

Wednesday Warrior

October 10, 2018



At this time of year, we are in the throws of many sporting events and it is the highlight of our day to watch our champions represent our teams with pride. We would like to encourage our parents and students to come out and cheer on our players. Some GREAT opportunities are coming up, please come out and make us proud!

We look forward to seeing all our parents at our upcoming **Parent-Student-Teacher Conferences on Oct. 18 from 12:00-7:00pm**. Please note to book an appointment that the [Conference Manager](#) located on our website will open on Oct. 12 @ 6:00am.

We also encourage parents to attend our upcoming School Council Meeting that will occur on **Monday, October 15 at 6:30-8:30pm in the Learning Commons Conference Room**.

Have a great week,

Michelle Howell
Principal

Important Dates:

Monday, Oct. 15 School Council Meeting

Thursday, Oct. 18 Parent-Teacher Interviews

Wednesday, Oct. 23 Veterans' Tea

Friday, Oct. 26 Non-Instructional Day (no classes)

School Updates:

Dreamcatcher Space

In Tsuut'ina, October is "**TOSI MIK'A NIKA CH'AT'AA**" which means, "The month when the leaves begin to fall from the trees." Here are some important events in the Dreamcatcher space this month:

Making Treaty 7 – On Thursday, October 4th Henry Wise Wood sent over 160 students to the production of Making Treaty 7 at the Jubilee. All Semester 1 Social Studies 10 students were in attendance as well as a Drama 10 class, Brave Dogs Clan (HON) program, and a few other special guests. Thank you to all attendees for your participation and representing Wise Wood so well!

YMCA Brave Dogs Clan (HON) is the Indigenous/Aboriginal Studies program, formerly known as "Y7G or YMCA 7th Generation" that offers school credit for intercultural learning modeled after Blackfoot Oral practice. Meetings occur once a week during wisetime/lunch for the duration of the school year. There are only a few spots still open, but it's not too late to join. Please see **Mr. Gough in room 200** if you are interested in finding out more!

For those students who are already signed up (this will appear as "Aboriginal Studies" on your timetable), please come to the Dreamcatcher Space on **Thursday, October 11 for Wise Time and Lunch** periods! You will receive important information about the program going forward, so this meeting cannot be missed!

Elder Dolly Runner will be in the school on Tuesday, October 16 at wise time to perform a traditional blessing in the Dreamcatcher (room 200). Space is limited, but all are welcome!

Head-Smashed-In-Buffalo-Jump – Y7G/Brave Dogs Clan (HON) level 2 students will be visiting this UNESCO Site on October 30th!

ELL LEAD is going to Tim Horton Children's Ranch Oct. 24, 25, 26

The ELL students in our LEAD program are fortunate to be going to Tim Horton Children's Ranch in October. This is a fantastic opportunity for refugee students to experience the beauty of Kananakis. It is an educational program and students who went last year are excited to be able to go back. Next time you buy a coffee for sending kids to camp, you will know that some students in the HWW community are participating in this excellent program.

Model UN

The Henry Wise Wood Model UN will be participating in their first conference from Oct 19-20. Meetings for students are on Tuesday @ lunch in room 218. If you would like to participate, please come on Tuesday and speak with Mr. Garen and Ms. Young.

IB Fees

Recently, Mr. Garen - IB Coordinator, has been visiting the Grade 11 IB and 12 IB classes to begin the process for **IB Exam & Assessment Registration**. An invoice was sent home for your child in these classes listing all fees including IB Exams & Assessments. Fees are due upon receipt of the invoice. Instructions for paying fees is on the invoice.

Students in the following classes are writing exams and being assessed this year:

1. Biology 20SL/30IB SL - Grade 11
2. Math 30IB/31 IB SL - Grade 11
3. Physics 30IB/35IB HL - Grade 12
4. Chemistry 30IB/35IB HL - Grade 12
5. Math 35IB HL - Grade 12
6. English 30IB/35IB SL + HL - Grade 12
7. History 30IB/35IB SL + HL - Grade 12
8. Spanish 30 IB - Grade 12
9. French 30IB/31aIB - Grade 12
10. Visual Arts 30IB/35IB SL + HL - Grade 12
11. Film Studies 35IB SL - Grade 12

Once your child is registered for **IB Exams & Assessment**, Mr. Garen will send home a verification sheet for you to review and ensure all the details are correct. Should you have ANY questions about this process, don't hesitate contacting Mr. Garen by e-mail - sagaren@cbe.ab.ca

School Fees

School fees have now been uploaded to your MyCBE/PowerSchool account. We will be sending home, with your student, an invoice on Tuesday October 9. Fees are due upon receipt of this invoice. Fees may be paid on-line using your CBE account. On October 18, 2018, **(One Day Only)** payment can be made in the Business Office from 12:00pm -7:00pm.

Social Studies

Pearl Harbor & USA Entry Into WWII Lecture - Students are invited to attend a military history lecture with Dr. Stephane Guevremont in either Period 1 or 2 on Tuesday, October 16. Please sign up in Room 122.

Math Contest

Registration for Semester 1 Math Contests will occur on Thursday October 11th in room 324 during lunch and after school. Please bring cash (exact change) for the contests you are interested in and a current email address. Ask your math teacher for more information if you are interested. Certificates, medals, prizes and scholarships are available for students who perform well on these contests.

Art

The Art Studio is hosting monthly Drawing Challenges! Check out the list of drawing prompts on Instagram or posted in the Art Studio hallway! Bring your finished drawings to Ms. Tuttle at the end of the month and win a prize! An epic prize will go to anyone who completes all 9 months of Drawings Challenges! See Ms. Tuttle for more details!

The Art Studio is also hosting a Skin Wars Competition on October 31st at WT and lunch in the art room. Skin Wars is a face and hand painting competition open to all students in teams of 3. Sign up your teams in the Art Studio with Ms. Tuttle!

GRAD 2019

Are you in grade 12 and interested in getting involved in Grad 2019? The Graduation Committee is looking for responsible, dedicated, hardworking students who would like to be part of this special event. Application forms are available by the door of room 206 and must be submitted by October 26, 2018. See Ms. Belliveau (room 115) or Ms. Jones (room 206) for further information.

Athletics:

Boys Rugby

All grade 10 boys interested in joining the Wise Wood Warriors Rugby Program for the Spring 2019 season (beginning in March) should attend a brief but important information meeting on Tuesday, November 6th at Wise Time in Mr. Bruno's Room (Room 120).

Curling

"There will be a curling team meeting in the Drama room (room 138) at lunch on October 15th. Anyone interested in playing on the curling team this year should attend."

Clubs:

Agents 4 Change - HWW Walk a Mile in Her Shoes

Wise Wood students are invited to put on a pair of high heels and participate in a lunch time walk to raise awareness for the need for Women's Emergency Shelters in Calgary. The YW Women's Shelter reported that the Calgary Police Service responded to 3,089 domestic violence calls in the first three quarters of 2017.

Although this is a very serious matter, this walk allows for a fun and light-hearted way to raise awareness and funds to provide a safe place for families facing these issues.



- The walk will be **Monday, October 22 at lunch**. \$2 to participate with all proceeds donated to two Calgary women's shelters.
- Sign up with your shoe size in Room 122 by Oct. 17. You can wear your own heels or rent them (including stilettos for an extra challenge). We have your size! Men's shoes are specially made in wider widths.
- Sign up with your shoe size in Room 122 to support this local Calgary cause.

Student Services:

The Award encourages anyone between the ages of 14-25 to challenge themselves by setting and working towards goals in four areas:

Service to the community, Skill, Physical Fitness and an Adventurous journey. Completion of the Award enhances job, scholarship, and post-secondary school applications giving recipients a unique edge in today's highly competitive environment. This award is the highest recognition a youth can receive in Canada.

A representative will be at HWW on **Oct 23rd, 11:45-12:45** in room 108. All grades welcome!

UPCOMING UNIVERSITY VISITS

University of Toronto	Oct 15 at lunch in Room 108
Scottish University Fair	Oct 18 from 6-7 pm at Dr. EP Scarlett High School
Dalhousie University	Oct 29 at lunch in Room 108
UBC	Oct 30 at lunch in Room 108

UPCOMING POST SECONDARY OPEN HOUSES

University of Alberta: October 20, 9:00 am-4:00 pm

- Information can be found at:
<https://www.ualberta.ca/admissions/undergraduate/tours-and-events/open-house>
- There will be buses running from Calgary to the U of A campus. Register at:
<https://www.ualberta.ca/admissions/undergraduate/tours-and-events/open-house/ebus-trips>
- Special events include an AP/IB Breakfast as well as an Indigenous Student Experience

SAIT Polytechnic: Friday Oct 19, Saturday Oct 20 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

- Information can be found at:
<https://www.sait.ca/future-students/visit-campus/open-house-2018>
- Henry Wise Wood will take 30 students to the SAIT Open House on Oct 19. Interested students should come to Student Services to sign up.

Mount Royal University: Saturday Oct 27 9:30 am-3:30 pm

- Information can be found at:
<https://www.mtroyal.ca/Admission/OpenHouse/>

POST SECONDARY INFORMATION NIGHTS

Queen's University will be holding an evening information session for students in Calgary on

Tuesday, October 16

7-8:30pm

Studio Bell, Skybridge

Calgary, AB

This is a great time for students to:

- Learn more about what it's like to live and study at Queen's
- Ask our staff your admission questions
- Meet other students interested in Queen's University from your area

Join us for a brief presentation from 7-7:30pm followed by a reception until 8:30pm. Register at

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/discover-queens-2018-calgary-tickets-50135890799>

Scholarships

Thanks to students who applied to be nominees for the Loran. Our committee will let 3 'winners/nominees' know by Oct 15th. *All students who are not nominees can still apply as direct pool applicants by October 24*

www.loranscholar.ca/apply

School Nomination required for U of T Book Award – if interested contact your guidance counsellor by Oct 17th. *You will be required to submit a short application to the guidance office by Oct 22nd (available under Scholarships on HWW website)*

<http://www.future.utoronto.ca/content/national-book-award>

For more information please go to our School Website or download our HWW App