

#### Lester B. Pearson Newsletter - May 11, 2025

Dear Students, Parents, Guardians and Caregivers,

Happy Mother's Day! From a school perspective I am so appreciative of the support my school community has received from Pearson moms. Volunteering for fundraisers, baking and cooking for students, driving student to and from school, dropping off goodies for office staff (and on occasion for me), attending school meetings and events, working on committees and councils and most importantly, supporting your kids. A mother's love is unconditional and everlasting more beautiful than any fresh flower. Enjoy your special day<sup>®</sup>

This was one of those weeks that I wish I could be at many places at the same time. Edmonton, Calgary and Lethbridge were the focal points for Pearson. Rugby, Drama, Jazz Vocal and Band, Dance and so much more happened this week. Read on:







First students to enjoy Zachary's Capstone tables during lunch break yesterday. Benches will be put out soon too.





I have stock in this company. Looking forward to doubling my money!!! Grad banquet tickets now on sale; first students to reserve a grad banquet table.







Rayhan is learning to control an RC car as part of his training for his new electric wheelchair. Here is our new bottle station just outside the main gym.





Ilma's Capstone Project was a series of Kindness Days for the school. Her Kindness Chain made in Connect almost encircles the entire cafeteria.







PE 30 at the tennis courts. Demand for extra grad ticket is high. Our ALP class enjoying their art class outside.

















Jensen's Seven Scared Teachings Project; she is in Grade 11 and did this project in her Design Class. Randy Turning Robe Jr loved it <sup>(3)</sup>









Getting ready for the big night of jazz dance and desserts.





Krish Anne and Jensen at the Alberta provincial Skills Competition in Edmonton. Both did well in the challenges they tackled with Krish Anne earning a provincial bronze medal.





Clean and Green Club keeping the school looking good, as well as the boys' rugby team pitching in.









Here is Mr. Duss and his Aboriginal Studies class at Blackfoot Crossing site of the signing of Treaty 7; school parent council supported this field trip.









Our Dance troupe had a strong performance at the Eastside Festival.

Congratulations to Kelly and Ephraim who both won dance scholarships.

Click on this link for a short video: https://share.icloud.com/photos/07f9VPq3zwfryyO669I\_MSD8g

























Jazz night was an evening to remember. Thank you to Culinary for the sweets and Vocal Jazz and Jazz Band for the music and dance.









In Sports Performance they call it the Centurion Workout. Challenging!!!



Volleyball Club continues.





You have heard of vertical math. We just invented horizontal math; Mr. Little's class enjoying some fresh air and math with sidewalk chalk.







This could be an Album Cover LOL!!!! Thanks to coaches, Clark and Berry, for taking the girls rugby team for weekend tournament in Edmonton. Our girls got in a lot of games, good experience and an amazing opportunity to bond as a team.

























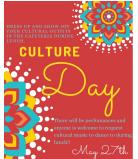
#### **Summer School:**





Spaces are limited so it is recommended that you register early for summer school.







Mark Culture Day in your Calendar. If you have not already done so please RSVP using this Link for the Indigenous Family Gathering, so we can plan for numbers: https://forms.gle/7gSAgCKxfqBznSqB9



# Calgary Board Lester B. Pearson of Education High School

#### **Athletics:**

May 13<sup>th</sup>: field hockey vs. Mandela (NM Home) @ CSC Field ## at 4:00pm

Boys' rugby away at FL at 4:45pm

May 14<sup>th</sup>: Girls' rugby vs. NT (NT Home Team) at Pearson at 4:45pm

Jr. boys' soccer away at Centennial at 4:30pm

May 15<sup>th</sup>: field hockey vs. FL (LBP Home) at CSC#4 at 4:30pm

Sr. boys' soccer home vs. SM at 4:30pm

Track and Field Divisional Championships 8:00am to 6:00pm

#### **Save the Dates:**

May 13th: Pearson Neighbourhood Indigenous Family Gathering 5:30pm to 7:30pm

May 14th: Connect Substitute Day

Pearson Film Festival 7:00pm - 9:00pm

May 16<sup>th</sup>: Non-Instructional Day - No School

May 19<sup>th</sup>: Victoria Day – No School

May 21<sup>st</sup> & May 22<sup>nd</sup>: Spring Dance Show 7:00pm – 9:30pm

May 23<sup>rd</sup>: Graduation Banquet at Empire Banquet Hall - Doors open at 6:00pm

May 27<sup>th</sup>: Culture Day

**Indigenous Parent Advisory at 7:30pm on Teams** 

May 30<sup>th</sup>: Graduation Ceremony - No School









I am always grateful for my students, staff and parents. **Kenneth Chee Principal**