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Nov 2	Booster Juice (Gr. 1 - 12)
Nov 3	Hot Dog Day (Gr. 1 - 8)
Nov 7	Hot Lunch - Sweet and Sour Meatballs with Rice
Nov 8	Retakes Parent Teacher Interviews Available to Book
Nov 9	Teacher Scheduled Interviews
Nov 10	Subway Day Remembrance Day Service @ 11 a.m.
Nov 11	Remembrance Day Holiday
Nov 14	Hot Lunch - Cheddar Bacon Burger
Nov 14 - 18	Scholastic Book Fair
Nov 14 - 20	December Hot Lunches Available to Order!
Nov 15	Bentley School Chest Society Mom's Pantry Order Deadline
Nov 15 & 17	Parent Teacher Interviews
Nov 17	Hot Dog Day (Gr. 1 - 8)
Nov 18	Western Day! Farm Safety Presentations Popcorn Day (Gr. 1 - 8)
Nov 21	Hot Lunch - Chicken Caesar Lasagna
Nov 22	Date Night Sign-Up Deadline
Nov 23	Pizza Day (Gr. 1 - 6)
Nov 24	Pizza Day (Gr. 7 - 12) Date Night!
Nov 25	No School for Students
Nov 28	Pulled Pork on a Bun Parent Advisory Council

#### November 2022 Important Dates

HOCKEY ACADEMY SCHEDULE

**Tuesday** Gr. 5 & 6 12:45 - 1:45

Gr. 7, 8 & 9 1:45 - 2:45

**Thursday** Gr. 1 & 2 12:45 - 1:45

Gr. 3 & 4 1:45 - 2:45

Stay tuned to our athletic calendar for important practice dates and times.

Athletic Calendar

#### **Parent Teacher Interviews**

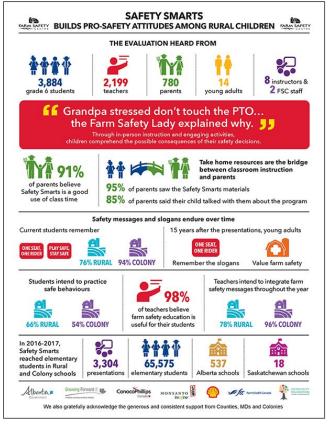
Parent Teacher Interviews are scheduled for November 15th & 17th from 4 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. All interviews will be in person. Interviews will be available to book from the homepage of our website starting Tuesday, November 8. Appointments are 15 minutes only. Please help to keep our interviews on time and running smoothly. Parents whose students are on specialized programming will be contacted for an early interview on November 9. Teachers in Kindergarten - Grade 6 will be going over the new Wolf Creek assessment rubric, SeeSaw and other reporting methods available with parents during these interviews. Marks for Grade 7 - 12 will continue to be available in the PowerSchool Parent Portal. For detailed instruction on how to view marks in PowerSchool, please click here.

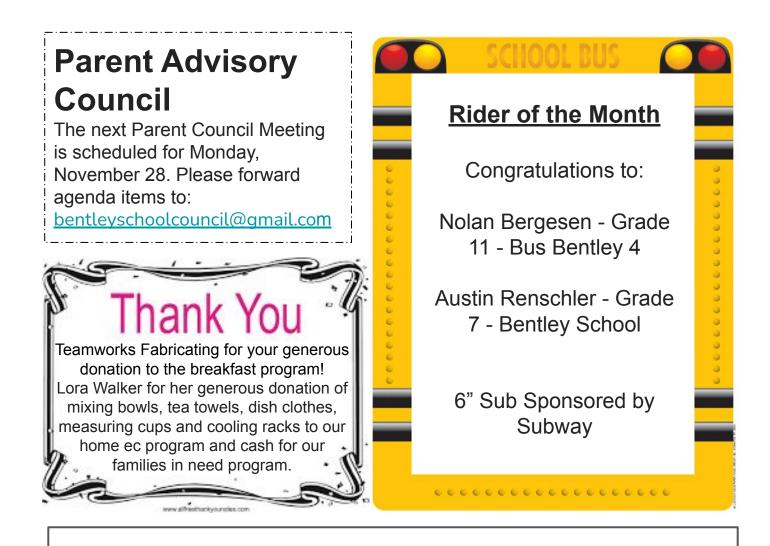
#### **Breath Smart Presentation**

This month, Bentley School is pleased to be hosting the AB Lung & NWT along with Alberta Blue Cross to present the popular Breathe Smart! Education Program for grades 7 - 12. Breathe Smart! is an interactive VIRTUAL presentation that talks about "all things lung". They educate students on the most important and relevant lung diseases as well as the impact poor lung practises have on their health. This program has a focus on e-cigarettes and vaping, a growing and concerning trend among our youth.

#### Farm Safety Presentations

Cate McKevitt, from the AB Farm Safety Centre will be presenting to students in Kindergarten to Gr. 6 on Farm Safety on November 18. Come dressed in your favorite western wear! Farm Safety has added a new subject on emergency preparedness which includes fire safety, power line/electrical safety, as well as chemical safety. Students will learn how to be safe around all these possible dangers, as well as review dangers on the farm like animals, machinery, one seat one rider, helmets, dugouts, etc.







#### Deadline to order is November 15

Don't miss out on ordering your Christmas baking supplies with Mom's Pantry!

Place order online at *www*.momspantry.*ca*. Shop Now. Fill your cart. When checking out choose Fundraiser Order (Group Pickup). You will need the following order number and group passcode or choose Bentley School Chest Society.

Order Number: 360620 Group Passcode: 23901

Seller: Name of the student attending Bentley School.

We wish to thank you for your supporting Bentley School. Delivery date will be first week of December. Please watch your email for the confirmed delivery date. Any questions please call Stephanie Smith at 403-896-9842. <u>All</u> orders must be picked up on the day of delivery no exceptions!!

Sincerely, Bentley School Chest Society



The Legion appreciates the opportunity to provide poppies to our students and gratefuly accepts donations.

PARENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

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#### My child is sick. Should they stay home?

While there are no longer any pandemic protocols in place, **Wolf Creek Public** Schools will return to following the public health guidelines that were in place for schools prior to the pandemic. This includes recommending that students and staff stay home when they are sick, or become sick while at school, and contacting Alberta Health Services when absences due to illness are higher than usual.



#### Send to School

• Have a runny nose or a little cough but no other symptoms.

 Haven't taken any feverreducing medicine for 24 hours, and haven't had a fever during that time.

 Haven't thrown up or had any diarrhea for 24 hours.



#### Stay home

 Have a temperature higher than 100.4 degrees even after taking medicine.

- Have a persistent cough.
- Throwing up or have diarrhea.
- Eyes are pink and crusty.
- Has or has been exposed to an illness where isolation from others is recommended.



Wolf Creek Public Schools

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# Date Night

## DROP OFF THE KIDS!



grade 5

# 4:30 -9:30PM

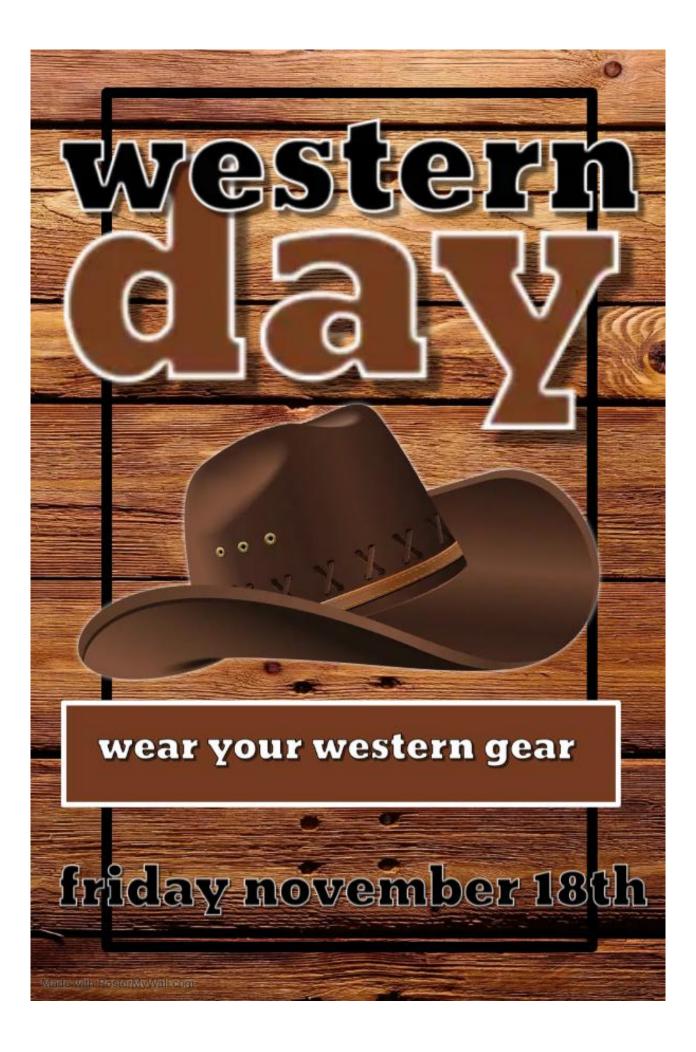
# THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH Add a hot dog, chips & Juice Box For \$4.00

#### **Date Night Details**

Pre-registration is required. Sign up through the PowerSchool & Online Payments Parent Portal under the school fees tab. If you are signing up children who don't go to our school, <u>use this link</u>.

#### **Hot Lunch Volunteer Needed**

Lora Walker who creates our yummy hot lunches on Monday's is in need of a parent volunteer to help with hot lunch preparations. Commitment would be Monday's from 10:30 am to 12:00 pm and if there are enough volunteers, you wouldn't have to commit every week. If you are interested, please contact Lora at 403-357-8421



#### Rider of the Month program launched in Wolf Creek Public Schools

School bus drivers in Wolf Creek Public Schools have a new positive focus, as the school division has partnered with area businesses and service groups to launch the new Rider of the Month program.

"The idea began with the thought of how we can help drivers," said Tammy Freerksen administrative assistant, WCPS Transportation Services. "That expanded into a full 'catch them being good' program, loaded with positive reinforcement."

Freerksen with the Rider of the Month program gives every bus driver in WCPS the opportunity to communicate with riders and parents by simply sending in a few positive remarks regarding the student on their bus.

The nomination form comes into the transportation department and is generated into a certificate to be sent to the child in the mail with a nice little "brag tag" and a gift from a local sponsor.

"Bentley and Crestomere Subway, Blackfalds' McDonalds, Central Alberta Co-op – Eckville Food Store, Rimbey Lions Club, City of Lacombe Aquatic Center and the Town of Ponoka," have all come on board to sponsor the program, and we are honoured and proud of the collaboration in our communities," said Freerksen.

During the first month of the program 30 percent of the drivers nominated a Rider of the Month and sponsors' donations helped send out everything from a meal at a local restaurant to a family swim at the aquatic center.

"Parents have responded positively to the program noting that the kids love getting mail addressed to them and the parent enjoys reading a positive note about their child," said Freerksen. "The school adds the child's recognition to their news publication and the community can help reinforce the positive messaging by congratulating the rider."

#### **October Students of the Month**

Congratulations to our October student of the month winners!



#### **Cross Country Running Update**

Congratulations to the Jr. High Cross Country running team who won the 1J CWAJHAA banner in October at Lindsay Thurber in Red Deer. Special mention goes out to Jevin Morrison who placed 1st for Gr. 6 boys and Jaeda Poffenroth who placed 3rd for Gr. 8 girls. We also have a number of students who placed in the top 10 including Lauren McDiarmid, Joey Garries, Matthew Vanak, Joe Beddoes, Macy Morrison, Peyton Stephenson, Jensyn Stephenson, Nick Beddoes and Jayden Guse. Great work everyone!





Congratulations Keegan Kover and Wacey Smith for representing Bentley School at Cross Country Provincials! Keagan finished fourth in his category and Wacey finished 19th out of 112 runners!

#### **Halloween Dance Highlights**

Thank you so much to our community for making our Halloween dance such a success! We are grateful to be able to have everyone together again. The effort and creativity in the costumes was incredible! Congratulations to all our costume prize winners who went home with Drop gift cards and candy bags. We collected an additional 104 food items towards our food drive. All donations will be delivered to our local food bank - the Blessing Pantry. Congratulations to Cohen Kamps who won our door prize - a \$20 Drop gift card. All proceeds from the dance will go towards school based initiatives in addition to our Bentley Gives Back program at Christmas time.



#### **Community News!**



#### Community Remembrance Day



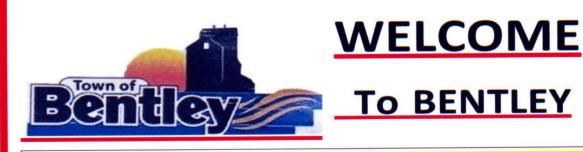
#### "BENTLEY CENOTAPH" FLANDERS FIELD POPPIES

Friday Nov 11<sup>th</sup> 10:45 A. M. <u>Held in</u> Bentley Community Church 4824 50<sup>th</sup> St.

#### **Everyone Welcome!**

After the Service from <u>Noon to 4pm</u>. you are invited to come to the Bentley Museum 4929 51 Ave. View the displays & stay for Refreshments Hot Dogs and Cake.

Lest We Forget



Out of isolation, We extend a Welcome to people

recently moving into <u>Bentley</u> and <u>Area.</u>

#### ...Please join us for a free TURKEY SUPPER!

Supper Monday Nov 7th 6:30 pm

**BENTLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH GYM** 

Please book tickets >Call / Text 403-357-0188 pick up tickets at town office.



A great opportunity to meet neighbors and leaders Can you help us? If you have new neighbours, please invite them to the supper and come with them

### Building Leaders



Understanding and responding to communication styles for positive interactions Explore self-advocacy and promoting healthy boundaries Practice identifying our strengths

Learn process of goal setting to encourage motivation Impacts of Social Media and mental health

Lacombe Family Resource Network

Family Resource Network #4, 4725 49B Monday's 530 - 6:45 pm November 7 - November 28th 4 Sessions







#### GAINING THE TOOLS TO UNDERSTAND, CONTROL AND MANAGE FEELINGS OF ANGER



Anger isn't just one emotion, it is a family of emotions, related to each other, both in our brains and in our behavior.

Lacombe Family Resource Network #4, 4725 49B Ave November 7th - November 28th 7 - 8:15 pm