THIS WEEK AT BCHS

Belonging, Excellence, Accountability, Respect, Safety May 23 - May 27, 2022

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



May Long Weekend

As a reminder, there is no school for students on Monday, May 23 for the Victoria Day Long weekend. We hope our students and families enjoy a safe and relaxing May long weekend.

Sports News

Our Rugby season is coming to an end. Boys/Girls Sr teams played in the Rugby 7s Zone championships on Wednesday, May 18, and both the Boys and Girls teams lost in their final game. Next week our Junior team is hosting a jamboree on Tuesday, May 24 with four teams starting games at 4:00 pm. Our teams have worked hard and enjoyed both competition and socializing with other teams. A big thank you to our Athletic Director Ian Higginbottom, Maya Russow, teachers, coaches, and community volunteers for creating a memorable season for the BCHS Bears.

Year-End Exam Schedule

The end of the school year is quickly approaching. The last day of classes is on Thursday, June 16, 2022, and exams will run from Friday, June 17 through Wednesday, June 29. This year, the government of Alberta has announced that June's diplomas will be worth 10%. Please see the attached document for our June Exam **schedule**.

The Week Ahead

Monday, May 23, 2022

• Victoria Day - no school

Tuesday, May 24, 2022

4:00 pm JR Boys Rugby Team Jamboree

Wednesday, May 25, 2022

7:00 pm Public Board Meeting at BES
 Follow this <u>link</u> to view the agenda for the Public School Board Meeting at BES

Thursday, May 26, 2022

8:00 am Toast Thursday

Friday, May 27, 2022

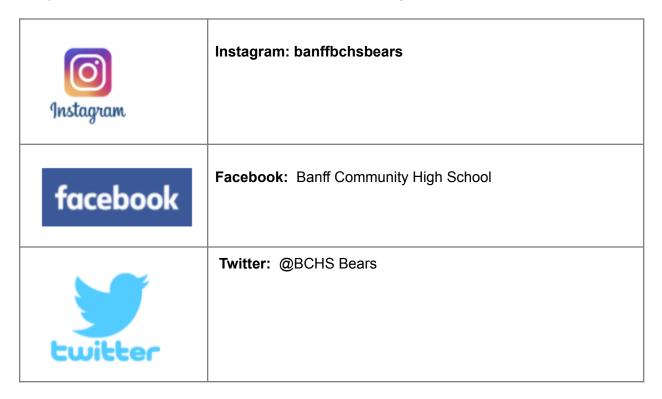
Rugby Provincial Tournament

Upcoming Dates

Tuesday, May 31 - Grade 10s WimWe canoe trip

Social Media

A great way to stay connected to our school is through our social media platforms. Make sure that you follow our school social media sites at the following addresses:



Also remember that our calendar and school information can all be accessed through our website https://bchs.crps.ca/.

Town Of Banff - Youth Drop-In, Basketball, Sticks, and Pucks

The Town of Banff is providing youth drop-in opportunities on Sundays at Banff Elementary School from 1:30 to 2:45 pm. Come alone or bring along some friends and join in a casual game of pickup basketball. Basketballs and pinnies provided. Open to all genders and abilities. More information is posted here:

https://app.bookking.ca/banffpub/calendars/courses/index.asp.



Become a Host Family for CRPS International Students in 2022-23!

CRPS is looking for Canmore & Banff families to host our next incredible cohort of 50 international students arriving in August 2022! Make meaningful connections, share your different cultures, learn a new language, build life-long memories & friendships! Commitments of 5 months and 10 months are available, with monthly remuneration provided. For more information and to apply, contact **international@crps.ca** or 403-609-6072.

Bear Celebrations

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

School Fees

Banff Community High School fees, along with sport, band trip and Grad Hoodie 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

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 <u>here</u>
- Join us on Twitter https://twitter.com/bchsbears?lang=en
- Follow us on Instagram https://www.instagram.com/banffbchsbears/
- Check out our Daily School Announcements <u>here</u>

News

Bow Valley Settlement Services Information and newsletter Click Here.

Follow the **link** to view the highlights from the March 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 <u>click here</u>. 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 <u>2021/2022 Student / Parent Handbook</u>. 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 <u>2021 2022 School Calendar</u>

Please feel free to contact the Principal, Chris Rogers (chris.rogers@crps.ca) with feedback or suggestions or use our feedback <u>link here</u>.