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

Check out our Daily School Announcements [here](#).

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

This year our focus is related to Call to Action #14 in the Truth and Reconciliation document, which focuses on a commitment to honour Indigenous culture and language.

We will use September 26-29, to serve as a launchpad for this commitment. During this week we will have a 30 second video (in daily announcement slides) introducing a new Stoney Nakoda word each day.

On Monday, September 26 we will have an Elder come to speak with our grade 12 students. On Thursday, September 29 we will have Orange Shirt Day. On Friday, September 30 the school will be closed to honour TRC day.

Extra Curricular News

Volleyball

- Senior High Boys practices Tues., Wed., and Thurs. from 5:30-7:15 pm
- Senior High Girls practices Mon. and Thurs. from 3:30-5:15 pm
- JV girls practice Wed. and Thurs. at 5:30 pm
- Gr 9 Girls and Boys practices Tues. and Wed from 3:30-4:30 pm

Golf

- Our team of eight had a very successful tournament at the Highwood Golf Course on Tuesday, September 20 as they competed in the South Central Zone tournament. Three of our team members are off to Provincials. Go Bears!

Grade 9 and 10 Hike Day

On Monday, September 26 the Grade 9s and 10s will be hiking. Students have now signed up for one of four choices. Consent forms signed by parents/guardians must be returned to school by Friday, September 23.

The hike locations are:

- Plain of Six Glaciers, Lake Agnes/Little Beehive, and Larch Valley

The transportation for this invaluable day is possible due to the Wim and Nancy Pauw Foundation's support.

School Fees

School fees are not yet finalized; however, they will start to appear on Parent Portal as we work on the fees. Payment options and details will be provided when invoiced.

The Week Ahead

Monday, September 26, 2022

- Grades 9 and 10 Hike Day

- Elder visit to English 30-1 for Truth and Reconciliation
- Staff meeting
- Sr. Girls Volleyball practice - 5:30 pm

Tuesday, September 27, 2022

- Sr. Boys Volleyball practice - 5:30 pm
- Grade 9 Girls/Boys Volleyball practice - 3:30 pm

Wednesday, September 28, 2022

- Sr. Boys Volleyball practice - 5:30 pm
- Grade 9 Girls/Boys Volleyball practice - 3:30 pm
- JV girls Volleyball practice - 5:30 pm

Thursday, September 29, 2022

- Orange Shirt Day - staff and students are encouraged to wear orange in recognition of Sept 30
- Student Leadership Council at lunch
- Sr Girls Volleyball practice - 3:30 pm
- Sr. Boys Volleyball practice - 5:30 pm
- JV Girls Volleyball practice - 5:30 pm

Friday, September 30, 2022




- National Day for Truth and Reconciliation - no school

Upcoming Dates

- Monday, October 3: WimWe Grade 10 (homeroom 10.1)
- Tuesday, October 4: WimWe Grade 10 (homeroom 10.2)
- Thursday, October 6: Honours Society Presentation
- Friday, October 7: Turkey Trot/ Half Day - Classes end at 11:40 am
- Monday, October 10: Thanksgiving- schools closed
- Wednesday, October 19: Photo Retakes /CRPS Board meeting @ 7 pm at BES
- Thursday, October 20: ELAA Post Secondary Institutions Fair
- Tuesday, November 1: Last day of Quarter 1 classes

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:

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|  | Instagram: banffbchsbears |
|  | Facebook: Banff Community High School |
|  | Twitter: @BCHS Bears |

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

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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, and 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 **natasha.miles@crps.ca**.

Other Information

Missing important happenings at BCHS, but are awash in emails? Find information through our social media. Get connected, become involved.

- 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 August 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.
- **The 2022/2023 Student / Parent Handbook** is [here](#).
- 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 this link for the [2022 - 2023 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](#).