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Innisfail HIGH SCHOOL

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A great basketball season comes to an end



The Sr. Boys and Girls basketball teams had a fantastic season! Both teams finished 2nd in their league and went on to compete in Zones March 10 & 11. The girls won their first game at zones, but then lost the next two and finished 4th overall. The boys met some really tough competition right out of the gate and ended up in 7th place after losing their first game. Both teams were proud to have players chosen to attend the All Star Game in Lacombe on Wednesday, March 22 and represented Innisfail very well. The girls who attended were Natalia Billings, Jaidin Wiebe and Ryleigh Skogen and the boys were Lucas Billings and Liam Hansford. Jaidin Wiebe was then invited to attend the Shooting Stars Prospects tournament in Edmonton on March 24 & 25 and did awesome! Well done to all of our players for a great season!



Chinook's Edge Staff are planning ahead for the upcoming year!

In Mid-August, Chinook's Edge will be sending home your Annual Demographic Update which will be called "Annual Re-Enrollment and Consents" for the 2023-2024 year. The form will need to be completed and submitted prior to the start of the school year.

The form will ensure your registration and certain consents for the upcoming year. We have combined forms together into one to make the start of the school year easier for you.

The form contains a Walking Field Trip, Technology, Media and FOIP consents that has to be completed every year before your child can participate in these activities.

We are wanting parents and guardians to ensure that they can sign into their PowerSchool Parent Portal account before the end of the year. If you are having troubles with your username or password, please contact your school before the end of May to get help. This is for all Kindergarten to Grade 12 students

If you have verified that you can sign in, please disregard this message. Thank you!

[PowerSchool Parent Portal](#)

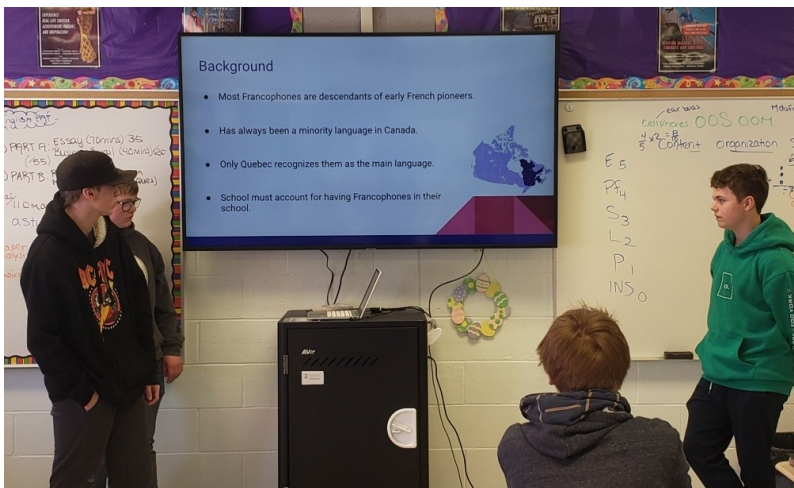
Many fun learning opportunities at Innisfail High School



Mr. Andrews and his preservice teacher from the U of A, Mr. Patterson, witnessed students re-enact some concepts in Social 30-1. The objective was to portray the impact of classical liberal thought on society, then investigate the responses to what occurred. Each group had to convincingly win out over each other by establishing a model economic/political/social structure.



Mr. Wooff's Biology 20 class enjoyed some hands-on learning when they headed into the lab to do a cow heart dissection. The students dug in and did a great job!



Mrs. Dufresne's SS-9 class did a project on "To what extent has Canada affirmed collective rights?" Students presented this week.



Dual credit is a powerful program for students

- A message from Superintendent Kurt Sacher

Did you know... ***A student who enrolls in a dual credit course is almost 100% guaranteed to graduate?***

As Chinook's Edge looked back over the last decade of students who participated in dual credit opportunities, our records show that almost all of these students graduated. We knew dual credit was going well, but when we discovered this data we were thrilled!

What is dual credit?

Dual credit allows high school students to enroll in a course through a post-secondary institution and receive credit for that course "dually": at the post secondary level and at high school. Dual Credit programming provides career pathway experiences as students explore various career learning through these courses. We offer:

- Various skilled trades experiences with early introduction to trades courses
- Pre-employment Certification in Welding and Heavy Equipment Technician
- Student career training in the area of animal sciences with the offering of the Veterinary Technical Assistant Certificate
- Dual credit single course experiences: exploration of careers in business, sports management, animal sciences, horticulture, health care, hospitality, and agriculture technology

The goal of dual credit is to provide students with skills and experience necessary to transition successfully to post-secondary learning for their career of choice learning. We want students to leave high school engaging in the career pathway that they are passionate about. About 490 Chinook's Edge students enrolled in dual credit this year.



Veterinary Tech - dual credit students

Why does dual credit have an impact on graduation? There are two main reasons this program is having such a positive impact:

1. We have found that students who participate in dual credit **gain motivation**. They might hear, for instance, from a post-secondary instructor that a certain mark or a specific course is needed to progress in a career. Students are telling us this direct connection to careers makes their schooling more purposeful to them. As well, students find that their overall high school achievement increases as they better understand how important the skills of math, science and communication are for them in their future career.
2. **Direct support from a caring adult**. The structure of the dual credit program means a staff member will directly support individual students through advising and coaching to ensure the experience is successful. The influence of these staff members in a 'shepherding' type of role contributes significantly to student success.

In Chinook's Edge "Career Connections" is one of our three major priorities. Dual credit is just one high leverage strategy to help students transition into future careers. Please connect with your school for more information.

To read the latest version of the Board e-News, please [click here](#).



We are currently looking for School bus drivers in all areas. If you are interested in becoming a school bus driver please apply online at www.cesd73.ca under Careers/

Casual

Support Staff, by email at transportation@cesd73.ca or by calling our office at 403-227-7072

Chinook's Edge is one of the largest school divisions in the province, serving over 11,000 students in 43 Central Alberta schools between Calgary and Red Deer. Our schools are located in 13 small communities that sprawl east and west from the Highway 2 corridor, conveniently providing Chinook's Edge staff and families with the best of both worlds

This Year we are excited to offer students the opportunity to complete the online Dual Credit Course:

AHT1050 - Intro to the Veterinary Profession

This is an asynchronous Dual credit course, and students will receive 5 high school credits upon successful completion.

This course will run July 4 to August 29!



Please submit your name to Ms. Lapierre ASAP!

MINI JOB FAIR

TUESDAY APRIL 4TH
OVER THE LUNCH HOUR
STUDENT COMMON AREA

COME DOWN AND TALK TO SOME LOCAL BUSINESSES ABOUT A SUMMER JOB.

BRING YOUR RESUME AND ENTER TO WIN A DOOR PRIZE BASKET FROM THE FAMILY RESOURCE NETWORK



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JUNGLE FARM

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Innisfail High School Prom Jungle Farm Fundraiser 2023

Phone #:

Thursday, April 20, 2023

Will receive a certificate to pick up between May 5-31, 2023

Innisfail High School

- 1 - Fill in Customer Name and Phone Number
- 2 - Fill in the Customer Orders by Marking How Many of Each Individual Item Was Ordered.
- 3 - Payment Must Accompany the Orders (Cash or Cheque) When Handing The Order Sheets In
- 4 - Please Make Cheques Payable to **Innisfail High School**



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March 31, 2023

CAREERS CENTRAL

Central Alberta Updates



Upcoming Events - Please Share!

Parent/Student Information Evenings

This is a great opportunity for parents and students to learn more about CAREERS internship programs, how to navigate the application process, and to get all of their questions answered, just in time for a Summer internship!

Information Evening @ Lacombe Memorial Centre
Wednesday, April 12th

6:30-7:30pm

Register [HERE](#) for Lacombe.

Information Evening @ Red Deer Polytechnic
Thursday, April 27th

7:00-8:00pm

Register [HERE](#) for Red Deer.

YWITT Camps

This is a great opportunity for young girls to gain hands-on experience with careers related to trades & technologies, as well as speak to women who are working in those industries.

YWITT Camp @ Red Deer Polytechnic

Thursday, April 27th

9:00am-3:00pm

Register [HERE](#) for Red Deer.

YWITT Camp @ Olds College of Agriculture & Technology

Wednesday, May 10th

Time: 10:00am-2:00pm

Register [HERE](#) for Olds.

School Engagement Happy Hour Event

CAREERS Central AB will be inviting all of you to join us for a fun and informative happy hour event **Wednesday, May 17th from 3:30-5:30pm at Cilantro & Chive in Red Deer**. We'll be sending out the RSVP Form after Easter and hope you can join us!!

Current Internship Opportunities

Heavy Equipment Tech Intern (multiple)

- Multiple companies in the Red Deer, Blackfalds, Lacombe and Rocky Mtn House are looking to hire interns ASAP
- Flexible schedule, must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Plumbing Intern

- MiLo Group - Red Deer - starting ASAP
- Flexible schedule, must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Instrumentation Technician Intern

- CMC Controls - Ponoka - starting ASAP
- Flexible schedule, must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Automotive Service Technician Intern

- IntegraTire - Innisfail - starting ASAP
- Flexible schedule, helping with tire rotations & balancing, oil changes, inventory and clean-up

Social Media Coordinator Intern

- IntegraTire - Innisfail - starting ASAP
- Flexible schedule, work the front counter, manage social media accounts, customer service duties

Welding & Electrician Interns

- Canyon Ski Resort - Red Deer - starting ASAP
- Must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Parts Technician Intern

- Edwards Garage - Rocky Mtn House - starting ASAP
- Flexible schedule, must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Agricultural Equipment Technician Intern

- Brandt Agriculture - Olds - starting ASAP
- Helping with general shop duties and assisting techs, must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Automotive Service Technician Intern

- Rocky Mountain Dodge - Rocky Mtn House - starting April 2023
- Helping with oil changes and other shop duties, flexible schedule, must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Social Media Coordinator Intern

- Rocky Mountain Dodge - Rocky Mtn House - starting April 2023
- Doing social media, taking photos for website & general office work

Social Media Coordinator Intern (x2)

- All About U Massage - Olds - starting April 2023
- Doing social media, helping with front desk and customer service, exposure to various health and wellness services

Food Production Intern

- Ceres Solutions - Crossfield - starting July 2023
- Unique facility using spent grains from beer brewing to grow gourmet oyster mushrooms
- Must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Landscape Horticulturist Intern (x2)

- Advanced Landscaping - Red Deer County - starting April 2023
- Flexible schedule, could go full-time in Summer
- Helping with yard care, mowing and spring clean-up

Social Media Coordinator Intern

- Rivers Edge Mechanical - Rocky Mtn House - starting May 2023
- Doing social media, engaging with customers, general office work and service writing

Landscape Horticulturist Intern (x2)

- Fair Haven Landscaping - Red Deer/Olds - starting May 2023
- Helping with yard care, landscaping projects, and maintenance

Social Media, Cook, & Horticulture Health Interns

- The Track on 2 - Lacombe - starting May 2023
- Social Media must be 16 and have a Driver's License
- Cook must be 18 and have a Driver's License
- Horticulture Health must be 16 and have a Driver's License

Agriculture Food Production Intern (x3)

- Edgar Farms - Red Deer County - starting May 2023
- Flexible schedule, could go full-time in Summer
- Helping with picking, packaging and selling vegetables

Horticulture Production Intern (x4)

- The Jungle Farm - Red Deer County - starting July 2023
- Helping with picking and selling vegetables and berries, including customer service and cashier duties.

Powerline Technician Intern

- Fortis - Olds/Cochrane - starting July 2023
- Full-time in the summer, must be 16 and have a Driver's License
- Should have an interest in electrical related trades

YOUNG WOMEN IN TRADES & TECHNOLOGIES

SPRING CAMP



CAREERS is breaking down barriers and paving a path for women in skilled trades and technologies.

Young women in grades 10-12 can gain hands-on experience in a variety of trades and technologies fields, meet with female mentors and find a internship path that fits their skills.

APRIL 27
FREE
9AM - 3PM

RED DEER POLYTECHNIC

APPLY TO ATTEND
space is limited



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