September 6, 2024

### ADMIN MESSAGE

Parents and Caregivers,

We are excited to work alongside of you as we begin another year filled with growth and learning. Your support and involvement are invaluable, and together we can make this an enriching and rewarding experience for your child. Here's to another great chapter ahead—welcome back!

Mrs. Pennock and Mrs. Simpson

#### **RE ENROLLMENT AND CONSENT FORMS**

If you have not done so please make sure to complete your child's Re Enrollment and Consent Form. Without this form being completed your child **will not** be able to take part in the Terry Fox Walk on Friday, September 13, 2023.

https://powerschool.cesd73.ca/public/home.html

### HOT LUNCH

We are excited to start up our Hot Dog Wednesdays and Hot Lunch Fridays. \*\*Please note that there was a glitch in the system that did not have the Sept. 18th hot dog sale online, so you may need to log back into the system to add that lunch. Also, <u>ALL</u> hot lunches need to be ordered through the following link. <u>https://www.studentquickpay.com/chinook/</u>

#### **ONLINE STORE**

Our DCS online store closes on September 17th. Be sure to purchase some new DCS swag before that date. We will not open another store before Christmas. Please note that our online store will close on Sept. 17 with an approximate arrival time on October 8th. <u>https://dcsapparelfall24.itemorder.com/</u>

#### ATHLETICS UPDATE

We are so excited to have our fall sports up and running. Thank you to the following volunteers to stepping up lead these teams.

Senior Varsity girls - Cayla Gabruck Junior Varsity girls - Kasie Brewster Junior High A Girls - Mr. Andruski Junior High B Girls - Jenette Rude and Mrs. Vanderneut Junior High Boys - Ms. Kozey Junior and Senior High Golf - Mr. Smith Cross Country Running (Grade 2 - 6) - Tasha

Good luck to our Senior Varsity girls' team this weekend in their tournament in Camrose.

### **CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING CLUB**

For the next few weeks, while the weather is nice, we will be hosting a cross-country running club for interested students in Grades 2-6. The Grade 2-6 students will meet during the morning recess to go for a long-distance run around the schoolyard. The Grade 2 students will run on Tuesdays, Grade 3-4's on Wednesdays, while Grades 5-6 will run on Thursdays. The purpose of the club will be to encourage students to increase their level of physical activity and to foster a positive attitude towards physical activity. On running days, please have your child wear clothes and footwear to school that are suitable for running.

Also, there is typically an Elementary Fun Run being held in Innisfail at Centennial Park at the beginning of October. We would like to attend this event with the students in Grades 2-6 who have been attending and actively participating in our running club sessions. More info to follow.

We typically have a running club T-shirt to wear during the race, but would instead like to encourage parents to order online through the new logo. The store is open for orders and it will close on September 17<sup>th.</sup> Orders will be ready approximately October 8<sup>th</sup>. <u>https://dcsapparelfall24.itemorder.com/</u>

There will be a \$15.00 Crosscountry fee that needs to be paid online to cover some busing costs. Our fundraising program will cover any additional costs. If you have any questions or concerns about this trip please email Tasha tsenecal@cesd73.ca

### **TERRY FOX**

Our annual Delburne School Terry Fox Walk will take place on **Friday, September 13th at 2:00 p.m.** Together as a school, we will do a lap around town and then return to the school for a freezies. This year, our students will have the opportunity to run for Terry with their class, prior to our walk around town. Classroom teachers will be taking their students out ahead of time to run on our school grounds. Thank you to our High School Leadership Group for helping run the Terry Fox Walk.

As part of teaching global citizenship, we are asking for students to donate a "Toonie for Terry" (if possible). This money will then be forwarded to the Terry Fox Foundation for Cancer Research.

We would love to invite parents to join us for our Terry Fox event! Please feel free to jump in to join us around 2:00 on the upper elementary playground.

#### **MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER: CHRIS KOCH**

On Thursday, September 19th, Delburne School and FCSS are excited to host motivational guest speaker, Chris Koch. Chris was born with physical limitations however he has not let this stop him from living a life filled with success and triumph.

Chris fills his days farming, travelling, and speaking to adults and children about the importance of pursuing their hopes and dreams. His motto, "If I Can..." portrays a powerful message regarding the importance of pushing yourself to achieve greatness.

A very special thank you to the Delburne FCSS for making this presentation possible!

#### **GET TO KNOW THE SCHOOL!**

There are many ways to stay up to date with the school! The best ways include...

DCS Website DCS Facebook Page

DCS Instragram

### ON THE CALENDAR

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
September 9	September 10	September 11	September 12	September 13
Jr High Boys Vball Practice 3:30 - 5:00 (Large Gym) SV Girls Vball Practice 5:00 - 7:00 (Small Gym)	Jr High A Girls Vball practice 3:30 - 5:30 (Large Gym) Jr High B Girls Vball Practice 3:30 - 5:00 (Small Gym) JV Girls Vball Practice 5:00 - 7:00 (Small Gym)	Hot Dog Day CEAA Golf tournament Jr High Boys Vball Practice 3:30 - 5:00 (Small Gym) Junior High A Girls Vball Practice 3:30 - 5:30 (Large Gym) SV Girls Vball Practice 5:00 - 7:00 (Small Gym)	Jr High A Girls Vball practice 3:30 - 5:30 (Large Gym) Jr High B Girls Vball Practice 3:30 - 5:00 (Small Gym) JV Girls Vball Practice 5:00 - 7:00 (Small Gym)	Boston Pizza Hot Lunch Terry Fox 2:00 -3:30



Hello and Welcome Back to School!

I am beyond excited to be joining the students at Delburne School for another year of success with the Youth Empowerment and Support Program!

The YES program is designed to be an empowering, safe and positive addition to EVERY students' life. It is carefully crafted to flex to meet the current and growing needs of the students!

The YES Program operates division-wide and primarily engages with in the K-8 age group both in- school and out-of-school capacities throughout the year, providing universal inclassroom programming, lunch time connection and after-school programming for students! With mindfully recognizing the diverse student needs, and ever-changing social dynamics, the YES program is continually adapting to provide meaningful and pro-social activities to support students in any capacity they may require.

I look very forward to this upcoming year!

Have a Great Weekend!

MJ Vergara **Success Coach** mvergara@cesd73.ca **Delburne School** 







### Youth Art Club - Delburne

### **Delburne Municipal Library**

Wednesdays 6:30 - 7:30 PM September 25 - October 30 Ages 8-14 | \$25.00 \*No Class October 16

These 5-week sessions give youth a foundation in the arts! Bring out your artistic and creative side in a fun and inspiring environment led by a local instructor.





To register: visit rdcounty.ca or call 403.350.2150

