



SCHOOL NEWS

June 2024

Black Gold Alternative Education GRAD 2024! What a beautiful evening spent celebrating our amazing graduates, we are so proud of each and every one of you!



Last month, Calmar Secondary School Grade 10 student Adam Peterson competed in the 2024 Skills Canada National Competition, held from May 30-31 in Québec City. The 15 year-old did his school and community proud when he won a gold medal in the precision machining category.



On Monday, June 3rd many Covenant Christian School students participated in their 4-H steer showcase. The students (and alumni) did admirably, and placed in many different categories! Great work all who participated!



Covenant Christian Schools Grade 8's joined over 7000 other students for the Edmonton River Hawks "School Spirit!" day! While it was a bit rainy, they all had a great time enjoying the ball game!



A huge congratulations goes to the East Elementary School Talent Show performers! They rocked out to an electric guitar, laughed with the comedic routine of a few different groups, enjoyed a little gymnastics and dance, and even marveled at a ventriloquist performance!



On June 7, Riverview Middle School hosted the BGSD Elementary Track Meet. With over 1200 student participants, over 100 staff and student volunteers, hundreds of supporters, and countless smiles, it was a great day for everyone!



Warburg School's CTF Fitness Class had a blast with Just Dance.



Early in June, the West Haven Public School grade 2 classes went on a field trip to the U of A Botanical Gardens to supplement their science curriculum. They had fun investigating pond life, visiting the wetland area and catching insects.



Thank you sponsors of the Rodeo of Smiles and organizers for bringing such joy to some Willow Park School students. What a fun day!



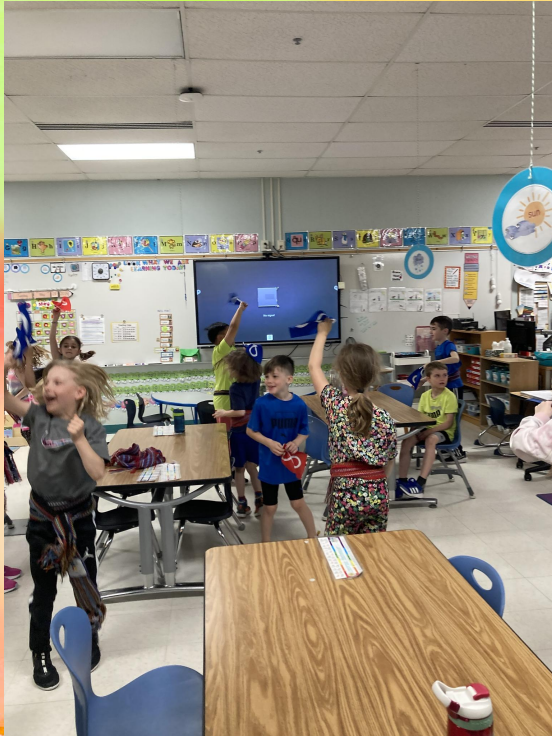
Thank you so much to École Bellevue School students Bolly Wheels for creating and performing this great presentation today. VIDEO



On June 7, the École Champs Vallée School Grade 9 students spent the day exploring beautiful Jasper! The first stop was a hike around the Valley of the Five Lakes, followed by a photo stop at Athabasca Falls. Students then had time to explore Jasper townsite, before heading off to Pyramid Lake and a hike through Maligne Canyon.



The École Coloniale Estates School Grade One Class enjoyed a visit from Métis Alive! It was an exciting, interactive morning learning about Métis history and culture.



Congratulations to the Beaumont band students. who performed at the Beaumont Year End Band Concert. Their gym full of musicians, not only from JE Lapointe but also from Champs Vallée, Dansereau and ESBCHS too!



The École J. E. Lapointe School Science 7 class wrapped up their plants project recently after analyzing the data.



École Leduc Junior High School's rugby season was a great success! Both girls and boys won the gold! Way to go Panthers!



Congratulations to the École J. E. Lapointe School soccer team on their Bronze medal finish in their league!



Happy Pride Month to the 2SLGBTQIA+ members of John Maland High School and their community! They celebrated Pride week with lots of activities! On Friday, staff and students dressed in colours to show their support.



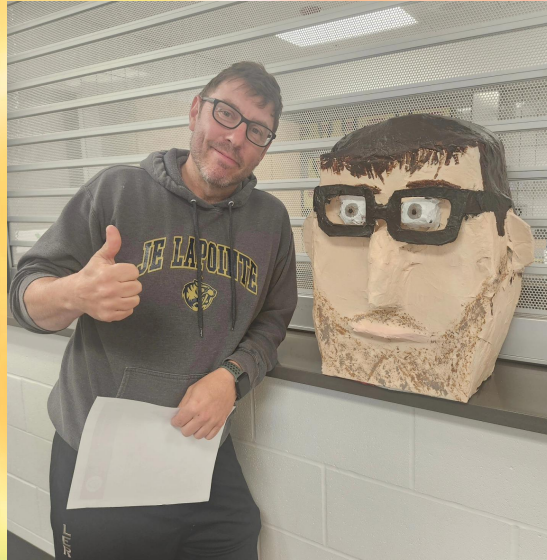
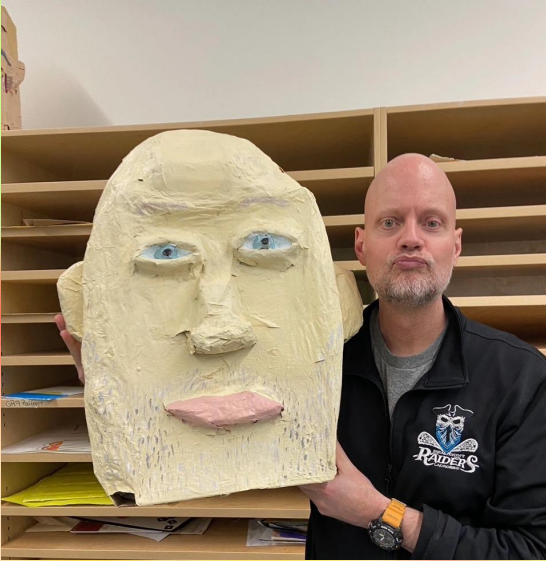
École Champs Vallée School continued their Diversity Month celebrations, with students in all grades enjoying performances by 2Moods and Sangea Academy.



Willow Park School held a volunteer appreciation assembly. Students showed their appreciation by singing to the volunteers, and volunteers were presented with coffee shop cards and prizes from local businesses.



Here are some fun art projects created by Mrs. Campbell's Art 9 students at École J. E. Lapointe School. Such remarkable likenesses!



Finally, on May 28, Ohpaho Secondary School principal Dan Lake and assistant principal Shelley Hamilton were excited to receive the school keys from Concert-Bird Partners, and are eager to get the school ready to welcome students this fall.





Thank You!