

## Tofield School Newsletter

May 2022



Leadership class gets ready for Spring.

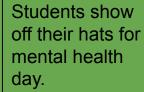








Grade 6 students enjoy the Telus World of Science.





The Grade 6 students enjoy a Birds of Prey presentation.



Cosmetology students paint nails at the Sunshine Villa.





Grade 12's work on a Social Studies project.



Congratulations to our badminton winners!

## **Administrative Message**

We want to take this opportunity to, once again, acknowledge our Graduating Class of 2022! What an amazing celebration for our 41 graduates. Ms Korpan and all of the volunteers deserve a standing ovation! We are so proud of our students who are great ambassadors for our school. Whether it is for sport, drama, jam club, dance, field trips, leadership work, academics, altruism, or simple acts of kindness~we are so proud of our students! I want to thank and congratulate Chad Kendall on his new position with Camrose Composite High School! Their gain is Tofield School's loss and he will be missed. We want to welcome the third assistant principal, Melanie Buckley, to Tofield School.

We wish all of our students the best of luck on final projects, assessments and course completions. This is a time of year where students need to dig deep to put in their best efforts to ensure the year ends well. Thank you to our parents for the continued support in guiding our students with good decisions and positive attitudes. Summer is near and we want everyone to find success until summer holidays.



Janice Muench Principal **Chad Kendall Assistant Principal** 



Don't forget to follow us on instagram @ tofield\_school.

You can find a link to our Athletics handbook below:

Tofield School Athletics Handbook

# Family School Liaison Workers (FSLWs)

Your Family School Liaison Worker (FSLW) at Tofield School is Michael Cole. FSLWs can help find resources to other helping professionals and bridge the gaps between those professionals and the school, connect you with community resources, help advocate with the school, or support with social/emotional challenges.

**Tofield School Vision Statement:** 

Titans stand on a foundation of collaboration, compassion, critical thinking, and connectedness. As we discover our purpose and passion, we develop diverse, equitable, and optimistic goals for today and tomorrow. TITANS make the world better.



# Titan Sports



#### Junior High Track and Field

Tofield School Eliminations Tuesday, May 17, Thursday, May 19 or Friday, May 20 - Tofield

Div2

Monday, May 30th Rain-out - Wednesday, June 1st - Camrose

Regionals

Tuesday, June 7 or Rain-out Thursday, June 9 - Camrose

#### **Senior High Track and Field**

County of Beaver Meet Tuesday, May 10 - Tofield

Area 3

Wednesday, May 18 - Camrose

7ones

Wednesday, May 25 - Camrose

**Provincials** 

Friday, June 3 and Saturday, June 4 - Medicine Hat

# <u>Thanks Again to The Volunteer Coaches for all your help with badminton , golf, and cross country this year :</u>

Mr. Flasha, Mrs. Thurston, and Mrs. Dey -Senior High Badminton

Mr. Daigle and Mrs. Woode - Junior High Badminton

Golf

Mrs. Thurston -Cross Country Running















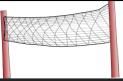




Junior High Badminton Team

Senior High Badminton Team







Did you know the leadership class planned a dance?

**Did You Know?** 

Did you know the Leadership classes grow their very own garden at Tofield School?

Did you know we had over 50 cross country runners this year?

Did you know that the 41 Tofield Grads had an amazing time at grad thanks to the hard work of parents, student chairs and Ms. Korpan?

Did you know the grade 6 classes did a virtual visit with the snowbird's Steve Hurlbot?

Did you know every Tofield student gets a free public library card?

Did you know the cosmetology class did stage makeup and Henna? Did you know the Learning Commons purchased 165 new books this year?

"We cannot accomplish all that we need to do without working together" -Bill Richardson

Did you know that grade 6 and 9 PAT's are being written this year?

**Tofield School** 

Did you know diploma Exams begin June 13th?



## **Grad Class of 2022**



































































Missing: Amber Good, Shaylom Magneson, Jacob Mank, Shamma Sayed











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Congratulations to the Class of 2022. You worked hard and it shows. We wish you all the best of luck in your future endeavors.

## **Grad 2022**



Congratulations to Tofield School's Grad Class of 2022! Grad was held on Friday, May 13, and it was a perfect day.

Thanks again to all of our student, staff, and parent volunteers for helping to make Grad a smashing success! In particular, thanks to the following student chairs and advisors for their leadership: Program Committee: student chairs Katalin Hemperger & Bane Janzen, and staff advisor Melissa

Korpan

Last Wills Committee: student chair Marshal Korpak, and staff advisor Chad Kendall

Slideshow Committee: student chair Lace Fleck Cronkhite, and staff advisor Rick Bobier

Finance Committee: student chair Ben Woodruff, and staff advisor Janice Muench

Fundraising Committee: student chair Julia Jackson, and parent chairs Valerie Rickett, Betty-Lou Roe, & Dodie Korpak

**Decorating Committee:** student chairs Ericka Rickett & Kaelyn Sideroff, and parent chairs Janet Roberts & Lisa Anderson

Banquet Committee: student chairs Ericka Rickett & Kaelyn Sideroff, and parent chairs Dodie Korpak & Jenny Schultz

**Clean-up Committee**: parent chair Dodie Korpak

**Supplies & Materials:** Rick Bobier and Jeff Manchak































## Career Counselling

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2022/2023 will see a change to our Career Counselling Team & program. Stay tuned for how to connect in the fall!

Mrs Kope Starts Her

#### Stand Out with **Current Resume Tips**

## **Retirement Gig**

## Final Tidbits for

Did you know? 80% of resumes are rejected in less than 11 seconds?



Focus on the following to create an impressive resume:

- One page maximum as a youth; two to three pages if you have more experience
- ❖ Top ⅓ of your resume is prime real estate - use it wisely
- Best fonts include arial. tahoma, and calibri
- Font sizes: your name 16-20; headings 12-14; & body 10-12
- Tailor your resume to the job posting by incorporating keywords and skills
- Write out words, e.g. Jan 2022 should be January 2022
- Don't mess with the margins white space is a good thing
- Showcase your best NOT all
- Let your personality shine!

Is retirement a gig job? Mrs Kope is about to find out!!

At the end of June, Mrs Kope will be ending her career with BRSD. Working as a teacher, school counsellor, and most recently, career counsellor, she has supported BRSD students for more than three decades!!

Mrs Kope shared that one of the highlights for her is being part of the team that creates opportunities for students to leave high school with skills to share. Watching students celebrate their achievements whatever that looks like - is a huge part of the joy she feels when she reflects back on her career in education.

So, when you see her paddling her kayak on a near-by lake,

enjoying a campfire, or visiting with family and friends, be sure to stop and say hi!!



## **Funding Your Education**

Looking for Alberta student loans and



Apply for the **Alexander** Rutherford Scholarship. Your hard work during high school may pay off with money. You can apply once you have completed high school and been accepted to a qualifying post-secondary program. This scholarship is available at any age, so whether you go to post-secondary immediately or years down the road, you may qualify. The new form is open each year in August.



BOTH of these



applications are accessed in the My Alberta Digital ID account and the Alberta Student Aid resource.

Hired! How to Get the Zippy Gig

Have a fun and experience-filled summer! Mrs Praticante & Mrs Kruchten are looking forward to seeing you again in September.

#### SNOW BIRD #9 VISITS GRADE 6 ON GOOGLE MEET

By:Kyle Everett



On May 4th, 2022 at Tofield School, Snow Bird #9 flew into Google Meet with grade 6. He came to teach the kids and the teachers about the Snow Birds, how they fly and what they do. He told the students that the Snowbirds do all types of air tricks and stunts and they also teach people how to fly. Most students asked questions like "How many flight hours do you have?" He replied with "I have 2300 flight hours." Another one of the questions was "How high can you fly?" He replied with "48 000 feet and if you go above then you have to wear an astronaut type suit." Some of the jobs are 8 and 9 are solo pilots. They break off and do separate tricks. Pilot number 1 is the leader. Every other pilot follows him. They have to practice a lot and practice over water to practice all terrains. The kids had a great time with Major Steve/"Stu" Hurlbot.

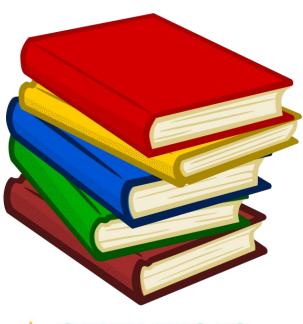
## Snowbird #9 Zooms into a Google Meet with Tofield School!

By: Violet and Breanna

Tofield school had an amazing opportunity May 4 2022, to talk and ask questions with Stu, snowbird #9. Stu about being a member of the team. He told us what it was like to be where he is now, like going through school, university, military school at 17 for 4 years and then becoming a pilot. Stu just joined the snowbirds summer of 2021 and he enjoys it very much. Stu grew up outside of Calgary and loves our province. Stu gave inspiring quotes to us about being a pilot like, "It's very tricky and challenging but it was rewarding and worth it." The kids were very encouraged when they heard that. One thing he said that when you are flying, you look at the leader, never the person beside you. The longest Stu has flown was 8 hours in the Hornet. The Hornet was the plane he had some of the best memories in. One memory was he went as high as he could, which was 48 000ft in the air. If he had gone any higher he would've needed astronaut boots. They usually start at 7:40am and usually end by 12:50. He said he dreamed of being a snowbird since he was a child and tells the same thing to students he teaches. "Study hard and stay in school, to watch your dreams come true!" is what he said to his students. This was a great opportunity for grade 6 and we'd love to have him come back!

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Exam</u>		
Monday, June 13	ELA 30-2 Part A 9:00-12:00		
Monday, May 16	ELA 9 PAT Part A 9:00-11:00		
Wednesday. May 18	ELA 6 PAT Part A 9:00-11:00		
Tuesday, June 14	Social 30 PDE Part A 9:00-12:00		
Friday, June 17	Math 30 PDE 9:00-12:00		
Monday, June 20	ELA 30-2 Part B 9:00-12:00		
Monday, June 20	ELA 9 PAT Part B 9:00-10:15		
Monday, June 20	Science 6 PAT		
Monday, June 20	ELA 10-2		
Monday, June 20	Physics 20		
Tuesday, June 21	Science 20/24		
Tuesday, June 21	Social 10-2 Science 10		
Wednesday, June 22	Social 6 PAT		
Wednesday, June 22	Math 9 PAT Parts A & B		
Wednesday, June 22	Social 30 PDE Part B 9:00-12:00		
Wednesday, June 22	ELA 10-1		
Thursday, June 23	Math 6 PAT Parts A & B		
Thursday, June 23	Science 9 PAT		
Thursday, June 23	Biology 30 PDE		
Thursday, June 23	Social 10-1		
Friday, June 24	ELA 6 PAT Part B		
Friday, June 24	Social 9 PAT		
Friday, June 24	Chemistry 30		
Monday, June 27	Physics 30 PDE 9:00-12:00		
Tuesday, June 28	Science 30 PDE 9:00-12:00		

#### June Exam Schedule





Tests are an everyday part of being a student. Here are some tips to guide you through test season and help you feel more confident and prepared.



1) Look for the best study methods that work for you



2) Strengthen your skills by practicing everyday



4) Start studying earlier

rather than later

3) Switch off devices to avoid distractions



breaks to recharge



6) Study creatively with small chunks of info, like flashcards



7) Have a flexible study schedule built around your responsibilites



8) Stay hydrated to improve

10) Ask your teacher for help if you're stuck 9) Get between 7 and 8 hours of sleep



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#### From the Office

## ATTENDANCE

Please email

tofield-aa@brsd.ab.ca

to inform us if your child is

absent from school.

- <u>Sign out</u> Please remember that every student is expected to sign in & out of the school, if you arrive late, leave early, or are in and out during the day. The sign out sheet is a safety measure to ensure that all students are accounted for in the event of a problem.
- <u>New Physical Address</u> Please inform the office of your new address ASAP, either by email (<u>cperry@brsd.ab.ca</u>), note or phone call.
- <u>New Email Address</u> Please inform the office of your new email address ASAP, either by email (cperry@brsd.ab.ca), note, or phone call.



## **ALL SCHOOL FEES ARE DUE!!**



Please make payment online by visiting the Tofield School website and clicking on the "Online Payments and Ordering" icon (located at the bottom of the page) and following the links. Yearbook fees are optional and are not included in your fees total.



We want to support you in making online payments so please feel free to contact Janet Carlson at <a href="mailto:jcarlson@brsd.ab.ca">jcarlson@brsd.ab.ca</a> if you have any questions or are unable to make your payment at this time.

Please ensure you have updated Tofield School with your MOST up to date contact information! In these unprecedented times, it is of the utmost importance that we can contact you in an efficient manner with important information. We thank you for your continued support.

#### Are you new to Beaver County?

Do you want to learn about local services?

Are you looking for English language training?





## Learn with us! 6 SESSIONS

Once a Week

7:00-8:30



#### TWO LOCATIONS

TOFIELD TOFIELD GOLDEN CLUB MAY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, JUNE 7

VIKING VIKING SENIORS CENTRE MAY 5, 12, 19, 26, JUNE 2, 9



#### **GUEST SPEAKERS**

Kevin Smook Reeve, Beaver County

Kelly Kristensen Lawyer

Andrea Mendoza Gardening Expert

Gaylene Erickson Business Owner

Lavonne Svenson Beaver County CALP



Attend all 6 sessions or just the ones that interest you the most



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#### **Learn More About**



## O1 GOVERNMENT IN

How does government work in Canada?

What does each level of government do?



#### GARDENING IN ALBERTA

What grows in Alberta?

How to take care of outdoor plants?





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#### LAW SERVICES

How does the law system work in Canada?



### EDUCATION AND JOB SEARCH SKILLS

What are the options for adult learning?

How to find and apply for a job?







#### ANYTHING SETTLEMENT

Learners choice... it can be food, culture, sports and fun... anything that interests the group!



### MANAGING YOUR MONEY

What banks can do to help?

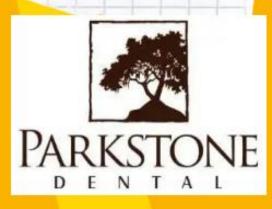
How credit works in Canada?







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# **June 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Early Dismissal	3 No school for students	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 Last day of classes 9-12	18
19 Father's Day	20 Exam week begins	21 National Indigenous Peoples Day	22	23	24	25
26	Elementary year end field trip	28 Last Instruction Day	29	30		