Academics, Artistry, Athletics, Attitude

March 28 - April 01

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PLEASE READ:

Check out our Daily School Announcements here.

2021 - 2022 School Calendar



Become a Host Family for CRPS International Students in 2022-23!CRPS is looking for Canmore & Banff families to host our next incredible cohort of 50 international students arriving in August 2022! Make meaningful connections, share your different cultures, learn a new language, build life-long memories & friendships! Commitments of 5 months and 10 months are available, with monthly remuneration provided. For more information and to apply, contact international@crps.ca or 403.609.6072

Purple Day

March 25 - Purple Day for Epilepsy Awareness - did you know that more people have epilepsy than those who have Multiple Sclerosis, Parkinson's Disease and Cerebral Palsy combined? 1 in 26 will be affected by epilepsy and there are over 65 million people living with epilepsy worldwide. Purple day for Epilepsy Awareness is a grassroots effort dedicated to increasing awareness worldwide. Purple day is March 26, but BCHS is recognizing this day on March 25 (Friday).

Spring Break

As a reminder, the last day of school before spring break is on Friday April 1. The school will be closed from April 2, through to April 17 and classes will commence on Monday April 18 - the last day of Quarter 3.

Student Leadership

Our student leadership committee is planning "March Madness," for the upcoming week. Students create teams along with a teacher, these teams then compete in a series of four challenges based on the four A's: Academics, Artistry, Athletics and Attitude. Let the Madness Begin!

Graduation 2021-22

Jostens will be at the school on Tuesday, March 29 over lunch with samples of school graduation jewelry. Students and families interested in ordering graduation memorabilia are invited to check out the offerings. For more information see our school announcement slides <u>here</u>.

The Week Ahead

Monday, March 28, 2022

- MARCH MADNESS Begins Wear your Wolverine Wear
- Grab and Go Breakfast In the Cafeteria 8:00am 8:15 am. Start up your day with a healthy breakfast. Also Grab a snack for class.
- Reminder our Cafeteria is now open daily for Lunch. We have Tap pay.
- 3:30 pm Girls Rugby Practice @ BCHS
- Badminton Practice 3:30 pm

Tuesday, March 29, 2022

- GSA Meeting @ Lunch Mr. McQueen (all welcome) In Person
- 4:30 pm Boys Rugby Practice @ CCHS
- Track & Field Practice Rec. Centre 3:30pm
- Boys Soccer Practice Indoor 5:00pm

Wednesday, March 30, 2022

- Wolvergreens Meeting @ Lunch Mme. Suffield (all welcome) In Person
- Student Council Meeting @ Lunch Mr. Skinner (all welcome) In Person
- 5:00 pm Girls Rugby Practice @BCHS
- Badminton Practice 3:30 pm

Thursday, March 31, 2022

- 5:30 pm Boys Rugby Practice @ BCHS
- Track & Field Practice Rec. Centre 3:30pm

Friday April 01, 2022

- 1/2 day of school 11:41 dismissal
- Grab and Go Breakfast In the Cafeteria 8:00am 8:15 am. Start up your day with a healthy breakfast. Also Grab a snack for class.

Some Key Dates you do not want to miss.

- April 2 April 17 Spring Break
- April 25 Parent Information Night for 2022-2023 school year
 - 6:30 pm Grade 8 welcome
 - 7:30 pm Grade 9 Transition to Grade 10
- April 27 -Parent Information Night for 2022 -2023 school year
 - 6:30 pm Grade 10 Transition to Grade 11
 - 7:30 pm Grade 11 Transition to Grade 12
- April 18 First day of Classes after Spring Break
- April 19 First day of Quarter 4
- May 2 Course Request Forms for 2022-2023 school year due.



Home Work Support Room

We have now restarted our Homework Support Room for our Grade 9 and 10 students. As it has been a while since we have had this opportunity for students, please read the rationale for this program below.

Completion of classroom assigned work is crucial to a student's academic success. A zero given on an assignment because work is not completed is not a true assessment of student learning. To ensure true assessment of student learning, we believe it is important for students to complete classroom assigned work. To assist students in establishing successful study practices and understand the importance to their learning in completing assigned work, we will work with our Grade 9 & 10 students to help them complete missing assignments. Grade 9 &10 students who are not completing assigned work will be asked by their teacher to attend a homework support room during lunch time to do any missing work. During this time, students will be given help in study skills and in completing the missed learning tasks. A failure to attend these study sessions will result in administrative contact with parents to pursue options to help the student successfully complete their work.

Grad Class of 2022

Visit the <u>Grad section</u> of the school website to keep up to date on important timely information.

Ongoing

The Canmore Bottle Depot are kindly supporting the Grad Class of 2022 by setting up an account. You can drop off your bottles (any fundable recyclables) at the Canmore Bottle Depot for the CCHS Grad 2022 account.

The grad class thanks all those who are willing to support this fundraising effort.

School Fees

Canmore Collegiate High School fees are now available on PowerSchool Parent Portal. Debit or credit card payments can be made online through your Parent Portal

<u>https://powerschool.crps.ca/public/.</u> As per Canadian Rockies School Division's Administrative Procedure 503, payment for school fees is due 30 days after invoicing. Please contact Sarah Mckay (sarah.mckay@crps.ca) to make payment arrangements if unable to pay within 30 days or if you have any questions.



Learn more about the cycle of anxiety by following the link below.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-CAd9o9OlqM

Other Information



Check out the Post Secondary Link on our school website to learn about upcoming information!

Link to the website is here

COVID Protocols Update - AHS Step 2

On March 1, 2022 the Alberta Government moved to "Step 2," of the easing of our public health measures. Our school district sent out a letter earlier this week outlining how step 2 has adjusted out protocols for safety. For further information on these adjustments, please see the attached divisional <u>re entry plan</u>. At our school these changes impact us in the following ways:

- Students are no longer required to cohort as a result, social areas like our Wolverine Den have been reopened
- Students are permitted to leave and reenter the building during lunch hour
- Staff and students are no longer required to wear masks in the building
- Students using public transportation for Alignment classes at CCHS are required to wear masks
- Students are still required to isolate and follow the daily <u>AHS checklists</u> when they have COVID symptoms
- The school will no longer be reporting to families individual COVID cases
- Extracurriculars and sports may continue

Please note that throughout the school day, our doors will remain locked and we ask visitor to make appointments when entering the building. Visitors are asked to ring the new doorbell at the Purkis Hall doors.

Student Attendance

A reminder that if your student will be late for class or leaving class early, please Call the attendance line at 403-678- 6192 ext 1 .

Leaving class early:

If your student must leave school early for the day or for part of the day, for an appointment, please notify the school. Students must sign in and out of the office if they are leaving school or returning after an appointment (note this in not required during lunch hour).

Extra Curricular News

As a school we are working hard to balance the requirement to keep our students safe with social distancing, good hand hygiene and masking, with extra curricular initiatives. We do ask that students who are not directly working with teachers or involved in an extracurricular activity leave school at 3:30 so that we can properly clean our spaces.



Please ensure you can logon to Parent Portal. Look for the PowerSchool button on our school webpage or <u>click here</u>. This is where you will access daily updates on your student's marks and attendance, school fees and more. Final term report cards are also shared with you through Parent Portal and are not mailed out from the school.

** Alberta Education has now made student access to their official transcript of marks available to all grade 10- 12 student available through a myPass account (<u>myPass.alberta.ca</u>). Grade 10 marks will first appear after the first semester.

Upcoming

Missing important happenings at CCHS? But are awash in emails? Find information through one of the medium listed below. Get connected become involved.

- school website calendar.
- Follow us on Facebook (here)
- Join us on Twitter for quick updates. @CCHS Canmore
- Follow us on Instagram cchs.canmore
- Follow our YouTube channel for happenings at CCHS in 60-90 secs. Collegiate Corner

- Check out our Daily School Announcements here.
- 2020/2021 <u>Student Handbook is here.</u> Find important CCHS dates such as parent/teacher interviews, course change information, exams and much more.
- Past Newsletters can be found here.

News

Bow Valley Settlement Services Information Newsletter now posted- Click Here

Click Here

Follow the link to view the highlights and agendas for Public School Board Meetings.

Electronic Smoking Devices: <<u>Link Here</u>