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OKCS School Newsletter

MARCH 31, 2025

ROYALS ATHLETICS

Badminton starts this week - Monday/Wednesday for Junior High and Tuesday/Thursday for Senior High!

Important Dates:

Gr. 10 - 12 Lethbridge Tournament - Sat. April 5 (Only for those already registered)

Gr. 9 - 12 Divisionals - Tues. April 8, starting at 4:00 pm at Olds High

Gr. 7 - 8 Divisionals - Tues. April. 15, starting at 4:00pm at Olds High

Gr. 10 - 12 Zones - Wed. April 16 @ Olds High (for those who qualify)

Gr. 7-9 Zones - TBD (more info on this still to come)

Note: weekly emails from Mr. Miller will cease at this time!

SCIENCE FAIR

Congratulations to Natalie Conrad who won a silver medal at the Central Alberta Rotary Science Fair in Red Deer. Her project was on instant cameras.

CAREER CORNER

Webinars to register and watch from home:

1) U of C webinar but starting at a smaller school and transferring to U of C (Thursday, April 24, 2025 at 6:00 PM until 7:00 PM)- Click on the link on GoogleClassroom to Register

2) Mount Royal is offering Webinars on the following programs Personal Fitness Trainer, Massage Therapy Diploma, Funeral Service Education and Aviation at MRU. The First one starts on April 11- Click on the link on GoogleClassroom to Register - Discovery Days at Olds College May 14 at 10am until 3pm See the Classroom for more information and to register.

- Students from Gr. 9-11 saw a presentation on Work Experience, Internships and RAP. If your child is interested they must talk to Mrs. McCracken before June 24.

OKCS SOCIETY BOARD MEMBERS

Jason Geddert, Bryan McIver, Charity Trites, Franshesca Hildebrand, Paula Swalm, Leah Stanley-Jones, Ken Taks, Christine Barnsdale

OKCS SOCIETY AGM MAY 20, 2025

All parents are invited to attend the OKCS Society Annual General Meeting on May 20, 2025, at 6:00 PM in the School chapel.

Agenda items include:

- Election of new board members and By-Laws Amendment
- Review of accomplishments from the past year
- Financial report and budget overview
- Status update on Senior High Mission Trip
- Principal's report on school progress and future goals
- Open floor for questions and suggestions from parents

All parents are welcome to attend, but please note that only Society members in good standing are eligible to vote.

We hope to see you there – your input and participation help shape the future of our OKCS!

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Please book a Parent Teacher Interview for our April session! Slots are booking up fast!

<https://www.olds.koinonia.com/preview-page/14af49a97ece662126a4c8259d717e5a>

IMPORTANT DATES

April 1 - Chubb Eats Hot Lunch

April 2 - Careers Expo

April 2 - Sr High Ski Trip -> Sunshine Village

April 4 - Kinders IN!

April 4 - Community Square Dance Grad fundraiser

April 8 - Hot Lunch - Pulled Pork

April 8 & 10 - Parent Teacher Interviews

April 15 - Hot Lunch - Prairie Donair

April 18 - April 27 - Easter Break, No School

May 2 - No School, Professional Learning Day

May 9 - Kinders In



GRAD 2025 COMMUNITY SQUARE DANCE AND PIE SOCIAL

Needed: Incredible Pie Makers to donate homemade pies!

Pies may be dropped off at the school on April 4 between 8:30-3:00

The grads are also looking for about five prizes to be donated.

(Contact Naomi @ 403-636-1419 to donate pies or prizes.)

The public is invited to this family friendly event!!! Wear Western Attire for a chance to win one of the "Best Dressed Prizes"!

CESD SURVEY

Please complete this survey from CESD:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSffFoMk1P3OZKcABiCfvpjuDbRghSAkT4Ra4wRuyxglZNRlqQ/viewform>

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Please read the following information from AHS regarding Measles.

<https://www.cesd73.ca/about/news/post/ahs-advises-families-regarding-measles>

GRAD FUNDRAISERS

Grad Fundraisers

coming up:

- 1) Veggie baskets! Order today to get 8 weeks of fresh veggies delivered weekly to the school
- 2) Community Square Dance - invite your friends and family! April 4 at 7pm.

Olds Koinonia Christian School Grads
Invite You to Join Them for a

COMMUNITY SQUARE DANCE & LIVE PIE AUCTION!

Fri. April 4, 7 PM
Carstairs Community Hall
1100 Lackner Way

Doors Open: 6:30 pm
Ticket Info:
Call school office 403-556-4038
Adults \$10, Children \$5, Family \$30
Complimentary Dessert & Coffee
EVERYONE WELCOME!

Prizes for Best Dressed!



FARM FRESH LOCAL



A 2025 Grad Fundraiser

VEGGIE BASKETS!

Receive an assorted basket of fresh produce for 8 weeks!

April 3 - May 29*

Order deadline: March 21

Cost \$240

- Baskets vary weekly, will include cucumbers, tomatoes, peppers, & leafy greens.
- Pay online to confirm order (same place as ordering hot lunches)
- Pick up every Thursday, btwn 3-3:30 pm in school lobby *no delivery April 24

More info: Call the school or Dawn Buschert 403-559-7438



Immunizations for Kindergarten Students

Dear Parent/Legal Guardian of pre-kindergarten or kindergarten students,

As you plan for your child to attend kindergarten, this is an ideal time to review your child's immunization history. It is important to keep your child's immunizations up to date in order to prevent disease and to help keep them healthy.

Children are due for the following routine vaccines at 4 years of age:

- Diphtheria / Pertussis / Tetanus / Polio

These immunizations are provided free of charge.

Immunization Records: any Albertan can submit immunization records, including out-of-province/country records at [immunization record submission \(alberta.ca\)](https://www.alberta.ca/immunization-record-submission)

Please contact your local community health centre to book an appointment for your child.

Thank you,

AHS Public Health Immunization Team

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