

THIS WEEK AT BCHS

Belonging, Excellence, Accountability, Respect, Safety

February 07 - February 11, 2022

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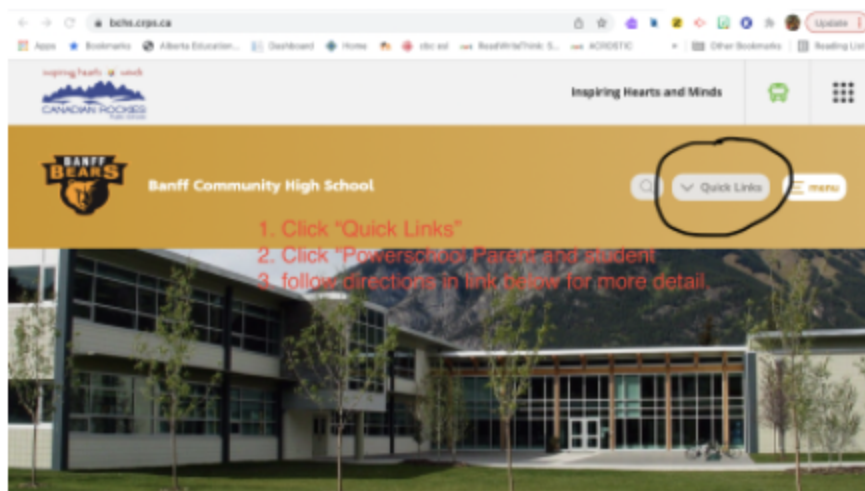
Please check out the BCHS Events Calendar <https://bchs.crps.ca/>.

Student Schedules Semester 2

We have completed the first week of Semester 2. Our drop and add deadline for the second semester was on Friday, February 4, 2022.

Please note the following scheduling expectations for students:

- Students in graded 9 - 11 are expected to have a full timetable (20 credits per semester)
- Students should have an Alberta “myPass Account” to allow them to track their progress towards a diploma.



Report Cards

Report cards from Semester 1 are now available through PowerSchool Parent Portal. To access student report cards:

1. Go to our website <https://bchs.crps.ca/>
2. Click on Quick Links (circled in the above picture)
3. Click on PowerSchool Student & Parent link and log in (if you have problems logging in please contact the school office)
4. Follow these steps for more [detailed information](#) on how to access report cards on PowerSchool Parent Portal

COVID Information

On Thursday, February 3, Canadian Rockies Public School shared a [letter](#) that outlines our updated protocols. For further details, please see the [CRPS reentry plan](#). Please note how these protocols impact our school locally.

Changes for BCHS:

1. Students may now remove their masks in class when seated at their desks.
2. Extracurricular Sports may now practice starting this week.
3. Students may remove their masks in Phys Ed.
4. Our after-school music program can resume.

What remains the same for BCHS this coming week:

1. Students must wear their masks when not at their desks. Example when they are in the hallways.
2. No eating or drinking food in the halls.
3. Purkis Hall remains closed.
4. No gym use at lunch.
5. Closed Campus continues:
 - Students still eat in their block 3 class
 - Students may leave school for lunch but will only be allowed back in the building at 1:45 pm
 - No volunteers/guest speakers in the school. Only essential service providers
 - No field trips to indoor facilities

Student Absence from School

- To support both student and teacher safety; please contact the school if your student is going to be absent from school.

- Teachers have made Learning Management Systems (Google Classroom/Moodle) comprehensive so that students are able to complete learning tasks when they are required to stay home from school. Students are expected to contact their classroom teachers to determine what work is to be completed while away from school.
- Do the AHS [daily health screening](#)
- Limit social interactions
- Socially distance



BEAR CELEBRATIONS

We would like to congratulate BCHS BEAR Anika Villemaire who, along with her team Shannon, earned a silver medal at the Curling Alberta U18 Optimist Championship in Hinton last week. They finished the round-robin with a 6-1 record and earned a buy directly to the finals. Coming home with a silver medal is an incredible achievement!

If you have a BCHS Celebration that you would like to share with our community, please email mike.shoemaker@crps.ca

The Week Ahead

Monday, February 7, 2022

- Grade 10(1) Wim We Cross Country Trip

Tuesday, February 8, 2022

- Grade 10(2) Wim We Cross Country Trip

Wednesday, February 9, 2022

Thursday, February 10, 2022

- 12:52 pm - Student Leadership Meeting (Virtual)

Friday, February 11, 2022

- ½ day classes

Upcoming Dates

- **February 14 - 4:15 pm** - School Council Virtual Meeting
- **February 21- February 25** - No school for Students - Family day and Teacher Convention days

SPORTS

Basketball Practice Schedule 2021

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3:30	Girls Tournament	Gr 9 Girls	Sr Boys	Gr 9 Girls	Optional Open Practice Slot
4:00	3:30-5:30	3:30-5:15pm	3:30-5:30pm	3:30-5:00pm	
4:30				Girls Local Team	
5:00	Gr 9 Boys	Jv Boys	Gr 9 Boys	5:00 - 6:30pm	
5:30	5:15-7:00pm	5:15-7:15	5:15 -7:00pm	Girls Tournament	
6:00				Girls Local Team	
6:30	Girls Local Team	Sr Boys	Jv Boys	6:30 - 8:15pm	
7:00	7:00 - 9:00pm	7:15-9:15pm	7:15-9:00		
7:30				SR/JV Boys	
8:00	7:00 - 9:00pm	7:15-9:15pm	7:15-9:00	8:15-9:15	
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Caribou Kids Season Ski Pass at Banff Mount Norquay

Yes! Banff school students will enjoy free (almost) skiing again this winter!!! In its 15th year, Banff Lodging Co and Banff Mount Norquay remain committed to offering the Caribou Kids Season Ski Pass program for students enrolled at Banff schools, even as we hope to rebound from recent challenging economic conditions. Please [click here](#) for more information and the Norquay form.

School Fees

Banff Community High School fees are available on PowerSchool Parent Portal and **are now due**. Debit or credit card payments can be made online through your Parent Portal <https://powerschool.crps.ca/public/>. If you are unable to make full payment at this time please contact Joanne Geyer at joanne.geyer@crps.ca to make payment arrangements.

Other Information

CRPS Homestay Program - Hosts needed 2021/2022

Our homestay families are an integral part of the International Student Program. CRPS is now accepting host applications for the Homestay Program for the 2021/2022 school year. Remuneration of \$1,025 is paid monthly per student. CRPS has COVID-19 protocols that international students must follow prior to arriving and upon arrival, including a mandatory 14-day quarantine period. For more information please [click here](#).

Missing important happenings at BCHS, but are awash in emails? Find information through one of the media listed below. Get connected, become involved.

- Follow us on Facebook [here](#)
- Join us on Twitter https://twitter.com/bchs_bears?lang=en
- Follow us on Instagram https://www.instagram.com/bchs_banff/
- Check out our Daily School Announcements [here](#)

News

Bow Valley Settlement Services Information and newsletter [Click Here](#)

Follow the [link](#) to view the highlights from the November Public School Board Meeting.

BCHS Bear Tools

- Parents please ensure you can log on to Parent Portal. Look for the PowerSchool Quick Link on our school webpage or [click here](#). This is where you will access daily updates on your student's marks and attendance, school fees and more. Final term report cards are also shared with you through Parent Portal and are not mailed out from the school.
- Alberta Education has now made student access to their official transcript of marks available to all Grade 10 - 12 students available through a myPass account (myPass.alberta.ca). Grade 10 marks will start to appear after the first semester.
- Please click the link for the [2021/2022 Student / Parent Handbook](#). Find important BCHS dates such as parent/teacher interviews, course change information, exams, and much more.
- Some universities are now offering information sessions ... Please check with Ms. Piekenbrock for more information.
- Please click this link for the [2021 - 2022 School Calendar](#)

Please feel free to contact the Principal, Chris Rogers (chris.rogers@crps.ca) with feedback or suggestions or use our feedback [link here](#).