



May 2022

Westglen School

PAWPRINTS



Westglen will engage every student in meaningful learning by challenging, encouraging and believing in them in a middle school setting

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

As it does every year, spring has brought the return of bikes, scooters and skateboards. While we are thrilled to see so many students getting some physical activity on their way to and from the school, there are a large number of them who are engaging in some very unsafe behaviour. Please discuss safety rules with your children, particularly not just shooting into crosswalks without checking for oncoming traffic. Walking their bikes through crosswalks is an important safety issue as well as riding along the shoulder of the road and obeying traffic signs. As well, please remember that helmets are mandatory for students riding a bike.

Vehicle traffic – Thank you again for being so respectful of our parking lot and traffic challenges at the school. In most families, our emails only go to one parent and we are finding that many people are still unaware that there should be **no vehicle traffic in the teacher parking lot at all during the school day** (unless you need to access the handicap parking). Even if you are “only going to be a minute”, we would ask that you please park in the designated areas. Especially with the weather warming up, our students are using this area regularly throughout the school day. Additionally, if there are vehicles parked at the curb, it creates difficulty for handicapped accessibility.

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*"Promise me, you will always
see the good in every child"*

Mrs. Linda Pothier

**GRADE 9 ORIENTATION - for GRADE 8 PARENTS on
Thursday, May 26th @ 7 PM in the DHS Library**

PARENT ORIENTATION

Thursday, May 5th

Hats On!
FOR MENTAL HEALTH





ENSURING THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF SAFETY IN OUR SCHOOLS



A MESSAGE FROM OUR SUPERINTENDENT

Chinook's Edge has an outstanding record of meeting safety standards in our schools, and our annual safety audit shows our division's steadfast commitment. Our staff and students are mindful of maintaining the detailed safety protocols that are embedded in our division culture. This means that, while we continue to deal with the ebb and flow that the pandemic has required of us, our attention to our safety program is strong.

We are very grateful to everyone in our school communities for working to maintain our high standards of safety. We strive for optimum safety levels throughout our division because we care about the people in our buildings – our students, staff, parents, volunteers and guests – and this priority ensures everyone continues to thrive in our safe and caring schools.

Kurt Sacher
Superintendent

We would love to hear your thoughts on this month's parent survey [at this link](#).
For Trustee updates and to read the latest Board eNews, please visit our [website](#).

BAND UPDATE

All school instruments must be returned to the school by June 17th so that they can be sent away for cleaning and any repairs. Please make arrangements for your child's instrument to be at the school by that date.

Watch for the Band Concert news - to be announced in June!

2021-22 YEARBOOKS

The cut-off date to pre-order a 2021-2022 yearbook is May 15th. If you haven't ordered one yet, you can find the yearbook in your Student Quick-Pay account under 'Optional Items' for \$20. Yearbooks will arrive in the fall.

Your Trustee, Gord Kerr, is always available and happy to hear from you. Visit the Board section of our division website at www.cesd73.ca for his contact information.

Superintendent, Kurt Sacher, can be contacted directly from the Board section as well.



SCHOOL NEWS

Westglen Student Art Work on Display at Division Office



Westglen Student Art Work on display at Division Office and being admired by Board Chair, Holly Bilton and Local Trustee, Gord Kerr.

Thank you to the YES program at Westglen School



Congratulations to the students within the YES Program at Westglen School who successfully collected over 500 items for Essentials For Our Community.



For Thursday, May 26th lunch, we are doing Pizza from Pizza 73! The pizza slices are individually packaged and delivered to each classroom. Order before noon on March 19th through **STUDENT QUICK PAY**.

May 2022



Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	2 DAY 4	3 DAY 5 DHS BAND CONCERT FOR WESTGLEN STUDENTS 	4 DAY 1	5 DAY 2  HATS ON FOR MENTAL HEALTH	6 COLLAB DAY - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS	7
8	9 DAY 3	10 DAY 4	11 DAY 5	12 DAY 1	13 DAY 2	14
15	16 DAY 3	17 DAY 4	18 DAY 5	19 DAY 1 Deadline to order Pizza 73 on Quickpay by NOON	20 PD DAY NO SCHOOL	21
22	23 VICTORIA DAY NO SCHOOL	24 DAY 2	25 DAY 3	26 DAY 4 PIZZA 73 SCHOOL LUNCH 	27 DAY 5	28
29	30 DAY 1	31 DAY 2				

DIDSBURY FREE TUTORING PROGRAM



THIS DROP-IN
TUTORING IS
ACCESSIBLE TO ALL
DIDSBURY STUDENTS
GRADES 3-12

PEER TUTORS,
RECOMMENDED BY THEIR
TEACHERS WILL BE
SUPERVISED BY LIBRARY
STAFF WHILE THEY ASSIST
WITH MATH AND ENGLISH.
PLEASE BRING YOUR MATH
BOOK/QUESTIONS, ETC.
YOU NEED HELP WITH!

DIDSBURY
LIBRARY
3:30 - 4:30 PM
DROP-IN

THURSDAYS

MARCH 31

APRIL 7

APRIL 14

****NO TUTORING SPRING BREAK****

APRIL 28

MAY 5

MAY 12

MAY 19

MAY 26

JUNE 2

FINAL SESSION - JUNE 9



DGC Junior Golf

Didsbury Golf Club offers a Junior Membership for the 2022 golf season must be between age 5 & 17.

Your Junior Golf Membership will include the following:

- 7 group golf lessons running Thursday mornings in July and August
- A junior windup including a fun morning of golf, lunch & prizes.
- Use of our junior clubs & pull carts for no charge
- Freedom to golf every Thursday morning with only other junior golfers on the course.
- Ability to golf at the Didsbury golf club for the full 2022 season



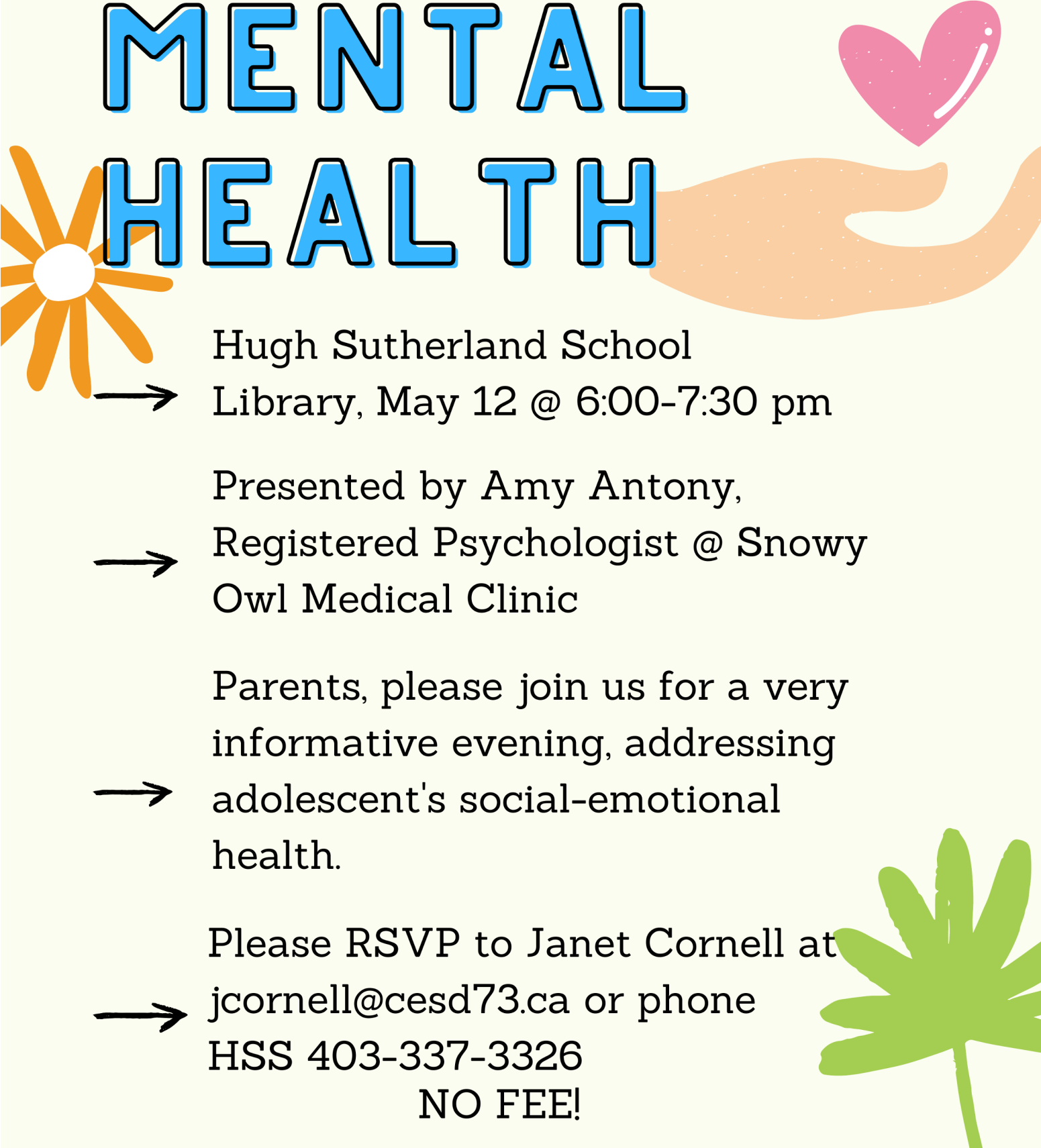
If this interests you, then check out TEAMSNAPE and register online anytime for a fun, golf filled summer. Lessons will start July 7th and run every Thursday morning hourly from 8am-12pm and the windup will be held on August 25th.

*Thanks to Gil's Truck and Auto for sponsoring the summer program with proceeds from their annual GTA Jr Golf Tournament

To register go to <https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/313283/signups>

For more info call: DGC 403-335-3635 www.didsburygolf.ca

ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH



→ Hugh Sutherland School
Library, May 12 @ 6:00-7:30 pm

→ Presented by Amy Antony,
Registered Psychologist @ Snowy
Owl Medical Clinic

→ Parents, please join us for a very
informative evening, addressing
adolescent's social-emotional
health.

→ Please RSVP to Janet Cornell at
jcornell@cesd73.ca or phone
HSS 403-337-3326
NO FEE!



Aggie Days Mountain View

MAY 13 & 14, 2022

CONTACT: AGGIEDAYSMOUNTAINVIEW@GMAIL.COM

Saturday - 9:00 AM to 4 PM
Open to the Public



EXHIBITS / PRESENTATIONS –PLANNED

- Mountain View County
- Environment – How agriculture protects the environment
- Agriculture Innovation
- Safety – Farm Safety including Animal Care& First Aid
- Careers in Agriculture – Olds College & University of Calgary School of Veterinary Medicine
- Alberta Milk
- Alberta Poultry / Eggs
- Alberta Pork
- Alberta Grain
- 4-H – Mountain View District Clubs Invitation

ACTIVITIES

- Exhibitor Presentations
- Animal First Aide
- Duck Herding
- Canine Agility
- Wagon Rides
- Rope Making
- Roping
- Tail Braiding
- Tractor Rodeo



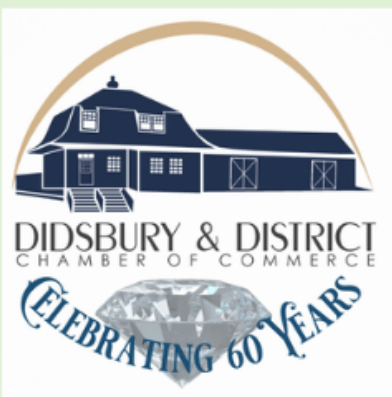
**Join Us
for
Free Family Fun**

CELEBRATE AGRICULTURE!

MAY 13 & 14, 2022 – 9:00 AM TO 4:00 PM

AT THE HERITAGE CENTRE (1 MILE EAST OF CREMONA, AB)





**In this interactive, in-class
program students will:**

- **Receive an introduction to entrepreneurship**
- **Understand why planning is key to starting a business**
- **Identify products or services they can take to market**
- **Determine their competitive advantage and define a target market**
- **Lay the foundation for a venture and develop a business strategy**
- **Learn what resources are available to help them move forward with their entrepreneurial dreams**



Be

Entrepreneurial

Entrepreneur training for
Middle & High School students
May 14th 1:00am - 4:30pm
At the Train Station

Come and spend a Saturday
learning how to run your own
business!

The Didsbury & District Chamber of Commerce is proud to
bring Junior Achievement training to our Young Entrepreneurs!

Have you run your own business? Are you looking at
expanding what you have started? Are you still looking for
ideas? Register today: [Entrepreneur Training](#)



Chinook's Edge School Division No 73

2022-2023 Student Attendance Traditional Calendar

AUGUST 2022						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

Aug 29/30 School Organizational Days
Aug 31 Focused PD Day

FEBRUARY 2023						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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26	27	28				

Feb 10 Collaborative (am)
Non Instructional (pm)
Feb 20 Family Day
Feb 20-24 Winter Break
Feb 23-24 Teachers' Convention

SEPTEMBER 2022						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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Sept 1 Students' First Day of School
Sept 5 Labour Day
Sept 23 Focused PD Day
Sept 30 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

MARCH 2023						
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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Mar 10 Collaborative Day
(HS Common Collab)
Mar 24 Collaborative (am)
Non Instructional (pm)

OCTOBER 2022						
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30	31					

Oct 10 Thanksgiving Day
Oct 21 Collaborative Day
(HS Common Collab)

APRIL 2023						
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Apr 7 Good Friday
Apr 10 Easter Monday
Apr 11-14 Spring Break

NOVEMBER 2022						
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Nov 11 Remembrance Day
Nov 10-11 Fall Break
Nov 25 Collaborative Day
(HS Common Collab)

MAY 2023						
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May 5 Collaborative (am)
Non Instructional (pm)
May 19 Focused PD Day (TPGP Day)
May 22 Victoria Day
May 29 Non Instructional Day

DECEMBER 2022						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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Dec 9 Collaborative (am)
Non Instructional (pm)
Dec 26-31 Christmas Break

JUNE 2023						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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Jun 27 Students Last Day
Jun 28 School Organizational Day

JANUARY 2023						
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Jan 2-6 Christmas Break
Jan 9 Students Return
Jan 30 School Organizational Day

LEGEND	
	School Planning Day
	Focused P.D. Day
	Holiday
	Non-Instructional Day
	Teachers' Convention
	Significant Start and End Dates
	Breaks
	Collaborative Days - No school for students. One Focused PD Day will be designated as the TPGP