

Around the DIVISION



Events and Activities Happening
in Our Schools

September 26 - October 9, 2022

FEATURED EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

EVENT: NATIONAL DAY OF TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

School: Division Wide

Time: All Day

Location: All Schools

Details: All schools are commemorating National Day for Truth and Reconciliation and Orange Shirt Day on September 29 when over 11,000 students and 1,500 staff will watch a Division-wide video commemorating the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

Contact: Hayley Christen at 403-343-1405

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

EVENT: GRASS DANCER PRESENTATION

School: Mattie McCullough Elementary

Time: 10:00 am

Location: Behind the school in the field (weather permitting)
or in the school gymnasium

Details: A dancer from the Red Deer Aboriginal Dance Troupe will dance for our students as part of activities this week for National Truth and Reconciliation Day/Orange Shirt Day.

Contact: Diane Roberts at 403-343-8958

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

EVENT: ABORIGINAL DANCE TROUPE PERFORMANCE

School: Normandeau School

Time: 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Location: Field behind school

Details: The Aboriginal Dance Troupe is a School Council sponsored event that will allow our families to enjoy an evening of music and dance.

Contact: Kim Kirkwood at 403-342-0727

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

EVENT: FAMILY BOOK FAIR EVENT

School: Joseph Welsh Elementary

Time: 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location: School Library

Details: We are so excited to be hosting the book fair for our families starting Monday Sept 26 and ending on the Sept 29 with our family event!

Contact: Eva Grenier at 403-346-6377

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

EVENT: FALL BAND WORKSHOP

School: Lindsay Thurber Comprehensive High

Time: 7:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location: Camp Caroline

Details: Students will work with guest clinicians and a guest conductor throughout the day reviewing musical fundamentals and getting to know each other.

Contact: Jennifer Mann at 403-347-1171
ext. 1704

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

EVENT: LINDSAY THURBER RAIDERS FOOTBALL HOME OPENER & ALUMNI NIGHT

School: Lindsay Thurber Comprehensive High

Time: 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Location: Setters Place

Details: Lindsay Thurber Football team's season Home Opener will be played again the Notre Dame Cougars. Raiders Football Alumni are invited to watch the game from the viewing box while enjoying snacks and sharing great football memories.

Contact: Logan Grenier at 403-347-1171

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

EVENT: PASSIVE SOLAR GREENHOUSE - GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY

School: Normandeau School

Time: 1:45 pm

Location: School

Details: The Foundation for Red Deer Public Schools is thrilled to be hosting a ground breaking ceremony for the Passive Solar Greenhouse which will be located at Normandeau School. This greenhouse will let kids play in the dirt while developing practical life skills, gain new perspectives on food while enhancing green building technologies beyond our school.

Contact: Kim Kirkwood at 403-342-0727

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

EVENT: ORANGE SHIRT DAY

School: West Park Middle

Time: 8:00 am

Location: Front of School

Details: During Truth and Reconciliation Week our school will be doing lessons on Orange Shirt Day and Residential Schools. During these lessons we will be working on a school wide project, creating an honorary rock garden. On September 29, in the morning we will be laying our rocks at the front of the school to honour those impacted by Residential Schools.

Contact: Savannah Svederus at 403-506-8426

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5

EVENT: TURTLE ISLAND TEACHINGS WITH THE RED DEER NATIVE FRIENDSHIP CENTRE

School: Mattie McCullough Elementary

Time: All Day

Location: School Gymnasium

Details: Grade 5 students will spend the day with Amy from the Red Deer Native Friendship Centre learning about Indigenous teachings while building islands on the backs of "turtles" along with playing Indigenous games.

Contact: Rachel Wiebe at 403-343-8958