

COUNTY CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL



June 2018

Home of the Hawks



Important Dates

- June 1 - Friday #2
Jr. G Baseball League Final
- June 5 - Sports Council Mtg. 5:30 Pm
- June 7 - SU BBQ
- June 7-9 - Provincial Rugby
- June 8 - Friday #1
Last day for Sports Banquet Tickets
- June 9 & 10 - Spock Days
- June 12 - Band Concert 6:30 Pm CRC
- June 13 - English 30-1/2 Part A
- June 14 - Social 30-1/2 Part A
- June 15 - Friday #2
- June 18 - Parent Council Float Day
- June 19 - Last Day of Class Gr. 7-12
- June 20 - SPORTS BANQUET 5:30 Pm
English 30-1/2 Part B
Physics 20
Social 10-1/2
LA 9 PAT
Social 8
LA 7
- June 21 - Social 20-1/2
English 10
Science 8
Math 7
- June 22- Grad Ceremony CRC 6:30 pm
Social 30-1/2 Part B
English 20
Math 10
Math 9 PAT
LA 8
Science 7
- June 23 - Grad Dinner & Dance
- June 25 - Math 30
Math 20
Science 10
Science 9 PAT
Math 8
Social 7
- June 26 - Chemistry 30
Science 24
Science 14
Social 9 PAT
- June 28- Physics 30
Science 30 (Outreach)

An events calendar is attached to this newsletter. You can also check the CCHS website for any events, dates or time changes.

GRAD 2018

I only have a few grade 12 students who have yet to bring their photos for the grad PowerPoint presentation. Please get them to me as soon as possible.

All photos will be returned as soon as they have been scanned. Thank you to those students who have already brought in photos.

Mrs. Povey

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Well, it is hard to believe that we are already into June. Where did the time go? It feels like just yesterday we opened the school doors to a new school year, but that was nearly 10 months ago. The year has passed by very quickly, and now the students and staff are finishing up their courses and getting ready for final exams.

With final exams approaching we recognize that this can be a very busy and stressful time of year for our students. The anxiety of studying, preparing, and writing their exams while trying balancing their extra-curricular activities can be difficult for adults let alone students. It is, therefore, very important that our students receive support from both home and school to help them find and achieve this balance. To help support and prepare our students for their exams, teachers will hold review sessions throughout exam week. A schedule of these review sessions will be sent out very soon.

Our cap and gown commencement ceremony will be held on the evening of Friday, June 22nd and is open to anyone who would like to come out and support our graduates as we acknowledge this milestone in their young lives. I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the graduating class of 2018 for all their hard work and perseverance over the past 13 years. Keep working hard through your finals and beyond and you will achieve all of your goals.

Lastly, I would like to thank all the students, staff, parents, and community for all your support and help over this past year. I have enjoyed this past year more than I can say and I will be forever grateful for all the friendships that I have made. Please enjoy the summer holidays and stay safe.

Marty Leach
B.SC, B.Ed., M.Ed.

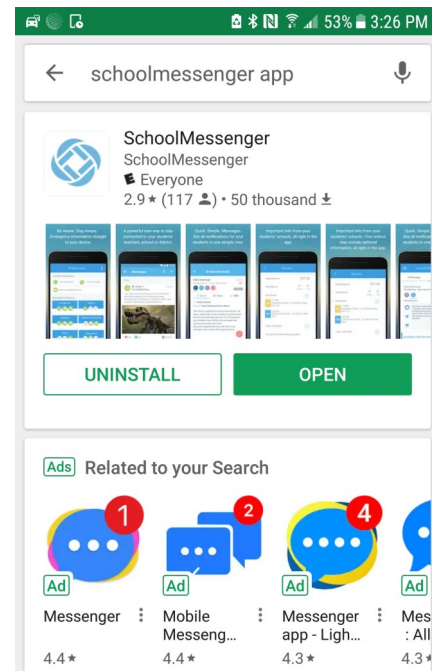
NEW ATTENDANCE APP

Parents sorry for the short notice but as of Monday, June 4th Palliser Regional Schools will be using a different app for recording school absences. We will be switching from "SafeArrival" to "Schoolmessenger".

The new app combines absence reporting with the communicate broadcasts from the school so that when you log into the app, you see all this in your account.

The NEW/UPDATED application for mobile devices is "SchoolMessenger" and looks like the app below (available for FREE for both Apple & Android devices). Once the app is installed, you just need to signup (making sure the country is set to Canada and using the same email you've been using for SafeArrival). You will need to sign up the first time you log in to create your account, you will create a new password & then you will be linked to the same student(s) you currently have access to in "SafeArrival" If you are accessing from a computer please go to go.schoolmessenger.ca for the app.

Thank you.



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CCHS SPORTS BANQUET

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20TH

5:30 Pm CRC

Students & parents if you plan on attending please RSVP as soon as possible. Deadline is June 8th.

Athletes please pick your tickets up from Mrs. Povey.

BAND NOTES

Upcoming Performances

June 9 - Spock Days Parade -
Rock Band 9 am
Spock Days "Busking"
Open Mic Style 11-3 Pm

June 12 - Spring Concert CRC
All Band Members
Rock Band Starts 6:30 Pm

June 15 - Patio Party -
Rock Band & Band 9
Time & Location TBA by
Rec. department

EUROPE 2019



Any students who are interested in the Europe 2019 trip please see Mrs. Thompson.

REMINDER

Parents just a quick reminder that all fees should now be paid. If you need a list of fees still owed they are available online. If you have any questions please call the school 403-485-2223.



LETTER TO PARENTS

Dear Parents,

It is once more that time of year when Sports Council is looking for donations for our Auction Fundraiser which is held the night of our Sports Awards Banquet. Annually, we have approximately 180 of our students participating in our sports programs. The budget for our Athletic programs is in excess of \$80,000 per year.

The goal of the CCHS Sports Council is to ensure that all students have the opportunity to participate in school sports by keeping our Athletic fees to a minimum. In order to achieve this goal it is necessary to raise funds to offset these costs. One of these ways is to hold our Annual Sports Award Banquet Silent Auction.

This year we are looking to change things up a bit and have decided to go with a raffle table instead of the silent auction. We are in desperate need of donations for this event. In the past few years we have found it difficult to get donations and have seen a drop in the number of items on our auction tables. In the past the bulk of these donations have come from parents (whether they donated themselves or have asked a local business to donate). We are asking that you consider donating an item for our raffle table. Popular items are gift certificates, green fees, movie passes, sports equipment, sportswear,, recreational/leisure items and giftware.

As a Sports Council we want to continue to recognize athletic achievements, but we also have to be fiscally responsible. Unfortunately, if we do not get the donations we need to make this event successful, we will have to look at doing things differently as we move forward. Please consider making a donation to this event. For those of you that have made donations in the past; thank you for helping us to run this event. Sports Council could not function without your support.

If you wish to donate an item or if you have any questions please contact Jeanette or Janice or you can drop it off at the school by Monday, June 18th. Our contact information is set out below. Thank you for considering making a donation to our raffle table.

Sincerely,

Jeanette Thomas & Janice Povey

CCHS Sports Council Members and Auction Coordinators

Jeanette - Home Phone 403-534-2191 Cell Phone 403-485-7540
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Janice - Home Phone 403-897-3977 Cell Phone 403-894-3977
email Janice.povey@pallisersd.ab.ca

GR. 12 GRADUATION

Friday, June 22
6:30 Pm
CRC

Come celebrate with County Central High's grade 12 class.
Everyone welcome.

June Hot Lunch

June 5 Sweet Chilli Chicken
Wrap \$4.00

June 7 SU BBQ

June 12 Bacon Mac & Cheese \$5.00

June 14 Pizza \$4.00
Pepperoni, Cheese, Deluxe or
Hawaiian

CONGRATULATIONS, MR. BRANDLEY
on your RETIREMENT!!

Thank you so much for the last 32 years!
Good luck & best wishes from your
CCHS family!!

CAREER COUNSELLOR

EXAM TIPS

- 1) **Do a Memory Dump:** Before starting the test write down anything you feel you might forget on the back of the test paper.
- 2) **Read:** Read all the instructions in the test before you look at the questions. Underline key information, such as length of time, weighting of marks, etc.
- 3) **Find:** Looking through your test to begin with may help as often times **ANSWERS** can be found further on in the test.
- 4) **Chew Gum (mint-flavoured):** Chewing gum releases anxiety and helps the brain focus. Studies have shown that students who chew gum during exams (specifically mint-flavoured) receive higher scores.
- 5) **Multiple-Choice:** Divide the questions into the minutes for your exam; Put a check beside the ones that look easier and do those ones first; for the other questions - cover up your choices and try and think of the answer before looking and eliminate the ones you know are wrong. **NEVER** leave a question blank. **IF** you have to guess, look for clues in the questions to see if it asks for a singular (is) or plural (are) answer. Also choosing "All of the Above" or "None of the Above" are good guesses.

DIPLOMA MARKS

This is a reminder to Grade 12 students that in order to access their June diploma marks, they will have to log into their MyPass accounts. Link: <https://public.education.alberta.ca/PASI/myPass/Welcome/Index>

SCHOLARSHIPS

Grade 11 students can apply for the University of Lethbridge Grade 11 Merit Scholarships, which entitles students with a 75 - 79.9% average with \$500 towards U of L tuition and those students with an 80% or above average a total of \$800 towards U of L tuition once they've graduated. **DUE: JUNE 30.** Link: goo.gl/g5E8j7

UPCOMING DEADLINES

July 20: Health Sciences Career Academy

If you are interested in the health care field, this one week summer camp, August 7-10, will be for you! If you would like to learn more about it, visit the CCHS webpage and look under School News to learn more about registration and programs offered. Link: <http://countycentral.ca/about/school-news/post/2018-health-academy-program-for-grades-10-12>

December 30: Benjamin Bloom \$2500 (US) Student Scholarship

Visit the County Central website to learn more about this scholarship and its guidelines. Look under the School News tab. Link:

<http://countycentral.ca/about/school-news/post/benjamin-bloom-2500-us-student-scholarship>

Scholarships Canada.com is a one-stop shopping website for students. Students should sign up and then Scholarships Canada will email them scholarships that match their profiles!

<http://www.scholarshipscanada.com/>

STUDENT LOANS/LINES OF CREDIT

There's also the option of getting a Student Loan. Visit <http://studentaid.alberta.ca/> to apply. The link is on the right-hand side of the page. This website also offers Simple Steps to apply as well as tips for repayment. Students **WILL NEED** their Alberta Student Number, which is on their transcripts on the top right-hand side (ASN) as well as their Social Insurance Number. Line of Credit - Vulcan's Chinook Credit Union offers a Student Line of Credit allowing students to borrow up to \$10,000 per year to a maximum of \$40,000 as well as a Student Account. Most banks offer similar opportunities.

For other scholarship information, talk to Ms. Hill or visit the County Central webpage and look under **School News**.

If you have any questions, please contact me via email at: angela.hill@pallisersd.ab.ca

APPOINTMENT OF PRINCIPAL FOR COUNTY CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

We are pleased to announce that Leanne Hellman has been appointed to the role of Principal for County Central High School commencing August 27, 2018.



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STUDENT PRICE CARD™

Student Price Cards will be available this year again. We have asked that they be sent out to us at the beginning of August (so you will have them for "Back to School" shopping). If you would like to pre-order a Student Price Card (SPC) for \$10.00, please give your name, a contact number you can be reached in August, and your money to the office. When the cards arrive, we will contact you to make pick-up arrangements. If you need any information about SPC cards, please see Mrs. Wouters.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE – JUNE 2018

June 11 MONDAY 8:45-12:30	June 12 TUESDAY 8:45-12:30	June 13 WEDNESDAY 8:45-12:30	June 14 THURSDAY 8:45-12:30	June 15 FRIDAY 8:45-12:30
		ENGLISH 30-1/2 Part A	SOCIAL 30-1/2 Part A	
June 18 MONDAY	June 19 TUESDAY	June 20 WEDNESDAY 8:45 – 12:30	June 21 THURSDAY 8:45 – 12:30	June 22 FRIDAY 8:45 – 12:30
	Last day of classes for Gr. 7-12.	ENGLISH 30-1/2 Part B PHYSICS 20 SOCIAL 10-1/2 LA 9 SOCIAL 8 LA 7	SOCIAL 20-1/2 ENGLISH 10 SCIENCE 8 MATH 7	SOCIAL 30 Part B ENGLISH 20 MATH 10 MATH 9 LA 8 SCIENCE 7
June 25 MONDAY 8:45 - 12:30	June 26 TUESDAY 8:45 - 12:30	June 27 WEDNESDAY 8:45 - 12:30	June 28 THURSDAY 8:45 - 12:30	June 29 FRIDAY
MATH 30 MATH 20 SCIENCE 10 SCIENCE 9 MATH 8 SOCIAL 7	CHEMISTRY 30 SCIENCE 24 SCIENCE 14 SOCIAL 9		PHYSICS 30 9-12 pm SCIENCE 30(Outreach) 1-4 pm	

With the exception of Part A for English 30 and Social 30, high school exams will be written in their respective classrooms.
 Unless otherwise noted, Grade 9 PATs will be written in the Palliser room.
 Unless otherwise noted, Grade 8 Exams will be written in Mr. Ressler's classroom (Rm 215).

June 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Friday 2 J. G. Baseball @ Lethbridge	2
3 Drop in Basketball 3:30-5	4	5 FCSS CRC Sports Council Mtg: 5:30 B. Rugby 5:30 Field G. Rugby 4:00 Field	6 G. Rugby 4:00 Field B. Rugby 5:30 Field Drop In Basketball	7 Provincial Rugby SU BBQ	8 Friday 1 Provincial Rugby	9 Spock Days Provincial Rugby
10 Drop in Basketball 3:30-5 Spock Days	11	12 Band Concert 7 Pm CRC	13 English 30 Part A Drop In Basketball	14 Social 30 Part A	15 Friday 2	16 Wedding CRC
17	18 Parent Council Float Day	19 Last Day of Classes for all grades	20 Sports Banquet English 30 Part B Gr. 9 LA PAT Part B Physics 20 Social 10-1/2 Social 8 LA 7	21 Social 20-1/2 English 10 Science 8 Math 7	22 GRAD CEREMONY Social 30 Part B Gr. 9 Math PAT English 20 Math 10 LA 8 Science 7	23 GRAD Dinner
24	25 Math 30 Gr. 9 Science PAT Math 20 Science 10 Math 8 Social 7	26 Chemistry 30 Gr. 9 Social PAT Science 24 Science 14	27 Drop In Basketball	28 Physics 30 Science 30 (Outreach)	29 PD Day	30 PD Day

