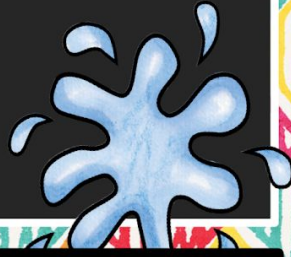




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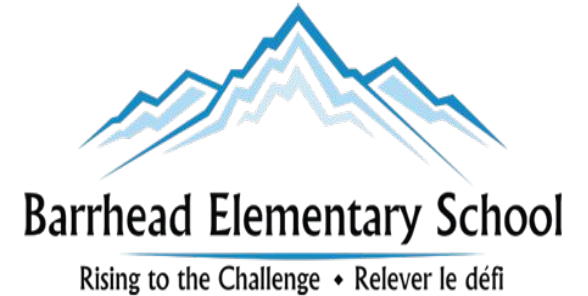


What's a pirate's favourite class to take in school?



**HAHA**

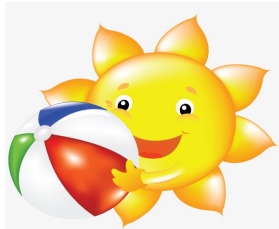
**ARRRRRT!**



Kindergarten Monday/Wednesday last day – June 26  
Kindergarten Tuesday/Thursday last day – June 22

Grade 1–6 last day – June 27  
Staff last day ...June 28

Have a wonderful  
**SUMMER!**



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## PARKING VIOLATION



*Your vehicle is illegally parked in a staff parking area, on a crosswalk or in a no-parking zone.*

*Your license plate number has been recorded. If this vehicle is parked in this area again, it will be reported. Use ONLY identified public parking spaces.*

*Thank you for your cooperation.*

If you have questions about this notice, contact Barrhead Elementary School at 780.674.8518 or be.main@pembinahws.ca.

## IMPORTANT!

As of Feb. 14, 2023, we have been placing a Violation Notice if you are parked in a staff parking stall. There won't be a charge for the violation at this point. Please let the office know if you see someone parked where they shouldn't be... ex: in your stall, on a crosswalk or other no parking zones. We place the Parking Violation notice on their windshield and record their license plate number.

Hello Spring Hello Spring Hello Spring Hello Spring Hello Spring Hello Spring Hello Spring Hello Spring Hello Spring

## SCHOOL BUS LANES ARE FOR SCHOOL BUSES ONLY!

Please use the available public parking areas to drop off or pick up students.

**DO NOT** drive into school bus lanes as this creates unnecessary hazards for buses and students.

NOTHING  
IS MORE  
BEAUTIFUL  
THAN THE  
VIBRANT  
COLORS OF  
BLOOMING  
SPRING

## Report Fly-Bys

Call Barrhead RCMP at 780-674-2696

Call Westlock RCMP at 780-349-4491

Call the Division Transportation Office at  
780-674-8510

Or complete the Busing  
Incident/Complaint Form

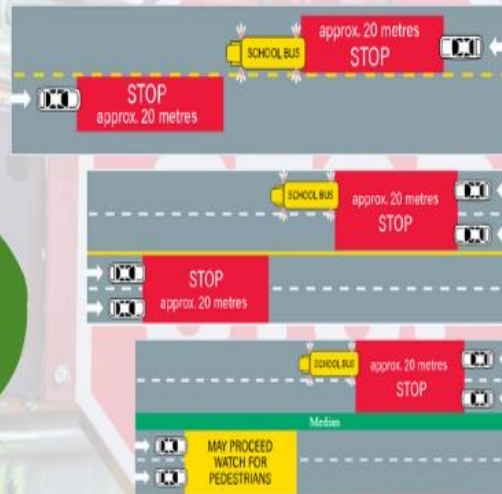
**Together, we can keep our  
students safe!**

# ELIMINATE FLY-BYS!!!

## REDS FLASHING...NO PASSING

*It is illegal and dangerous to pass a school bus when the red lights are flashing.*

The penalty for passing a school bus when the red lights are flashing is \$567 and six demerit points.



### KNOW THE RULES

**TWO-LANE, UNDIVIDED ROADWAY**  
BOTH lanes must come to a complete stop and **REMAIN STOPPED** until the red lights have been deactivated.

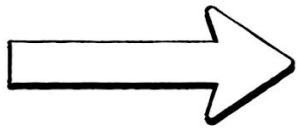
**DIVIDED ROADWAY, NO MEDIAN**  
All 4 lanes must stop.

**DIVIDED ROADWAY, WITH MEDIAN**  
Traffic to the **rear** of the school bus must stop.



**SCHOOL BUS SAFETY IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY.**

The graphics courtesy of Alberta.ca



# June Newsletter



We love  
♥ OUR ♥  
Volunteers

How do you get a squirrel  
to like you?

ACT LIKE A NUT!



## Volunteer Requirements

Lots of fun things are happening at BES and we LOVE our volunteers! In order to be a volunteer at BES, please submit a **Vulnerable Sector Check** and **Intervention Record Check** to the office.

## Record Checks...

**Vulnerable Sector Check**  
(formerly Criminal Record Check)  
Please contact the RCMP  
Detachment at 780-674-4848.

**Intervention Record Check**  
(formerly Child Welfare Check)  
Please email [cs.ircnorth@gov.ab.ca](mailto:cs.ircnorth@gov.ab.ca)  
as the form is online.



## POWERSCHOOL PARENT ACCOUNT

All BES families need to have a Powerschool Parent Account. This account will provide access to different forms to be completed throughout the year.

## PAYMENTS

Your Powerschool Parent Account can be used to pay student fees, sports fees, field trips etc.

## CONSENT FORMS

All Consent Forms needed for student field trips, special classroom events, sports teams, etc. will be made available for parents to complete online using the Powerschool Parent Account. Please call the office if you need any assistance with login or passwords. (780) 674-8518.

## STUDENT MEDICAL CONCERNS

Please contact the school if any medical concerns that emerge throughout the year.



**Did you move...?**



**If there are any changes in your address or contact information, please call the office at (780) 674-8518.**

## News from BES School Council

Our regular meeting was held on May 17<sup>th</sup>. We were able to donate \$8,000 to the Grade 6 Camp Warwa field trip this year. Thank you to everyone who has helped us over this past year from volunteering, supporting our fundraisers, attending meetings and having your voices heard. We are so grateful for this great community and all of the support our school receives. Have a wonderful summer break and we will see you in the fall for a back to school BBQ!



# HERE COMES THE SUN

The Metis Nation of Alberta Children and Family Services Department is excited to announce the Gear Up for School Program! Please see below for details...

**SAVE  
THE DATE**

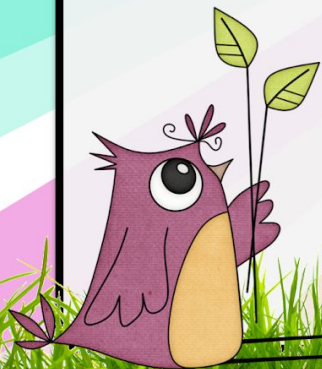
Application begins **JUNE 1st**

## **GEAR UP FOR SCHOOL**

The MNA Children and Family Services Department is excited to announce application for the Gear Up for School Program opens June 1st, 2023!

### **WHO IS ELIGIBLE?**

- Children enrolled in preschool, kindergarten, or grades 1-6 beginning Septemeber 2023
- Alberta residents (proof of mailing address required); and
- Parent/Guardian or child must be an MNA citizen.



## Kindergarten/PREP Registration



Summer  
FUN

Information...

**Registration for 2023-24 Kindergarten & PREP is open! Please go to our website to register online. If you need any help, please call the office at 780-674-8518.**

First day back...

Staff – August 28

Students Grade 1–6– August 30

Kindergarten staggered entry.

Keep a lookout for information

from the teachers.





## CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH NEWS

Wow! From Carnaval to Family Fun Day to the FRIM Swim and Movie Days, our French Immersion program has had such a great year! We are very grateful to all students, parents and teachers that made these events (and the fundraising for them) happen.

We will wrap up our school year with a hot dog sale on June 26. Order forms will come home shortly and be due back on Thursday, June 22.

Our mascot, Bonhomme, will be making an appearance at the Barrhead Street Festival on June 17<sup>th</sup> and at the parade in August, so be sure to look for him and give him a hug or a wave. If any parents are available to help on either of these days, please call or text Kristin at 403-505-0505.

We are already busy planning for the fall, as well. Our Family Fun Day was such a success that we are planning a Fall French Family Swim on October 14. We also hope to be bringing back the very popular Davidson Orchard apple fundraiser.

Lastly, we would like to wish everyone a fun-filled summer! See you in the fall!



# Canadian Parents for French News



# HERE COMES THE SUN

## Staffing Update for 2023-2024 School Year

1A - Ms. Weaver/Mrs. Harrison

1B - Mrs. Liber

1C - Mrs. Messmer

1/2F - Mme. Kay

2A - Mrs. Tyrell

2B - Mrs. Lynch

2C - Mrs. Goerz

2/3F - Mme. Shapka

3A - Mrs. Swan

3B - Mrs. Bujold

3C - Mrs. Starman

4A - Mrs. Epp

4B - Mrs. Roszko

4C - Ms. Hoeksema

4D - Mrs. Stoik

4/5F - Mme. Kolstad

5A - Mrs. Wierenga

5B - Ms. Palylyk

5C - Mrs. Fisher

5/6F - Mme. Morrow

6A - Mr. Smith

6B - Mrs. Klein

6C - Ms. Chapman



HERE COMES THE SUN

**National Indigenous Peoples Day**  
**JUNE 21**



**#NIPDCanada**



She sells   
**SEASHELLS**  
by the *Seashore.*

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## FCSS NEWS



Celebrate National Indigenous Day on June 21 with a walk down main street.

Seniors week coming up June 5 to June 10. There will be a Seniors Event performance on June 9 with Richard & Deborah Popowich at the Senior Drop In Centre. Bring your grandparents, favourite senior and have beef on a bun, and entertainment. Tickets are \$25 each and can be purchased at the FCSS office.

Please check out Barrhead and District FCSS Facebook page for baby, toddler and youth programs days and times.



# June Newsletter

What has thousands of ears but can't hear at all?

A CORNFIELD!



## FCSS

3 on 3 Basketball  
Tournament on  
June 17—get a team  
Together & join  
the fun!

**3 ON 3  
BASKETBALL  
TOURNAMENT  
GET YOUR TEAM IN!**

**10-5** Trophy & Prizes

JUNE 17th  
Barrhead  
Street  
Festival

Sign Up @ the  
school office or @  
FCSS  
674-3341 or  
cdvc@barrheadfcss.  
org for more info

**B.E.A.C.H**  
BEST ESCAPE ANYONE CAN HAVE

## Volunteers Needed...



Please contact Trisha @  
780-674-3341 or  
cdvc@barrheadfcss.org for more  
info or to sign up!

DO YOU HAVE A FEW HOURS TO DONATE TO YOUR  
COMMUNITY? WITHOUT VOLUNTEERS, THESE EVENTS  
ARE NOT POSSIBLE!

## WE NEED YOU!

Barrhead & District FCSS is in need of youth volunteers to assist  
with upcoming events in Barrhead!!

### SENIORS WEEK SUPPER JUNE 9TH

- 4:30 PM - 9:00 PM
- Food Prep
- Mocktail Bar
- Clearing Tables

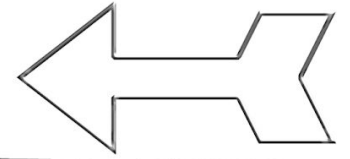
### STREET FESTIVAL JUNE 17TH

- 3 Hour Shifts
- B/W 10 AM - 5 PM
- Helping w/ various stations
- Youth Zone

### INDIGENOUS DAY JUNE 21ST

- 8AM - 10AM Teepee Set Up
- 1PM - 7PM Various stations
- Clean Up

# JUNE NEWSLETTER



Did you hear...

**ATTENTION!**

BES is doing some re-organizing to better meet the needs for staff and students. The classrooms will now flow east to west from K-6!



Grade 2C Class made care packages for an Alberta Wildfire unit crew. The crew was so appreciative. In the last month they have been battling wildfire in Entwistle and Fox Creek!



## Track Days...

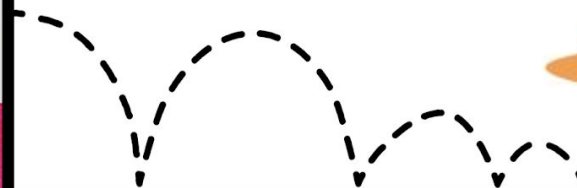
June 2 – Gr. 5 and Gr. 6

June 7 – Gr. 3

June 15 – Gr. 2

June 16 – Gr. 4

June 22 – Gr. 1



# Field Trips!!!

Gr. 2 Classes to Fort Edmonton Park on June 1!



*by the Seashore*

# PREP

June 1 - PREP year end party at the Splash Park...morning session and afternoon session!  
**FUN!**



June 8 – Gr. 1 Classes to Prairie Gardens & Adventure Farm



# ZOO!!!!

Grade 3 Classes & 4F to the zoo  
June 2!





Why are fish so smart?

They live in...SCHOOLS!

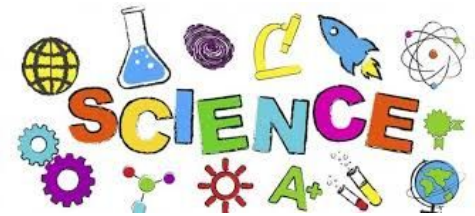


# FIELD TRIPS



**Gr. 4 Classes to Fort Assiniboine  
Museum on June 9!**

BES School wide Science  
Olympics...June 13



**Gr. 2 classes to Devonian  
Botanical Gardens on June 16.**




**GOING TO THE MOVIES June 22!**

**Grade 3 Classes 9-11**

**Grade 4 Classes 1-3**



K4/5F – Mdme. Bourgeois  
1A – Ms. Weaver/Mrs. Harrison  
2B – Ms. Chapman  
3A – Mrs. Swan  
4A – Mrs. Epp  
5C – Mrs. Grant  
6A – Mr. Smith



**Year End Assembly  
hosted by The  
Avengers on June 26  
from 1-3**



**Grade 4-6 Talent Show  
on June 23 from 1-3**

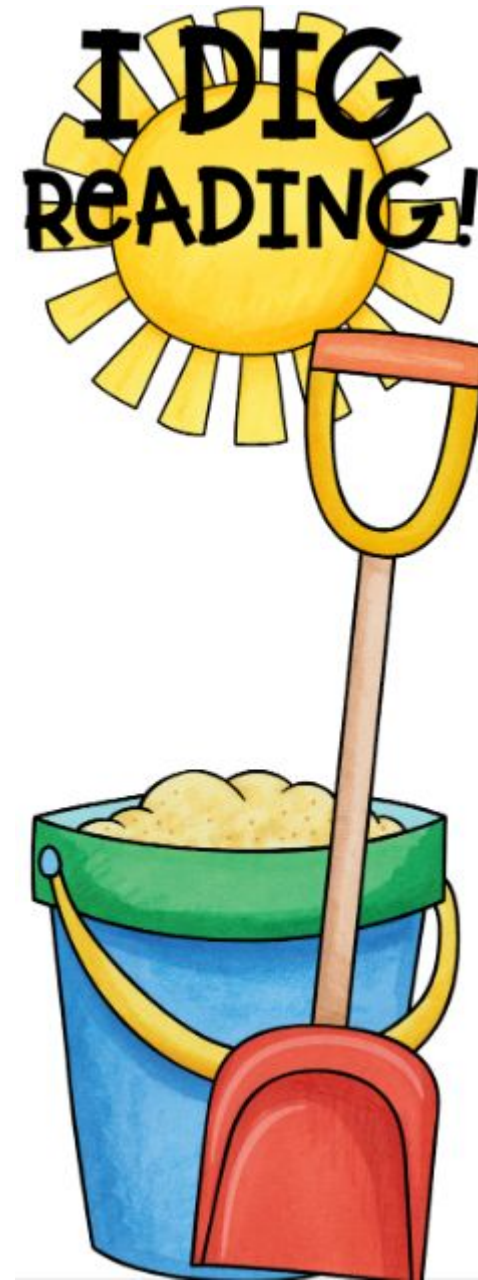
**Grade 1-6 First Day - Aug. 30  
Kindergarten will be staggered  
entry. Watch for information from  
the teacher.**



**HAPPY SUMMER!**

## IMPORTANT DATES

- June 1 – National Say Something Nice Day
- June 1 – Beach Day
- June 1 – Gr. 2 to Fort Edmonton Park: 9:00–4:30–P/U at 4:30
- June 1 – PREP to Splash Park – morning & afternoon sessions
- June 2 – Gr. 4A, 4B, 4C & 4D to Cecil Martin Park
- June 2 – Gr. 3 Classes & 4F to Zoo
- June 2 – Gr. 5 & 6 Track & Field
- June 7 – Gr. 3 Track & Field
- June 7 – Gr. 5 Wetland field trip to Thunder Lake
- June 8 – Gr. 1 Classes to Prairie Gardens & Adventure Farm
- June 8 – Gr. 4A, 4B, 4C & 4D to Splash Park in the afternoon
- June 9 – Gr. 4A, 4B, 4C & 4D Classes to Fort Assiniboine Museum
- June 9 – Gr. 3 Classes to Beaverbrook
- June 9 – Gr. 5 Classes swimming
- June 13 – Science Olympics all Grades
- June 14 – Gr. 4A, 4B, 4C & 4D to Splash Park in the afternoon
- June 15–Dress like a Dad for Father's Day
- June 15 – Gr. 4 Classes Wooden Car Building & Painting
- June 15 – Gr. 2 Track & Field
- June 15 – Gr. 3 Splash Park
- June 15 – Gr. 5 Classes swimming
- June 16 – Gr. 2 Classes to Devonian Botanical Gardens–Rain or Shine
- June 16 – Gr. 4 Track Day
- June 16 – Gr. 3 Bowling
- June 16 – Gr. 6 PAT test–French LA Part B
- June 19 – Rainout Day for Gr. 4 Track Day
- June 19–22 – Gr. 4A, 4B, 4C & 4D (one class/day) DeHerdt's Greenhouse Garden Tour



# IMPORTANT DATES

- June 20 – Gr. 1 Classes Slip & Slide
- June 20 – Gr. 4A, 4, 4C & 4D Splash Park afternoon
- June 20 – Gr. 6 PAT test – English
- June 21 – National Aboriginal Day
- June 21 – Gr. 2 Slip & Slide 2–3
- June 22 – Gr. 3 Classes Swim 1–2
- June 22 – Gr. 1 Classes Track & Field
- June 22 – Gr. 3 Classes to Movie Theatre: Super Mario Bros. 9–11
- June 22 – Gr. 4 Classes to Movie Theatre: Super Mario Bros. 1–3
- June 22 – Gr. 6 PAT Math Part A
- June 22 – Kindergarten Celebrations/Presentations – morning
- June 22 – **Last Day Kindergarten Tuesday/Thursday students**
- June 23 – Kindergarten Celebrations/Presentations – morning
- June 23 – Gr. 6 PAT Math Part B
- June 23 – BES Talent Show 1–3
- June 23 – Gr. 4 swim 11–12
- June 26 – CPF Hot Dog Sale
- June 26 – Year End Assembly – Avengers
- June 26 – Gr. 1 Year End Picnic
- June 26 – Gr. 4 Classes boardgames
- June 26 – Gr. 6 PAT Social
- June 26 – **Last Day for Kindergarten Monday/Wednesday Students**
- June 27 – **LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS**
- June 27 – Gr. 4 Classes park day
- June 27 – Gr. 2 Swim 1:30–2:30
- June 27 – Gr. 6 PAT
- June 28 – **Last Day for Staff**



**FROM ALL OF US AT BARRHEAD ELEMENTARY  
SCHOOL, PLEASE HAVE A WONDERFUL AND  
SAFE SUMMER! SEE YOU AUGUST 30  
AND...??? FIRST DAY FOR KINDERGARTEN?**



**HAPPY SUMMER!**