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Dear Parents and Guardians,

It is hard to believe that another school year has passed so quickly! At Fairview Elementary, we are very fortunate to have a dedicated, caring, and hardworking team of professionals (Teachers, Educational Assistants, Office Staff/Librarian, CLW, Custodian, and other school-based and district-based Support Staff) who work together to ensure that every child has the best educational experience possible. This team always goes above and beyond to ensure students are exposed to various activities to enhance and enrich their school experience.

Our students deserve recognition for their passion for learning and sense of humor. These students give teachers a sense of joy, purpose, and positivity. While it is especially difficult to say goodbye to our grade 5s as they walk out the doors for the last time, we are thrilled to continue to watch them grow and flourish in their middle school years. Congratulations, Firebirds! You are strong and successful! We are proud of you.

Through all the ups and downs of the year, Fairview Pride managed to ensure a sense of connectedness and sustained caring and supportive relationships. In these halls, great things happened in academics, arts, sports, health and wellness, friendships, and maturity. We all grew, learned, and had an amazing time.

Our parents have played a crucial role in supporting their children's learning this year. We know it hasn't been an easy job, but it's been an important one. Stay diligent through June - adequate sleep, home structures, and great nutrition help us keep students focused on learning. Our goal is to make each day count. Your partnership in this last push makes all the difference. Thank you for your patience, encouragement, understanding, and support throughout this school year. A huge thank you to our School Council team, who volunteered much of their time to lead, support, and nurture our school and student needs.

Staff Changes

Fairview School is filled with stories. Stories in the books we read, the events that unfold, and the stories each of us brings to our school community! Each year, we come together to form another chapter in the story of this 'Special place.' As we end one chapter, we would like to recognize our staff members who are leaving. We send our best wishes to the following people who will transition to new places: Robin Sullivan (Retiring EA), Jaylene Holwegner (EA), Jennifer Shippelt (EA), Val Foerderer (EA), Maricel Batisla-Ong (EA), Cade Joslin (EA), Brit Erickson (Teacher), Chanolita McCluskey (EA). To each of you within your varied roles, I wish to thank you for your leadership, integrity, enthusiasm, commitment & resiliency. We acknowledge your support throughout the year with our sincerest gratitude.

Excitedly, we welcome Mary Moltzahn and Emily MacLean, the newly assigned staff members. We can't wait to grow even stronger together! We are confident that you will be a tremendous addition! Undoubtedly, you will lead Fairview with dedication and commitment to continuing the legacy of this amazing school. What an opportunity that lies ahead!

I wish you all - parents, students, and staff alike - a safe and restful summer. This past year has been one of my career's most rewarding (serving this beautiful community/family). As you begin playing the tune 'School's Out for Summer,' I wish you the absolute best in the next stage of the journey. Rest, rejuvenate, and be ready for the year ahead. I miss you already!

With respect and gratitude,

Teresa Tataryn
Principal Fairview Elementary School

YOU'RE INVITED



MULTICULTURAL POTLUCK DINNER

This year, we will host the event outdoors (weather permitting) on Thursday, June 5, 2025, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. As always, it will be an environmentally friendly event, so please bring your plates, cups, cutlery and a water bottle. Invitations and food labels went home on Monday, May 12th. We can't wait to spend time together, sharing amazing food and fellowship.

**** CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT**

CELEBRATING GRADE FIVE!

It is always hard to say goodbye to our grade five students and their families. We look forward to hearing how middle school is going next year! Moving to middle school will bring new challenges and much success! Grade Five—We are so proud of you! We look forward to celebrating your time at Fairview at the Grade Five Farewell Assembly on Thursday, June 26, at 10:00 a.m. We hope you can come and celebrate with us!

BUSING FOR STUDENTS!

If your student is eligible to ride the bus for the 2025 - 2026 school year, you should have received an email with instructions on how to complete the Transportation Application in School Engage. If you require assistance, please contact Mrs. Richardson in the office at 403-343-8780.



AMA SCHOOL PATROLLERS

Thank you to our grade five Safety Leaders - AMA Patrols for making sure our students and parents crossed the street safely every day after school. The following students participated:

- Tasha, Ethan, Timofee & Hope- 5D
- Alexis & Mason - 5M

KINDERGARTEN

Registration for Kindergarten is available online. If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Mrs. Richardson in the office at 403-343-8780 or joan.richardson@rdpsd.ab.ca

HELMETS FOR WHEELS

With the arrival of Spring, please note: Fairview School has a rule that students riding bicycles, skateboards, scooters, or rollerblades **MUST** wear helmets. Thank you for keeping our children safe.



Dental Outreach of Red Deer (DOoR)

Free urgent dental treatment is available for children 5-18 years of age who are having difficulty accessing dental care. Services are provided at the Red Deer Johnstone Crossing Community Health Centre

For more information, please call 403-356-6302 and ask for the DOoR program.

Mark Your Calendar

JUNE

Monday, June 2
Tuesday, June 3
Wednesday, June 4
Thursday, June 5
Friday, June 13
Monday, June 23
Tuesday, June 24
Wednesday, June 25
Thursday, June 26
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Recognition Assembly for May @ 9:30 am
Whole School Photo
Be The Change Walk / Run @ 1:15 pm
Multicultural Potluck Dinner
Staff Learning Day - **No School**
Recognition Day Assembly w/Book Awards @ 9:30 am
Field Day, wear **Red** & White
Talent Show @ 1:30 pm
Grade 5 Farewell @ 10:00 am
Last Day for Students - Report Cards Available Online
Early Dismissal @ 1:52 p.m.

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Celebrating Families! summer day camp

For the whole family: parents and children

For families who are having trouble due to substance use

Activities:
Healthy Living Sessions | Arts & Crafts | Traditional Games | Medicine Walk | Drumming & Singing | Snacks & lunch provided | Celebration at the end of the week | Gift for families that attend to graduation.

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