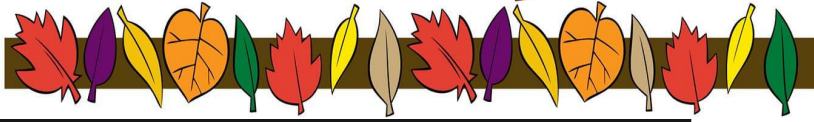


November



BRANT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Thursday, November 18th, 2021

ALL VISITORS

(INCLUDING PARENTS & VOLUNTEERS)

Please sign in at the office and we ask that all visitors wear a mask in the school.

Thank you for your cooperation.

PEANUT/NUT ALLERGY ALERT

Due to severe allergies, Brant Christian School is a **PEANUT and NUT FREE** environment. Please check labels on foods and do not send foods containing traces of peanuts or any nuts to school.

Thank you for your cooperation to ensure the safety of all of our students.

Upcoming Events:

- Nov. 18 – Hot Lunch - Pizza
- Nov. 19 – Friday OFF
- Nov. 22 – Report Cards go home
- Nov. 22 – Prayer Meeting here at Brant – 2:30 pm
- Nov. 24 – Parent Teacher Conferences (4:00-8:00pm)
- Nov. 25 – Hot Lunch – Pulled Pork Sandwiches
- Nov. 25 – **Early Dismissal at 2:00 pm**
- Nov. 25 – Parent Teacher Conferences (2:30-8:00pm)
- Nov. 26 – Friday Off

- Dec. 2 – Hot Lunch – Hot Dogs & chips
- Dec. 3 – Friday Off
- Dec. 5 – K – Gr. 4 Music Concert 5:00 pm – High River Baptist Church
To reserve seats - Link will be emailed during the week of Nov 21st
- Dec. 6 – Prayer Meeting at BCS @ 2:30 pm
- Dec. 9 – Hot Lunch – Taco in a Bag
- Dec. 9 – K – Gr. 4 Music Concert 6:45 pm – High River Baptist Church
- Dec. 9 – Gr. 5-12 Band & Choir Concert 8:15 pm
To reserve seats - Link will be emailed during the week of Nov 21st
- Dec. 10 – Friday Off
- Dec. 14 – Society Board Meeting
- Dec. 16 – Hot Lunch – Pizza
- Dec. 16 – Pajama Day & Christmas Gift Exchange/Parties
- Dec. 17-Jan. 2 – Christmas Holidays

This list is tentative only, activities may be added/deleted or dates changed and we will notify parents through email. Individual class field trips and activities are not included on our school calendar, these will be communicated through the classroom teacher. ☺

SCHOOL CLOSURES & BUSING

Winter and the possibility of inclement weather is becoming a reality with the cold wind and the touch of snow this past week. Please note the following communication methods which will be used to make parents aware of school closures or buses that are not running due to weather or other reasons.

Bussing

If a bus is not running you will be contacted by your bus driver or Southland Dispatch by phone.

School Closures

- School closures will be posted on our website at www.brantchristianschool.ca
- Emails will be sent from the school office regarding emergency closures as well.

Please check both if you are questioning whether the school is open on those blustery days.

Please note:

On days where buses are not running due to weather conditions, but the school remains open, it is the parent's decision whether to drive students or let them drive to school.

Also, just a reminder to ensure students are dressed appropriately for the weather.

2021-22 YEARBOOKS

AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE ONLINE for \$29.50 at www.schoolcashionline.com.

MUST be pre-purchased prior to the beginning of June.

Distribution will be in September.

NOTE: Price is subject to change depending on the number sold.



Scholastic Reading Club
Connect kids to books they'll love to read!

Don't forget that the November/December Scholastic Book Club Flyer is available! This is a great opportunity to get Christmas presents and encourage reading at the same time!

To check out the flyer go to:

<https://classroomessentials.scholastic.ca/s/cec-ca/en/digital-catalogues>

There are other books available through Scholastic on top of the flyer, check them out at:

www.scholastic.ca/clubshop

To order just create an account and **DON'T FORGET TO ENTER OUR SCHOOL CLASS CODE: RC216316 ON YOUR ACCOUNT.** *NOTE: It will come up as Mrs. McLean's class (library).*

This is a great way to support our school library and classrooms! We receive 20% in essential rewards for each book sold!

Christmas Concert Dates

Kindergarten to Grade 4

Sunday, Dec. 5th – 5:00 pm

Student drop off: 4:45 pm

Thursday, Dec. 9th – 6:45 pm

Student drop off: 6:30 pm

Band Gr. 5-12 and Choir

Thursday, Dec. 9th – 8:15 pm

Student drop off: 8:00 pm

Location: High River Baptist Church

Please Note:

- Capacity limit. Seats will be required to be reserved. The weblink to order will come out by email next week.
- Wearing masks is required while in the church building.

December Hot Lunch is online to order at www.schoolcashionline.com. Order deadline: Sun, Nov 28th.

Parent Teacher Conferences

November 24th – 4:00 – 8:00 pm

November 25th – 2:30 – 8:00 pm

NOTE: Early Dismissal at 2:00 pm on Nov. 25th only
Buses will arrive at their stops approx. 1 ¾ hrs prior to normal.

- Appointments are still available. Please book at the link below for core courses only (LA, Math, Social, Science) except for band (gr.5-12 or music K-gr.4).
- Mrs. Niemans (K), Mrs. Blake/Mrs. Larsen-Wall (1/2), Mrs. Anderson (Sr English), Mrs. Nauta (1-4 music) and Mr. Korthuis (gr 5-12 band) will only have bookings open for Thursday's conferences.

To book conferences, go to:

<https://brantchristianschool.schoolappointments.com>

School Access Code: 5492

1. Add students by clicking on the "Add a Student" button.
2. Schedule appointments by clicking on "Appointments" beside the student name. You can collect multiple teachers by holding the "ctrl" key.
3. Once appointments are successfully booked you will see a list of your appointments for that student.
4. If you require more than one appointment per family for a teacher you can continue to book for another student by following the same steps. Times where you have appointments will show unavailable.

Please let us know if you have any questions regarding booking.

The Brant Christian School Graduating Class of 2022 will also be holding a **BAKE SALE** during both evenings.
Wednesday, Nov. 24th and Thursday, Nov 25th

ADmazing Coupon Book Fundraiser

We have A LOT of coupon books left to sell! Our goal is to sell out so that we can offer the year end field trip for free or at a significantly lower cost than normal to all of our students. Please order before the deadline to not miss out on these savings and to help us fundraise for our students.

- Coupon books are **\$25.00** each.
- **How to order**
 - Please email catherine.massey@pallisersd.ab.ca with which books you would like to order or return your envelope with your list
 - Then pay online at www.schoolcashionline.com. This item is set up on all student accounts or send payment to school with order.
 - Once paid online, the books will be sent home (with the envelope if it was returned to the school for your distribution).

The deadline to order is November 30th.

If you have any questions regarding this fundraiser or ordering please contact catherine.massey@pallisersd.ab.ca.



For unto you is born this day in the city of David
 a SAVIOUR, which is Christ the Lord.
 And this shall be a sign unto you;
 Ye shall find the babe
 wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.
 And suddenly there was with the angel
 a multitude of the heavenly host
 praising God, and saying,
GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST,
AND ON EARTH PEACE,
GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN.

DECEMBER 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Kindergarten – Gr. 4 Christmas Concerts Sunday, Dec. 5 – 5:00 pm (student drop off 4:45 pm) Thursday, Dec. 9 – 6:45 pm (student drop off 6:30 pm) Gr. 5-12 Band & Choir Concert Thursday, Dec 9 – 8:15 pm (student drop off 8:00 pm)			1	2 Hot Dogs	3 FRIDAY OFF	4
5 K – Gr. 4 Music Concert 5:00 pm High River Baptist Church	6 Prayer Meeting at Brant - 2:30 pm	7	8	9 Taco in a Bag K - Gr. 4 Music Concert 6:45 pm Band/Choir 8:15pm High River Baptist Church	10 FRIDAY OFF	11
12	13	14 BCSS Board Meeting	15	16 Pizza Pajama Day & Class Christmas Parties & Gift Exchange	17 FRIDAY OFF	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
CHRISTMAS VACATION (Dec. 17-Jan. 2)						
26	27	28	29	30	31	
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