



This Week at Olds High School

Chinook's Edge
School Division No 73

September 9 to 15, 2018

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Week at a Glance:

- ⇒ September 11 — Grade 9 Parent Meeting @ 7 pm in the Theatre
- ⇒ September 13 — Post Secondary Review @ 7 pm in the Commons
- ⇒ September 13-14 — Blue Quad Retreat
- ⇒ September 14 — Academic Awards Night @ 7 pm in the Theatre

Coming Events:

- ⇒ September 19-20 — Gold Quad Retreat
- ⇒ September 19-20 — Green Quad Retreat
- ⇒ September 21 — PD Day — no school for Students

Jazz Band runs every Tuesday/Thursday morning at 7:45 to 8:30 in the Band Room. Grade 9 students are encouraged to join if they love jazz music. We have spots open so come out!

Choir runs every Wednesday from 3:30 - 5:00 pm in the Band room and Grade 9 students are encouraged to join. It is a non-intimidating crowd and we welcome everyone. If you love to sing, come and join the OHS choir.

Drum Line is a club that runs every Thursday from 3:30 - 4:30 pm in the Band room with Mrs. Pederson. Everyone is welcome, but it is encouraged that you have musical experience such as reading music and a sense of rhythm. First practice will be on Thursday September 13. Hope to see you there!



Challenging, encouraging and believing in every student

A Message from the Board of Education

Welcome to a new year of learning together in Chinook's Edge School Division! We are proud to be part of the strong Chinook's Edge team of caring professionals, and we value working collaboratively with parents and families in our school communities. Clearly everyone is working together toward student wellness and success!

Our dedicated staff share a focus on four key goals in all of our schools - Literacy, Academic Excellence, Career and Post-Secondary Transitions, and Social Emotional development. Ensuring this firm foundation will allow our students to continue to achieve higher levels of success throughout their lifetime.

To support this strong focus that we expect in our schools, Chinook's Edge is being strategic in our efforts to manage an ever increasing amount of electronic communication. We call this new practice **Weekdays 'til 6**, and it involves all non-emergency emails and texts being sent only prior to 6:00 p.m. on weekdays. We believe **Weekdays 'til 6** honours the personal time of families and staff, and will ensure our staff are set to deliver their very best to your children each day. For more information on **Weekdays 'til 6**, please visit the *Students & Parents* section at our website www.cesd73.ca.

Thank you for supporting this practice so that we can start fresh each day, ready to engage every student in meaningful learning. It is the strength of our relationships that creates our quality learning environments which Chinook's Edge is known for, and we value this immensely. Our Board and the Central Office Leadership Team wishes everyone a healthy and dynamic year in Chinook's Edge, *where students come first!*

Kurt Sacher
Superintendent of Schools

Please make sure you and your child(ren) are familiar with our School policies.



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Meet Our New Teachers



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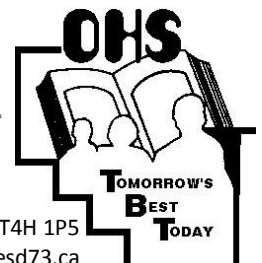


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