BFCHS School Council Meeting October 19, 2021

BEV FACEY COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

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 THE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT THAT WE ARE ON TREATY 6 TERRITORY, A TRADITIONAL MEETING GROUNDS, GATHERING PLACE, AND TRAVELLING ROUTE TO THE CREE, SAULTEAUX, BLACKFOOT, METIS, DENE, AND NAKOTA SIOUX. TREATY SIX WAS SIGNED IN 1876-1878 BETWEEN THE CANADIAN MONARCH AND THE BAND GOVERNMENTS OF FIRST NATIONS PEOPLES. WE ACKNOWLEDGE ALL THE MANY FIRST NATIONS, METIS, AND INUIT WHOSE FOOTSTEPS HAVE MARKED THESE LANDS FOR CENTURIES.



BFCHS School Council Elections Open Positions:

Co-Chairperson Secretary

Procedure: Conducted by Chair Tomnuk





Principal's Report

New Staff Members:

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School Resource Office (S.R.O.) Allison Gyonyor (pronounced "Junior")



2021-2022 October Operations Plan (COVID Protocols & Procedures)

- Current Plan at Bev Facey (Same protocols with some changes):
 - Separate designated entrances for each grade.
 - Cleaning between each class is mandatory.
 - All volunteers in the school must provide proof of double vaccination to remain volunteering
 - Confirmed cases may be communicated from parents, but <u>no</u> <u>action</u> (communication) will take place until a confirmation from AHS is made.
 - Contact tracing from AHS is planned in November. We are collecting data to implement.
 - We have controlled seating in our cafeteria moving forward.
 - No planned large gatherings in the school at this time (assemblies, etc.)





We had a successful <u>Bus Evacuation Drill</u> on September 28, 2021.

• 18 busses, 989 students, and 67 staff all underwent training and the drill in 20 minutes.





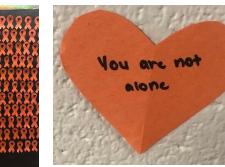


Truth & Reconciliation Field Trip to Frog Lake:

- Visit of the Historical site, Indigenous perspective.
- Land Education: medicinal plants

Orange Shirt Day & Ceremony

- Staff & Students wore orange in support.
- Short ceremony honoring Truth & Reconciliation, as well as the students who never returned from the residential school system.



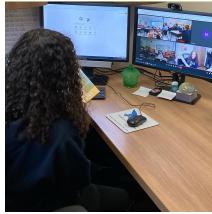






<u>Oct. 4 to 8, 2021 - "Read-In Week"</u>

Bev Facey celebrated "Read-In Week" by having student volunteers read to the students at Wes Hosford Elementary throughout the week.







<u>Classroom - Situation Report</u>

- Lots of great activities I've observed in classes:
 - Choose your own path learning!
 - Rollercoaster Physics
 - Amazing cooking & baking
 - Capitalism Monopoly
 - Amazing Music









- Going very well. We have a number of clubs utilizing the time: FLI, Archery, and Reach for the Top, Peer to Peer, etc.
- We are noticing an increase in students accessing academic coaching, and our Exam catchup and re-write room has doubled in size in the last couple of weeks. It's becoming a positive part of our culture that student's are beginning to utilize a lot.

Mr. Salyzyn's Update

- Emergency Preparedness
 - We have done 3 Evacuation drills successfully in the first month and a half of school.
 - **1 Hold and Secure drill**
- Fire Inspection Wednesday , October 13th
 - We had two inspectors go through the building with Facilities
 - No emergent items were identified



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Cross Country Int. Girls Zone Champs



Cross Country Provincials



Sr. Boys-Bronze at Tri-Volley Invitational



Jr. Boys-Gold at S.C.A. Invitational



Sr. Girls-Bronze at SPA Invitational



Jr. Girls-Bronze at Spruce Grove Invitational



Jr. Football

Sr. Football is 4 and 3!

Upcoming Important Dates:

Oct. 20, 2021 - Advanced Placement Session - 6pm to 7pm Oct. 26, 2021 - Student/Parent/Teacher Conferences (4:30 pm to 7:30 pm) Oct. 26, 2021 - Scholarship Information Night Oct. 27, 2021 - Student/Parent/Teacher Conferences (4:30 pm to 7:30 pm) Nov. 5, 2021 - Remembrance Day Virtual Ceremony Nov. 8 to 12, 2021 - November Break Nov. 16, 2021 - November Break



Remembrance Day Friday, November 5, 2021

- This year Bev Facey's Remembrance Day ceremony will look differently than it has in the past, as we work to keep everyone safe during Covid 19.
- Virtual, live ceremony that is Student led
- Link will be shared for families to view (more information to follow)
- Students will also have the opportunity to submit answers to 5 questions, "The Why about Remembrance Day" for a chance to enter their name into a draw (questions will be posted in the daily bulletin the week prior)





Advanced Placement

- Advanced Placement virtual meeting for current AP students registered in exam courses this year on October 20 at 6:00 pm
 - Information about the benefits of writing AP exams
 - We want to encourage all students who are taking AP courses to also write the exam
 - AP exams take place in the first two weeks of May
 - Exams cost \$140 per exam (cancellation fee is \$60)
 - Students with financial difficulty can apply for fee reduction (\$95 per exam)
 - Students must make their exam decision by October 31





Counselling

- All of our virtual post secondary sessions that we have been hosting have been attended exceptionally well.
- <u>Post Secondary "Scholarship" Presentation</u>
 - o **October 26, 2021**
 - **6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.**
 - Virtual presentation with Ms. Ramsay





<u>Student Report</u> Please welcome:

Samira Schultz



Alex Bos





Trustee Report