

Delburne Centralized School

Weekly Update

February 14, 2025

WINTER BREAK

Just a reminder that our winter break will run from February 17-21. Students will return to school on Monday, February 24th.

VALENTINE DONATION

A huge thank you is extended to an anonymous donor for donating a carnation to every student in the school. Thank you so much for your generosity and kindness!

TEACHERS' CONVENTION

On February 21 and 22, all of the Delburne Centralized teachers will be attending the annual Teachers' Convention. This year, teachers have been given the choice to attend the Convention in Red Deer or Calgary. The Teachers' Convention provides our teachers with an opportunity to further their knowledge and understanding of educational pedagogy. Current and future practices around curriculum, ideas for academic intervention, and strategies to build student wellness will be key areas of focus at this year's convention.

WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN

The Welcome to Kindergarten evening will be Monday, May 5, 2025 at 6:30 pm. This will be held in the kindergarten room for you and your child only (no siblings please). Please RSVP to Mrs. Page by April 18, 2025.

You do not need to wait until this night to get registered for kindergarten. You can register anytime at <https://www.cesd73.ca/programs/early-childhood-services>

Students need to be 5 by December 31, 2025. Birth Certificate Required.

HOT LUNCH

<https://www.studentquickpay.com/chinook/>

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PINK SHIRT DAY

Just a reminder that on Wednesday, February 26th Delburne School will honour Pink Shirt Day. Pink Shirt Day began in 2007 when two students stood up for someone who was being bullied for wearing a pink shirt to school. Pink Shirt Day is an opportunity to work together to stop bullying, celebrate diversity and promote kindness and inclusiveness. We ask that you wear a pink shirt on February 26th to show your support of this very important day.

JUNIOR CURLING BONSPIEL

Students in grades 4 - 12 are invited to enter a team for the annual Junior Curling Bonspiel. This event will take place March 10, 11, 12, and 13 after school. There is a \$20/ person entry fee. All students get a prize and a supper at the Thursday evening Banquet. Please see Tasha for a form to sign up.

ON THE CALENDAR

February 17 - 21 Winter Break

Teacher's Convention February 20, 21

MONDAY February 24	TUESDAY February 25	WEDNESDAY February 26	THURSDAY February 27	FRIDAY February 28
Jr. Boys Basketball Practice 3:30 - 5:00 Jr. Girls Basketball Practice 5:00 - 7:00	Hundreds Day BGC Kids Club 3:10 -5:00 Youth Keystone 5:30-7:30 Sr Girls Basketball Practice 3:30 - 5:00 Sr Boys - Senior Night - Basketball Game VS Spruce View 6:00-7:30	Pink Shirt Day Hot Dog Day Jr. Girls Basketball Practice 3:30 - 5:30 Jr. Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 *(if the boys win Tuesday) Sr. Boys Basketball Game @ Caroline 6:00-7:30	Sr Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5:30 Sr Girls Exhibition Game @ Alix 6:00 Sr Boys Exhibition Game @ Alix 8:00	Subway Hot Lunch Sr. Girls Practice 7:00 a.m. Jr Boys CENNA Finals @ Innisfail Jr Girls CENAA Finals @ Innisfail Sat. Mar. 1 *Jr Boys CENNA Finals @ Innisfail **Jr Girls CENAA Finals @ Innisfail

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Dear Parents!

Our **School** has a subscription to **TumbleBookLibrary**, and your family can access it from home! It's **unlimited**, and it's **FREE** for you to use from home!

TumbleBookLibrary is an online collection of **e-books** for children. They are a great way to encourage tech-savvy kids to enjoy reading!

There are **over 1200** animated, talking picture books! The site also features Spanish and French books, read-along chapter books, non-fiction books, quizzes, and exciting games and puzzles!

We hope that you will get the chance to check out the collections with your child! Below is all the information you'll need to login to the collection:



You can use your computer, tablet, or mobile phone! All you need is an internet connection. There are no downloads: books are streamed right to your device at the click of a button. Visit this website to have instant access:

https://www.tumblebooklibrary.com/auto_login.aspx?U=delburne&P=login

Happy Tumbling, everyone!



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Red Deer Polytechnic

Parent Night

Do you have a high school student interested in attending RDP?
Join us and learn more about:

- Programs
- Entrance requirements
- Funding
- Awards and scholarships
- Application process

Thursday
March 20

7 – 8 pm

RDP
Main Campus,
Margaret
Parsons
Theatre



Register now



Free Movie Party on P.D. Days

March 7th & 21st
2:00 PM

Delburne Library

*Snacks & Drinks provided
No registration required*



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Delburne School Curling Bonspiel 2025

We are very excited to be hosting the Grades 4-12 Curling Bonspiel

Monday March 10th - Thursday March 13th . Students will play 1 DRAW from 3:30-4:45 p.m. Please have your child picked up by 5:00 p.m.

Cost is \$20 per person with permission forms and payment online

Prizes will be awarded for both curling and dressing up. To wrap things up on Thursday, we're having a pizza party at 5:00 p.m.. Prizes will be given at that time, starting with the top team down to 6th team. If you need to leave early, please let us know.

March 10 - **Minion Monday**

March 11– **Twin Tuesday**

March 12– **Wacky Wednesday**

March 13– **Tourist Thursday**

Players must wear clean shoes. If you have a broom, gripper or slider please bring them too.

Rules:

Game #1: 3:30 – 4:45.

- The players will play a four end game.
- If they have not started the 4th end, by 4:35, they will just finish the third end and throw the rocks back.
 - This is a FUN school activity. You must act in an appropriate manner. Any name calling, bullying, accusations and/or cheating etc will result in you or your team being asked to leave.
 - If you are unable to make your draw, it's the skip's responsibility to find a spare (who needs a signed permission form) or curl with a team of 3
 - Prizes for dressing up will be given to those who curl dressed up. You must stay in your outfit to qualify.
 - In the event that there is a tie, there will be a draw to the button by the skip(s) of each team.
 - The concession will be open at the curling rink those afternoons
 - Any concerns, please contact the school 403- 749-3838 or tsenecal@cesd73.ca

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Return this portion of form to Tasha by Friday February 14th

_____ (name of student) has permission to participate in the Grade 5-12 Curling Bonspiel Monday March 10 to Thursday March 13, 2025 after school at the Delburne Curling Rink. Without this form, we don't know who to send the online permission forms to and to set up Student Pay for the \$20 fee.

Teammates

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Please let us know if there is another activity that might interfere with draw time(s) so that we can accommodate as best as we can e.g. Basketball or hockey practice at 5