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## Thursday, April 4th, 2024 - Principal's Message, Mr. Cody Baird

**Open House:** Are you entering Grades 10, 11 or 12 in the fall? Please join us on Thursday, April 4th, 2024 from 5-7 pm for our Senior High Open House. There will be a Q&A period, with our Admin Team, at 6 pm to guide you through the registration process, answering any questions regarding programming and allow you to tour our beautiful campus.



**WCPS Solar Eclipse Notice:** On Monday, April 8, 2024, between the hours of 11:48 am and 1:38 pm, a partial solar eclipse will be visible in central Alberta. A notice from Wolf Creek Public Schools was sent on April 3, 2024 to all parents regarding the event. Please know that students are welcome to get lunch in our cafeteria and stay within our building during this time.

**Broncs World Tour:** Our BWT had an amazing trip over Spring Break as they toured the Netherlands, Belgium, Germany, France, and Italy.



**Parent Council Meeting:** Our next PSC Parent Council Meeting will be held on April 8th, 2024 at 6:30 pm in the Conference Room. Please join us - everyone is welcome.

**Parent Council Fundraiser:** The PSC's Parent Council is excited to support a mental health initiative by hosting a Silent Auction during our Parent Teacher Interviews which is planned for April 25th from 4-7:30 pm! If you have a donation you would like to give to help support this silent auction, please click the link for a <u>donation request letter.</u>

**Olds College Visits PSC:** Olds College will be visiting PSC on Monday, April 15th, 2024 to discuss the unique programs and career opportunities offered at Olds College.

**RDP Career Exp:** On April 25th, 2024 students in grades 9-12 are invited to RDP's Career Expo which provides hands-on, interactive ways to find out about career opportunities in the community and speak to post-secondary education providers to connect learning to earning. There are a limited number of spots available so please sign up early. The Career Expo also assists the long-term workforce needs of the community by focusing on those occupations in demand. A non-refundable fee of \$15 is required to secure your spot, payable online through the <u>Parent Portal</u>. Permission forms are also required and available in the school office.



Leadership Activities: Mark your calendars!

April 19th - Students Dress as Teachers & Teachers Dress as Students Day April 25th - Pep Rally Assembly, Community & School Grounds Clean up & school wide lunch with Administrators providing a Hot Dog lunch for all students.

**PD Day:** Friday, April 26th is a PD for all staff - there is No School for students.

**High School Course Requests:** Our admin team has connected with each student who will be going into grades 10, 11 or 12 next school year. We have discussed courses students would like to take, requirements for graduation, and have collected their course requests. These are simply what courses each student would like to take next school year so that we not only have appropriate numbers to organize class sizes, but to also ensure we build schedules around what each student needs.



**Grad Info:** We have attempted to use Instagram to communicate with our 2024 Graduates and their families again this year; however, our account has unfortunately been shut down again for the third time this year. We would like to invite all Grads and their parents to follow our school Facebook account for regular updates and current happenings. We are sorry for the inconvenience and appreciate your understanding.



**Grad Flower Fundraiser:** Thank you to everyone who ordered flowers in support of the Grad Class of 2024. Orders will be available Mid May; please watch for pick up dates.

**Grad Parent Volunteering:** Parent and student volunteers are needed during the week leading up to Graduation beginning Tuesday, May 28th to Thursday, May 30th helping move tables, chairs, staging and much more. Any volunteers with trucks and trailers would be greatly

appreciated to assist with the transport. Parents who are interested in helping decorate at the Ponoka Arena Complex, please email the school at <u>psc@wolfcreek.ab.ca</u>.

**Grad Banquet Slideshow:** Parents and students are asked to submit between 3 and 5 school appropriate photos of your graduate to include in our banquet slideshow. Please email your photos to <u>pscgrad2024@gmail.com</u>.

**Grad Survey:** Students will need to check their email next week as a Grad Survey will be sent to all Grade 12's. Feedback is being requested regarding their Grad Song, Grad MC Nominations and Grad Banquet Toast Nominations.

**Grad Banquet Tickets:** Tickets for the 2024 Grad Banquet will be available at the beginning of May 2024. All student fees must be paid in full prior to the purchase of banquet tickets. Tickets are \$45 each with no maximum number of guests. Please email <u>nicole.berg@wolfcreek.ab.ca</u> with any questions or concerns regarding fees or tickets.

**Athletics:** Badminton season is happening at PSC and there is talk of Track and Field in the near future. If you are considering joining the BRONCS TRACK CLUB, please listen for our lunch time organization meeting coming soon!

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**Foundations of Industry:** Semester two highlights a new course at PSC where senior high students experience first hand over 35 trades. Mr. Cripps has kids going to Eagle Builders, NAIT's Welding & Plumbing department, Edmonton Electrical, Manluk Industries, Almita in Ponoka, Almita Manufacturing in Ponoka, Foremost in Stettler, CLAC Apprenticeship Support Program, Bashaw Meats, Scovan, Alberta Millwrights, Interior Heavy Equipment Training Centre in Innisfail, Skills Alberta in Edmonton, Supreme Steel - Boilermakers Union, Alberta Pipe Trades College in Edmonton.



**Discovery Day at Olds College:** Wednesday, May 15th from 10 am to 3 pm. High school students are invited to explore our campus and learn about our innovative programs that are shaping the future of the ag industry. Discover new possibilities, meet faculty and students and ignite your passion. Don't miss out on this unique opportunity to explore your potential at Olds College! Field Trip forms will be available in the office on March 11th. A non-refundable fee of \$15 is required to secure your spot, payable online through the Parent Portal. See Mrs. Fessler for more information.

**Wolf Creek Summer School:** Interested in Summer School - please see the post below for more information.



English 10-1	Science 24	Science 30
English 10-2	Science 20	Biology 30
Social Studies 10-1	Biology 20	Chemistry 30
Social Studies 10-2	Chemistry 20	Physics 30
Science 10	Physics 20	English 30-1
Science 14	English 20-1	English 30-2
Math 10-3	English 20-2	Social Studies 30-1
Math 10 C	Social Studies 10-1	Social Studies 30-2
	Social Studies 10-2	Math 30-1
CALM 20 (3 credit course)	Math 20-1	Math 30-2
	Math 20-2	Math 30-3
	Math 20-3	Math 31

Students may only register for one complete course. However, we offer credit recovery for missed courses. That means you <u>may</u> be able to get your credits WITHOUT redoing the whole course.

 More information on how to register, prerequisites, fees, and our complete schedule can be found on our website at summer.wolfcreek.ab.ca

 Www.summer.wolfcreek.ab.ca

 Accepting Registrations until Friday June 21, 2024.

 Get ahead or catch up

 with

 Wolf Creek

 Summer School

 Questions?

 Tenail us at summerschool@wolfcreek.ab.ca or call (403) 783-8726 ext. 1350

#### School Bus Registration for 2024 / 2025:

Who needs to register for Wolf Creek Bus Transportation for the 2024/25 school year? - All urban (in town students - Ponoka & Lacombe).

- All students new to transportation
- All students who are moving to a new address.
- All Cross Boundary students must re-register every year.

#### Who does not need to register?

- Rural students who have not had a change in address or school location. Unsure?

- If parents are not sure if they need to register, or are unsure which school they need to register

at, they can reach out to transportation@wolfcreek.ab.ca.

- What do you need to do to register?

- Street address if urban, legal land description and complete 911 address if rural.

- Applications are submitted online through the Parent Portal or SchoolEngage.

https://www.wolfcreek.ab.ca/school-division/transportation/bus-status-page2

# PLEASE NOTE: BUS APPLICATIONS ARE DUE JUNE 1st. THERE IS A \$100 LATE FEE FOR APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER JUNE 1st, 2024.

**Keep in the Loop:** Easy ways to keep notified: <u>PSC Events Google Calendar</u>, accessing and reading the <u>Principal's Messages</u>, as well as following us on <u>Facebook</u>.

### **Bus Registration:**



Cody "Work hard, be kind and amazing things will happen." Conan O'Brien