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High School

Lester B. Pearson Newsletter – March 9, 2025

Dear Students, Parents, Guardians and Caregivers,

Last week was basketball playoffs with 3 teams vying for a city title. No matter how the season ended, the bonds players forged as a team, the improvement in skills and knowledge of the game, and most importantly the resiliency and heart developed from the spirit of sportsmanship and competition will be with them forever. No change with the CUPE strike to report currently. I would encourage our students to do their part in picking up after themselves and minimizing their impact on the building. Upcoming Parent/Teacher Conferences, School Parent Council and our Indigenous Parent Advisory will be online. Booking for P/T Conferences open next week.

More information and labor relations updates can be found on the CBE home page:

<https://www.cbe.ab.ca/Pages/default.aspx>

We have lots of sports to share in this issue.

Read on:



Our junior boys played hard but came up short against JCS. Thank you to the managers, trainers, parents, family and friends, staff and students for supporting the team. Special thanks to the players and coaches Witt and Lam for a fine season of ball.



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The senior boys gave a valiant effort last night against the number 1 ranked team in the province. St. Mary's has gone 25 games undefeated and their win streak continues. Our boys finished 5th overall in Div. 1. Thank you to the team managers, sports med crew, volunteer coaches, parents and special thanks to the players and coaches Minhas and Wheaton.



Window and door shopping!!!



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Assessments can happen anywhere even hallways. This is CPR and FSL cool!!!



ALP students out for a walk in the park.



Sparring for fitness in PE, Uber cool!!!



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I was 'Chef for a Day' on Friday. Great program. Superb students!!!





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Our junior girls got off to a great start in their championship match against the Warriors from Wisewood. They racked up 10 points to 0 in the first five minutes and never looked back. The parents and relatives were ecstatic!!! Congratulations to our City Champions. Special thanks to our trainers, managers, amazing players and coaches: Nim, Lew, Finn and Finn.



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Our Spring Maker's Fair is almost here! Please register with this QR Code. There will be a mandatory meeting this Tuesday, March 11th at lunch in room 2167.

Athletics and Events:

Our Spring Sports Tryouts are underway, boys and girls rugby, boys' soccer, field hockey and track and field.

Save the Date:

The Alberta Education Assurance Survey has been sent to all parents and guardians. Please take a moment to complete and submit.

Monday, March 10th: Indigenous Parent Advisory – 6:00pm – Virtual meeting. Link to be sent.

Tuesday, March 11th: School Parent Council at 7:30pm – Virtual meeting. Link to be sent.

Friday, March 7th & Saturday, March 8th: Pearson Model UN – Postponed to April.

Friday, March 14th & Saturday, March 15th: Robotics Provincial Championships in Red Deer.

Tuesday, March 18th to Thursday, March 20th: Spring Maker's Fair!

Thursday, March 20th & Friday, March 21st: Parent/Teacher Conferences - Virtual Meetings – Please book your times online.

Friday, March 21st: Non-Instructional Day – No school for students.

Thursday, March 20th: Europe Trip Leaves for Paris!

March 22nd to March 30th: Spring Break – No School – Enjoy!

Monday, March 31st: Classes resume.



I am always grateful for my students, staff and parents.

Kenneth Chee
Principal