

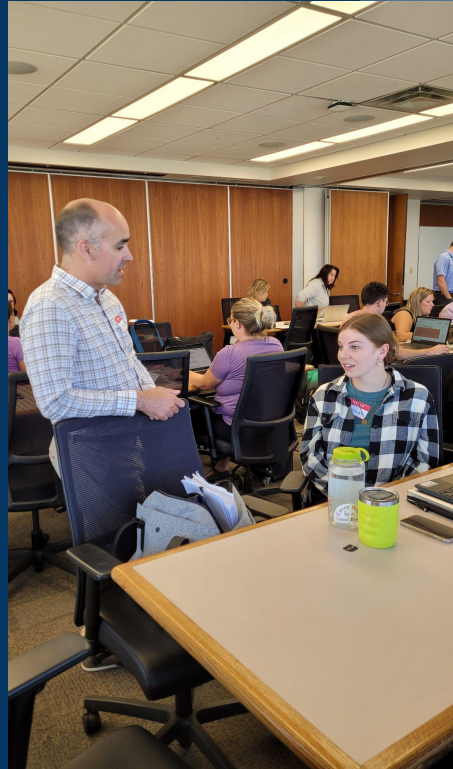


# SCHOOL NEWS

September 2022



Over the summer, Black Gold School Division held three voluntary PD days for our educators focused on the new Curriculum. They worked together collaboratively creating year plans, unit plans, and lessons to use in their classrooms this fall.



The Beginning Teachers' Workshop is a collaborative effort between Division Office staff, school teachers and administrators to support new teachers before the first day of school . Current teachers, principals, and Division Office staff facilitated the workshop by presenting sessions, speaking with small groups of teachers, and participating in a Q&A panel discussion.



On August 29, Covenant Christian School invited their parent community to the school for their first back to school BBQ in three years!



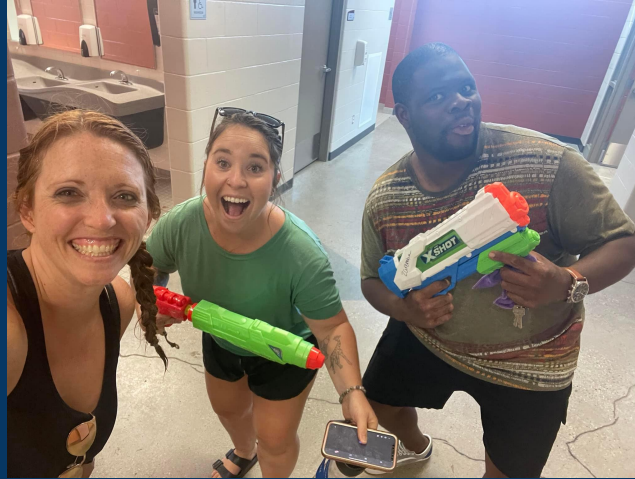
East Elementary School Grade 5 students Britney and Jaycee Derechey were excited to return to school on August 29! They were greeted by Principal Carla Fisher and Assistant Principal Tanya Dukeshire.



École Bellevue School held its first set of school assemblies to welcome students - they loved having everyone back in the gym for these assemblies!



The Grade 9s at École Champs Vallée School celebrated “Back to School” (and the incredible weather) with an outdoor field day and water fight. ✨



The Willow Park School Breakfast Club is open for business and running daily from 8-8:15 am.

Thank you to the Breakfast Clubs of Canada for their continued support and helping kids get a healthy start to their day.





Willow Park School is continuing to do their part for the environment. Organic and recycling programs are starting back up, led by the Grade 4 & 6 students. 🙌



New Sarepta Elementary had a great first week back to school.

The track team received their district ribbons, and the school's Sabre mascot stopped by to say hello!



Staying with New Sarepta Elementary, Miss Jenna Bosch from MHCBS recently dropped by the school to play physical activity games and discuss breathing exercises that the students can use when they feel overwhelmed.



Ecole Leduc Estates kicked off the 2022-23 school year with Spirit Week!

The students enjoyed an outdoor snack and reading buddies, chalk games on the sidewalk, creating class mascots and mottos, had a school-wide scavenger hunt with their reading buddies, followed by a freezie and then ended with a school assembly welcoming everyone to a very exciting year!



Learning Services recently launched a video highlighting the Early French Immersion program in our Beaumont and Leduc Family of Schools, with the objective of providing full mastery of the English language, functional fluency in French, as well as an understanding and appreciation of the French culture



Covenant Christian School Principal Donavin Simmons shared a video of him reading to kids before the first day of school - A Letter from Your Teacher!



Finally, the Division will have a seat at the table when the Province's recently-established Career Education Task Force meets this fall. The task force includes leaders from industry, labour, post-secondary institutions, government departments, and the education system. It also counts among its ranks long-serving Calmar Secondary School Career and Technology Services teacher Darren Roth.

