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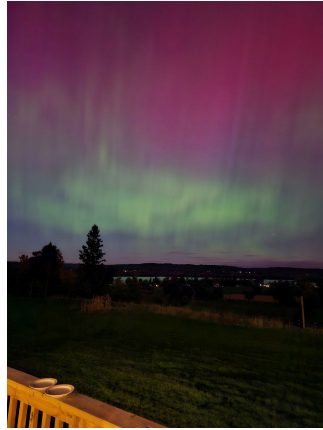
Lester B. Pearson Newsletter – October 13, 2024

Dear Students, Parents, Guardians and Caregivers,

The mornings are crisp and we have been graced with beautiful auroras in the evening. Fall has fallen. On this Thanksgiving Long Weekend I reflect on the kindness of staff, students, parents and members in the community. I am thankful for the help and support I have received in helping our students find success. Thank you to School Parent Council for renewing our Gizmo Software for our science class; it does indeed, take a village. On that note I hope to see you at Parent Teacher Conferences on October 24th & 25th.

Here are some special moments from last week.

Read on:



These auroras were seen just outside of Calgary and Ontario. Thanks to Mrs. Shehata-MacDonald and Mr. Hillier for the photographs.



These amazing projects were created by our fashion students and are on display in the café.



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The Girls Soccer Team appreciates, Ms. Clark, Best Bus Drive Ever, for helping get the team safely to Airdrie and back for their match against St. Martins. They lost this one but it was a great game. Lots to appreciate from the Multi-Cultural Club's \$1 Thanksgiving lunch on Thursday. Josh Cuanan (Grad 2022) came running from the kitchen at A & W to say hello. Josh reminded me that he would always say good morning to me in the halls.



PE 30 Kayaking Class appreciating a perfect day on the water.



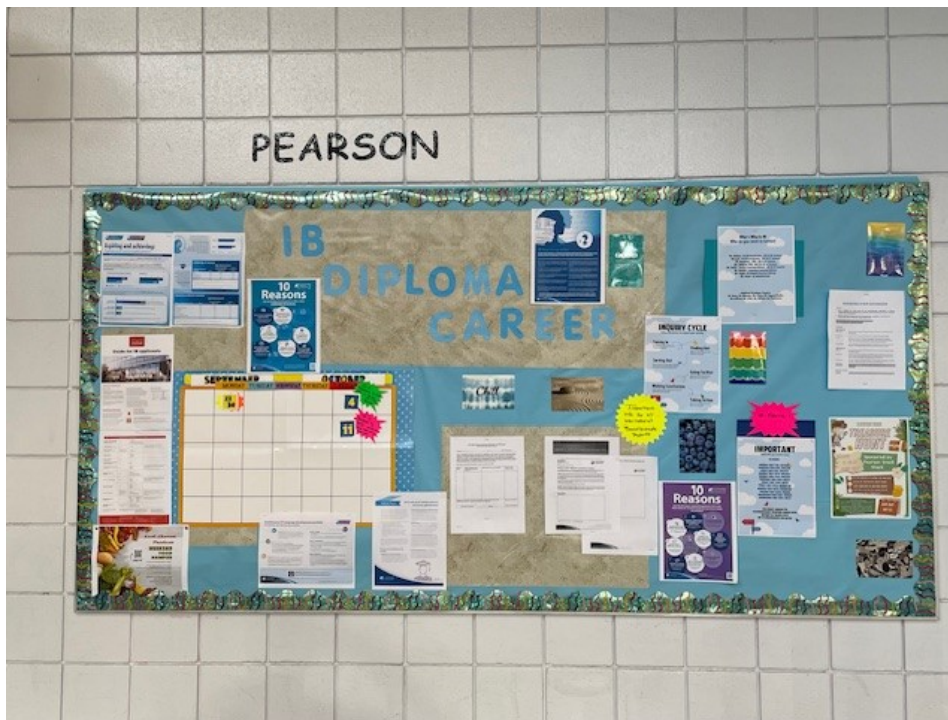


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It looks like a culinary class, but it is the first meeting of the Cake Club. They worked on icing and piping. Stay tuned for a Halloween Bake Sale!!!

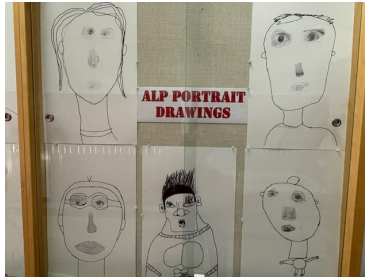


Our new IB Bulletin Board, another avenue for communication, promotion, and celebration.



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Here are some exemplars of students' work; creative and fun.



I enjoyed my class visits this week; so proud to see students engaged and staff at their side.



Team Photos, they take individual pictures and combine them to make a team composite. The need to gather as a group is no longer needed.



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Lena was a former student and now a K teacher. She was a guest teacher yesterday. Nathan was a Pearson Grad of Class 2000. He is now AD at St Mary's University, which hosted the Cross-Country City Championships.



Jessica, Harlen, Tehir and Muayad cross the finish line for the last time this season. They are a great bunch of students. Thank you to Coach Kolar for a fun season and thank you to Kai for driving the bus. Ms. R photo bombed the photograph – lol.



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This was an outstanding dessert from the Café yesterday. It is Tiramisu in a cup. The cup was edible, made of chocolate!!!



Thanksgiving Lunch with dessert in a box for \$1. It sold out fast! Thank You to the Multi-Cultural Club.



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Chef Martin hosts an ATA Culinary Cooking session every month. This month's theme was Oktoberfest.



In Thursday night's feature match on Hellard Field, our Patriots defeated Diefenbaker in a close game: 22 – 14. That is 3 in a row for Pearson!!!



Akashdeep represented Pearson at the Soccer Selects a few weeks ago. So Proud!!!



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ALP went looking for pinecones to make their pine cone turkey art projects.



Our students chilling in the cafe before the end of the day. Happy Birthday Mrs. Reimer ☺

REMINDERS:

Just a reminder that lunch service has begun and we also offer free breakfast and lunch.

Please remember to always have your School ID. It is required while on campus.

To avoid late slips please arrive to your classes early. Never skip class it impacts your achievement and graduation.

School Fees:

School fees can be paid online by logging into your **MyCBE Account**. You can also pay school fees in person at the Business Office at Pearson.

Reporting Absences:

When you are calling in late or absent for your student, call **403-280-6565** and press **1** for the Attendance line. Please give the following information: **Spell your student's first name and last name, give their grade, and reason for absence or lateness and a contact number that we have in PowerSchool.**



School Calendar:

The current school calendar is listed on our school homepage. Please check back regularly, as there may be changes as the year progresses. Here is the link to our school Homepage:

<https://school.cbe.ab.ca/school/lesterbpearson/about-us/calendar/pages/default.aspx>

Save the Dates:

- Monday, October 14th: Thanksgiving Day! No School
- Wednesday, October 23rd: Fall Awards 6:00pm – 8:30pm
- **Thursday, October 24th & Friday, October 25th: Parent/Teacher Conferences**
- Friday, October 25th: Non-Instructional Day! No School
- Tuesday, October 29th: Last Day of Term One
- Wednesday, October 30th: First Day of Term Two and also Indigenous Family Dinner



Kenneth Chee
Principal