



# March 2023

## Parent / Teacher / Student Conferences

Parent/Student/Teacher coming up and this should be a meaningful and productive conversation guiding student progress for the second semester. Students have set goals for the second semester, and our conference time is an opportunity to review these goals, discuss what is going well and some challenges that might be occurring.

Please join us for some dinner, and important discussions about your child's progress. Prizes will be awarded to students who attend the conferences!

Please fill out the interview form with the preference of your interview time and have your child return it to the school. Your child's teacher will be in contact with you.

- Wednesday March 15 from 4-7 pm (*Lasagna will be served*)
- Thursday March 16 from 5-8pm (*Pulled Pork will be served*)
- Friday March 17 from 8:30-11:30am (*Light Snacks will be served*)

Please note there is **No School** for students on Friday March 17.

## IMPORTANT DATES:

- **Fri March 3 - Early Dismissal**
- Tue March 7 - Calgary Opera Performance at 10am
- Sun March 12 - move clocks forward by 1 hour
- Thu March 16 - Spirit Day (details of vote will be announced on Facebook)
- **Fri March 17 - NO SCHOOL**
- Parent - Teacher Interviews
  - Wed Mar 15 from 4-7pm
  - Thu Mar 16 from 5-8pm
  - Fri Mar 17 fr 8:30 to 11:30
- Fri March 24 - drumming performances at 10:35
- Tue March 28 to Thu March 30 - Alien In-Line Rollerblading

## Exciting Performances

Please join us on March 7 at 10 a.m. we will have **Calgary Opera** at Exshaw school performing Cinderella. All are welcome!



Also, on March 24 at 10:35 we have **2 drumming groups** joining us: Eya Hey Nakoda and Farha Khosravi and Daniel Stadnicki. All are welcome! A big thank you to ArtsPlace for helping to arrange this performance!

More info about Eya Hey Nakoda:

<https://artsplacecanmore.com/posts/holding-space-to-learn-from-each-other>

More info about Farhad Khosravi and Daniel Stadnicki:

<https://artsplacecanmore.com/whats-on/music-and-performance/farhad-khosravi>

## Alien In-Line Skating

Alien In-Line Skating is one of the most successful skating programs in the world and Canada's leading school skating program.


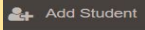

Alien In-Line will be at Exshaw School on **March 28, 29, and 30.**

All equipment will be provided and experts will be teaching students how to inline skate.



## 2023-24 Registrations

We encourage any families interested in attending Exshaw School for the 2023-24 school year to submit a registration.

1. If you do not have an account, go to <https://www.crps.ca/registration> and click the button to create a new account.
2. Then sign-in to <https://powerschool.crps.ca/public/>
3. Click on **ScholEngage** at the bottom of the left-hand menu. 
4. Click on **Add Student** from the left-hand menu. 
5. Then click on the student's name, followed by opening the registration form for the correct year. 
6. Fill out the information on the form and upload any ID documents.

The principal will review all registrations and will contact families by phone to discuss the registration.

Please call the school (403-673-3656) if you have any questions.

If your child is already registered at Exshaw School, you do not have to register for next school year.

## Attendance

We are celebrating attendance each month for students that are attending 90% of the time. We really appreciate the support from parents and our Elders are making gifts for students who attend 90%.



If your child is sick or will be away, we really appreciate having a phone call to the school to give the reason for the absence: 403-673-3656

## Student Senate

Student representatives from each class have been invited to join our Student Senate. Once a week, Ms. Keon will meet with students to hear ideas, such as, spirit days, friendly helpers, and a big school spirit initiative that we are planning for next year. This is evolving and all voices are welcome. The goal is to make Exshaw School the best it can be, with the help of our students.

## Kindergarten Open House

This is an exciting month with many activities happening throughout all of our grades.

Please join us on March 9 at 6:30 p.m. for our Kindergarten Open House.

Please share this information if you know of anyone interested in registering for Kindergarten at Exshaw School.

Our Open House will provide a lot of information on what to expect. A babysitter will be available and snacks and refreshments will be provided.



## CCHS Open House

Please join us for our high school open house at Canmore Collegiate High School (CCHS) on **Tuesday March 21** from 6-7pm. All are welcome to join us on this night. Teachers will be in classrooms, students will be 'working' in options and giving tours or families can enjoy a self guided tour.

This is an opportunity to come visit CCHS with your student and get a feel for what life at CCHS is like. We strongly encourage all families new to CCHS and those returning to join us.

An important **grade 9 parent information session** will also be held this evening 7:00-7:30. Grade 8 students and families should attend this important event.

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Jody Keon (principal)

Please follow our Exshaw School Facebook page, Twitter feed and website for updates:

