

Delburne Centralized School

Weekly Update

February 16, 2024

WINTER BREAK

Just a reminder that our winter break will run from February 19-23. Students will return to school on Monday, February 26th.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION

On February 22 and 23, all of the Delburne Centralized teachers will be attending the annual Teachers' Convention. This year, teachers have been given the choice to attend the Convention in Red Deer or Calgary. The Teachers' Convention provides our teachers with an opportunity to further their knowledge and understanding of educational pedagogy. Current and future practices around curriculum, ideas for academic intervention, and strategies to build student wellness will be key areas of focus at this year's convention.

GRADE 7 - 12 SKI TRIP

Due to rising costs in every aspect associated with our high school overnight ski trip, we have shifted to a one day ski trip to Nakiska for our Grade 7 - 12 students. This will take place on Monday, March 11th. Attached to the base of this announcement is the letter highlighting the cost breakdown. All students in grades 7 - 12 will receive a field trip notification. The first 50 students to sign up and pay will go on the field trip. This form will come out as soon as finance is able to process it, so please watch your emails throughout the week.

CAREERS

Ms. Ray, our Career Counsellor, has been busy setting up Post-Secondary information opportunities for our high school students. In addition to these opportunities, please be sure to check out the Google Classrooms set up for each grade 9 - 12 class for further information. The following are some upcoming Career opportunities for our students.

- February 14th - Our grade 11 and 12 students had a Financial Aid Presentation, our grade 10 CALM class learned about internships opportunities and students were able to have one on one Career Portal interviews.
- March 19th - SAIT/MRU Tour (Grade 11 and 12's)
- March 20th - Economics in Success-Grade 9's all morning
- March 21st - UofA Med Students-Presentation and Activity
- March 22nd-RDP Tour- (Grade 11 and 12's)
- April 25th-Career Expo and Young Women in Trades and Technology-RDP Grades 10-12
- April 30th-Career Meeting
- May 7th-World of Choice (Grade 10's) Red Deer Polytechnic
- May 9th-Skills Canada (Grades 10-12) Edmonton Expo Center
- May 15th-Olds Discovery Days

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SPRING DCS STORE

We are excited to open up our spring DCS Online Store through Northstar Sports. Please visit the link to make your order. <https://dcsapparelspring24.itemorder.com>

The online store will:

- OPEN: Friday Feb 9
- CLOSE: Wednesday, Feb 28
- DELIVERY: Week of March 18th

PINK SHIRT DAY

Just a reminder that on Wednesday, February 28th Delburne School will honour Pink Shirt Day. Pink Shirt Day began in 2007 when two students stood up for a student who was being bullied for wearing a pink shirt to school. Pink Shirt Day is an opportunity to work together to stop bullying, celebrate diversity and promote kindness and inclusiveness. We ask that you wear a pink shirt on February 28th to show your support of this very important day.

POWERSCHOOL REPORT CARDS

Grade 5-12 Report Cards are now available in your Parent Portal in PowerSchool. Thank you for your patience. You can access your students report card on the left hand side Navigation Menu - Student Report. If you have any questions please contact the school office.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION OPEN

Kindergarten Registration is now open. Children who turn 5 by December 31, 2024 are eligible for the 2024/2025 Kindergarten school year.

Please use this link: <https://www.cesd73.ca/programs/early-childhood-services>

If you have any questions regarding the registration process, please call Mrs. Page at 403-749-3838.

VALENTINE DONATION

A huge thank you is extended to an anonymous donor for donating a carnation to every student in the school. Thank you so much for your generosity and kindness!

JUNIOR CURLING BONSPIEL

When we return we will have our Junior Curling Bonspiel Feb 26 - 29. For those that entered a team, please watch for the online field trip form and payment option to come through to your email.

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HOT LUNCH

Hot Lunch is available to order online. <https://www.studentquickpay.com/chinook/>

ON THE CALENDAR

MONDAY February 19	TUESDAY February 20	WEDNESDAY February 21	THURSDAY February 22	FRIDAY February 23
Winter Break - No School	Winter Break - No School	Winter Break - No School	Winter Break - No School Teachers' Convention	Winter Break - No School Teachers' Convention JR B Girls Basketball Game @ Erskine 6:00-8:30
MONDAY February 26	TUESDAY February 27	WEDNESDAY February 28	THURSDAY February 29	FRIDAY March 1
Junior Curling Bonspiel JR A Girls Basketball Practice 4:30-6:00	Junior Curling Bonspiel Boys and Girls Club JR B Girls Basketball Practice 3:15-4:15 JR Boys Basketball Practice 3:15-4:30	Pink Shirt Day Junior Curling Bonspiel JR A Girls Basketball Practice 4:30-6:00	Junior Curling Bonspiel JR B Girls Basketball Practice 3:15-4:15 JR Boys Basketball Practice 3:15-4:30	M/W Kindergarten JR Boys and Girls Basketball Finals at IMS

Red Deer Polytechnic

Parent Night

Do you have a high school student interested in attending RDP? Join us and learn more about:

- Programs
- Entrance requirements
- Funding
- Awards and scholarships
- Application process

Wednesday,
March 13

7 – 8 pm

RDP
Main Campus,
Margaret
Parsons
Theatre



Register now:



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Delburne School Spirit Wear - Spring 2024

You can now purchase your items online in 3 easy steps:

1. Scan the QR code or go online to <https://dcsapparelsspring24.itemorder.com/>
2. Choose your items and add them to your cart
3. Securely checkout with your credit card

Online Store Deadline: Wednesday February 28th, 2024 (11:59pm MST)

Cotton Short Sleeve_Screen Youth 4 Colors \$20.00	Performance Short Sleeve_Screen Youth 3 Colors \$25.00	Tech Long Sleeve Tee_Screen Youth 3 Colors \$30.00	Fleece Hoodie_Screen Youth 4 Colors \$36.00	Fleece Hoodie_Embroidery Youth 4 Colors \$37.00	Fleece Hoodie_Twill Youth 4 Colors \$45.00
Fleece Full Zip Hooded Sweatshirt_Embroidery Youth 3 Colors \$48.00	Pro Team Shorts_Embroidery Youth 3 Colors \$32.00	Sweatpants_Embroidery Youth 3 Colors \$32.00	Cotton Short Sleeve_Screen Adult 4 Colors \$20.00	Performance Short Sleeve_Screen Adult 3 Colors \$25.00	Tech Long Sleeve Tee_Screen Men's 3 Colors \$30.00
Crew Neck_Screen Adult 4 Colors \$31.00	Crew Neck_Embroidery Adult 4 Colors \$32.00	Crew Neck_Twill Adult 4 Colors \$40.00	Fleece Hoodie_Screen Adult 4 Colors \$36.00	Fleece Hoodie_Embroidery Adult 4 Colors \$37.00	Fleece Hoodie_Twill Adult 4 Colors \$45.00

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Questions?
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Fleece Full Zip
Hooded
Sweatshirt_Embroidery
| Adult



3 Colors

\$48.00

Nike Tech Dri-Fit
Polo_Embroidery |
Men's



2 Colors

\$79.00

Nike Tech Basic Dri-Fit
Polo_Embroidery |
Ladies



2 Colors

\$79.00

Stormtech Axis
Lightweight
Shell_Embroidery |
Men's



2 Colors

\$72.00

Stormtech Women's
Axis Shell_Embroidery
| Ladies



2 Colors

\$72.00

Pro Team
Shorts_Embroidery |
Adult



3 Colors

\$32.00

Sweatpants_Embroidery
Adult



\$32.00

Pacific Headwear
Trucker Snapback
Cap_Embroidery



2 Colors

\$26.00

Premium Ring Spun
Jogger_Embroidery |
Adult



2 Colors

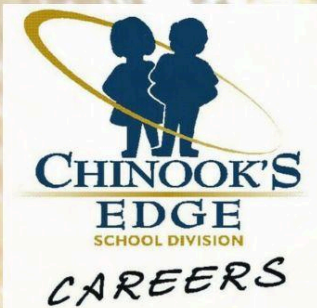
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Are you looking for a part time job that doesn't involve weekends or summers?

Would you like to have a positive influence on our school aged youth?

We're looking for dedicated individuals to join our team as School Bus Drivers!

What You'll Do:

- Safely transport students to and from school
- Follow designated routes and schedules while adhering to all traffic laws and safety regulations.
- Conduct pre-trip and post-trip inspections to ensure the bus is in optimal condition.
- Provide exceptional customer service to students, parents, and school staff.

What We're Looking For:

- Valid Driver's License (minimum Class 5 - non GDL)
- Strong communication skills and ability to interact professionally with peers, students and staff.
- Commitment to safety and reliability.

Why Join Us:

- Competitive pay and benefits package.
- Comprehensive paid training and ongoing support.
- Flexible schedules to accommodate your lifestyle.
- Be part of a supportive team dedicated to the safety and well-being of our community's children.

APPLY TODAY:

www.cesd73.ca

under

Careers/Support
Staff/Spare Bus
Drivers

403-227-7072

transportation@cesd73.ca

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Grade 7-12 Nakiska Ski/Snowboard Trip

COST

DCS will send out permission forms and online payment information via email. Nakiska Ski Resort requires you to fill in the attached paperwork. ****The first 50 students to complete forms and payment, will be accepted.**

	Cost includes Busing	
Lesson Only	\$120	I have my own equipment and lift pass.
Lift and Lesson	\$146	I have my own equipment.
Rental and Lesson	\$152	I have my own lift pass at Nakiska.
Lift, Lesson and Rental	\$157	I need everythig

Monday, March 11 - Schedule

5:00am	Arrive at DCS
5:15 am	Leave Delburne School.
5:15 am - 8:00 am	Travel to Nakiska
8:00 am - 8:20am	Orientation, gather belongings at the meeting place in the lodge
9:00 am - 3:30 pm	Lessons and time to ski/snowboard. **All students are required to take a lesson.
4:00pm - 7:00pm	Travel back to DCS
7:00pm	Please make sure there is a parent/guardian at DCS to pick you up.

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NOTES

1. Lessons are mandatory for all levels according to Chinook's Edge School Division Safety Policy.
2. Students who are not participating in either the skiing/snowboarding are required to be at school.
3. Students who don't follow the rules will lose their skiing/snowboarding privileges for the day.
4. Chaperones will be: Mrs Biggs, Mr. Schultz, Mrs. Senecal (driver), Mrs. McEachern, Ms. MJ
5. This is an outdoor activity and as such all students need to come prepared with the necessary outdoor clothing (layers of clothes, coats, snow pants, gloves and toques).
6. Please send a bag lunch, water and snacks for the return bus ride. Students are also welcome to bring money to buy lunch/snacks at the hill.
7. There are 50 spots for this trip. The first 50 students who hand their paperwork to Tasha will get the spots. The other students will go on a waiting list. Permission forms will be sent after paper copies of the forms have been received. Your spot is confirmed when payment has been received.
8. All students are required to wear a helmet according to Chinook's Edge School Division Safety Policy. If you do not own a helmet, they can be rented for no charge at Nakiska.
9. This is an exciting opportunity for our Grade 7-12 students. Please understand that in order for this trip to be successful we need to ensure students are behaving in a responsible and respectful manner. If our chaperones or DCS Administration have any concerns pertaining to these student expectations, the student and parents will be contacted.

On March 11th, my child will be picked up at 7:00pm by the following person:

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

OR

On March 11th, my child has my permission to walk home.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

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ABILITY LEVEL GUIDE



Ski Ability Levels Snowboard Ability Levels

Level 1	I have never skied before. I want to learn to stop and turn.	I have never snowboarded before. I want to learn to stop and turn.
Level 2	I can stop sometimes and turn. I want to be in control using my turns so I can go to the chairlift.	I can stop sometimes and turn on both edges. I want to be in control using my turns so I can go to the chairlift.
Level 3	I can ski in control using my turns on green runs and I'm ready for the chairlift. I want to start skiing parallel so I can explore Blue runs.	I can ride in control using my turns on green runs and I'm ready for the chairlift. I want to develop my turns to explore blue runs.
Level 4	I can ski mostly parallel in control on blue runs. I want to ski full parallel to explore steeper black runs.	I can ride with flow using my turns on blue runs. I want to keep my flow in my turns when riding steeper black runs.
Level 5	I can ski full parallel on all groomed runs. I want to develop high performance skiing and explore all mountain terrain.	I can ride with flow using my turns on all groomed runs. I want to develop high performance riding and explore all mountain terrain.

VIDEOS; <https://skinakiska.com/purchase/telus-winter-sports-school/ability-levels/>

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STUDENT INFORMATION FORM

(Parents to complete)



Student Name: _____ Student Grade: _____

Age: _____ Gender: _____

What do you require? Please tick all that apply:

- ☐ Lessons
- ☐ Rentals
- ☐ Lift Pass
- ☐ Helmet

If you require **Rentals**, all of the following information must be provided to allow the rentals to be ready on arrival:

Shoe Size: _____ (US Sizes) Height: _____ ft _____ inches Weight: _____ lbs

- ☐ Skis & Boots ☐ Ski Boots Only ☐ Skis Only
☐ Snowboard & Boots ☐ SB Boots Only ☐ SB Only

If you require **Rentals and/or Lessons**, please indicate the ski or snowboard ability level and skier type (skiers only) using the guides (page 12 & 13):

Skier Type: _____

Ability Level: _____

Please complete this form with accurate information. Any missing or inaccurate information may delay pick up of rental equipment and lesson starting times.

Once completed, please return this sheet to the Teacher