vs FLVT (Game time 4:15pm)

Special note. Teams will need to win their ¼ final match to qualify for the semi finals and finals being held at Wilson Middle School on Wednesday November 9th starting at 4:00pm. More information will follow.

Basketball

Basketball ID Camp Schedule 2022-23 season
(See Schedule Below for your ID camp Session)

Programs and Head Coaches:

Rep (Varsity) Boys – **Gene Watson**

Rep (Varsity) Girls – **Wes Spring**

Developmental Club (“D” Club) Boys – **Tyler Green**

Developmental Club (“D” Club) Girls – **Dani Malec**

General Club (“G” Club) – **Sheanne Johnston** (Please note that General “G” Basketball Club does not require an ID camp. Anyone who would like to join is welcome. (First Session Nov 25th 11:40-1:00pm)



Special note: First night (November 15th) is for grade 6’s only. All coaches will be present to assess the grade 6 boys and girls.

ID Camps are posted on page 4



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Parent Council Save the Date

SENATOR JOYCE FAIRBAIRN SCHOOL COUNCIL PRESENTS

NATE WEBB

A DAY OF CONNECTION

NATE IS A SCHOOL COUNSELOR, EXPERT IN BULLYING PREVENTION, CERTIFIED SCREEN SAFETY EDUCATOR, AND FATHER.

PLEASE JOIN US TO LEARN HOW TO BE RESILIENT AGAINST HATERS, HOW TO TAKE POWER BACK FROM SOCIAL MEDIA, AND HOW TO BE POSITIVE IN A NEGATIVE WORLD.

WHEN:
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2022
10:30-11:30 AM

WHERE:
SENATOR JOYCE FAIRBAIRN
MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Parent Council Save the Date

SCHOOL COUNCILS THROUGHOUT LETHBRIDGE SCHOOL DIVISION PRESENT:

Division School Council

PARENT NIGHT WITH NATE WEBB

A NIGHT OF EDUCATION

NATE IS A SCHOOL COUNSELOR, EXPERT IN BULLYING PREVENTION, CERTIFIED SCREEN SAFETY EDUCATOR, AND FATHER.

PLEASE JOIN US TO LEARN HOW TO BETTER HELP OUR KIDS FACE THEIR BULLIES, SAFELY NAVIGATE TECH AND SOCIAL MEDIA, AND DEVELOP A GREATER SENSE OF SELF WORTH.

WHEN:
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2022
7:00 PM

WHERE:
CHINOOK HIGH SCHOOL
259 BRITANNIA BLVD WEST

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YEARBOOKS On Sale Now!

ATTENTION PARENTS:

Don't forget to order your student's copy of the 2022-2023 yearbook! COPIES ARE LIMITED! Order yours now by scanning the QR CODE HERE >>>

DEADLINE: FEB. 14, 2023 | COST: \$42.00



Falcons Apparel

[Order Here](#)

The store will be open from November 2nd to November 13th at 10pm. Follow this link to see all the Falcon swag available : <https://sjfs22.itemorder.com/shop/category/124303/>





Arconic STEM Club

Middle School & Junior High School Students

2022-23 Friday Afterschool Club for
Grades 6-9



With help from the **Arconic Foundation**, the university of Lethbridge is able to bring STEM to middle school and junior high students (Gr 6-9). These clubs are run in partnership with the Lethbridge School District and Holy Spirit Catholic School District school within Lethbridge. This club is provided to an equal number of those identifying as female and male. This gender balance provides an opportunity to breakdown existing stereotypes and to open the conversation about equal opportunity for all to participate in science.

Each club explores the exciting world of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math through activities and discussions. Students will engage with mentors who are role models within their fields of expertise. Throughout this club, participants will be able to discover career connections related to their interests in the fields of STEM.

Anyone interested in joining at SSJF should email:

justin.molas@lethsd.ab.ca

It is scheduled to be at SJF on Friday Nov 18 & 25, Dec 2 & 9. Please note there is NO fee associated with club this year.

Club runs from 11:45-2:15pm. There will be half an hour at the beginning of club for students to eat and connect with the instructors before the

Empty Water Bottles

Our Art Program is collecting empty 500mL water bottles for an art project for Fairbairn Festival. Please donate today! Bring the bottles by

November 4th to
Mrs. Martens in
the Art Room.



Reminder

Halloween Treats

We encourage that **all** Halloween candy / treats stay at home. If you are sending in a treat in your students lunch, please ensure that it is **nut free** as we have students that have potential life-threatening food allergies to peanuts and tree nuts.

Thank you in advance for making our students environment a safe and healthy place.



Families in financial need for Christmas Supports can sign up for Angel Tree here: [Lethbridge Family Services](#)

Please contact Mrs. Lomness or Ms. Kalau in the Wellness Centre if you need assistance with registration or **need access to free winter gear for children in your family.**

Fees for class options are payable now on
[School Cash Online](#)

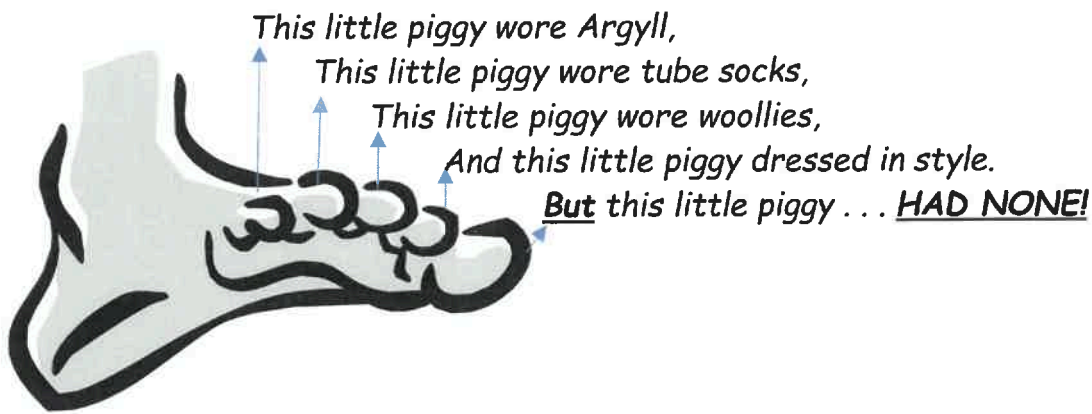
If you need help please contact the office



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Date	Grd 6,7,8 B/G Club	Boys D-Club	Girls D-Club	Grade 8 Girls Rep	Grade 8 Boys Rep			
Nov-15				3:45:pm-5:15pm (Gr.6)	5:15pm-6:45pm (Gd 6)	ID Camps - Gr. 6 only		
Nov-16		3:45:pm-5:15pm (Gr.7-8)	5:15pm-6:45pm (Gd 7-8)	5:15pm-6:45pm (Gd 7-8)	3:45:pm-5:15pm (Gr.7-8)	ID Camps - Gr. 7 & 8 (some grade 6 call-backs - coaches discretion)		
Nov-17		7:15am-8:30am (Grd 6)	7:15am-8:30am (Grd 6)	3:45:pm-5:15pm (Gr.7-8)	5:15pm-6:45pm (Gd 7-8)	ID Camps - Gr. 7 & 8 (some grade 6 call-backs - coaches discretion)		
Nov-18		TBA (Coaches Choice)	TBA (Coaches Choice)	TBA (Coaches Choice)	TBA (Coaches Choice)	ID Camps - Rep and D call backs. (Coaches Discretion) Teams Finalized		



This little piggy wore Argyll,

This little piggy wore tube socks,

This little piggy wore woollies,

And this little piggy dressed in style.

But this little piggy . . . HAD NONE!

It's time for

22nd ANNUAL

OPERATION:

SOCK IT TO 'EM

From November 1 to December 15, 2022

**Nord-Bridge Seniors Centre, the Caretakers
& Maintenance staff in Lethbridge & Area
schools are collecting *NEW SOCKS* to be
donated to local charities and those less
Fortunate for Christmas.**

***Please* join them and make Someone's Christmas
a little bit warmer!**

**To donate, contact any Custodial staff at
your local school.**

QUESTIONS?

Call Gail Petrie (403) 327-6520

Charlene Kocken (403) 329-3222

-Nord-Bridge Seniors Centre

-Lethbridge School District #51

-Holy Spirit School

-Palliser Regional School