

BOBKAT BULLETIN

June Events

May 31 - Class Photos - Grade 2 and 3

June 1 - Nourish the BobKat - grapes and Kashi bars

June 2 - 80s Day

June 3 - Alberta Education Mental Wellness Day

June 5/6 - Grade 2 First Communion - congrats!

June 7 - PD Day - NO SCHOOL; Bacon fundraiser due

June 10 - School Council @ 6:30

June 11 - Bike Rodeo K-3; Track Fun Day 4-6

June 12 - Nourish the BobKat

June 14 - FunLunch - Healthy Hunger Edo

June 15/16 - Grade 6 Confirmation - congrats!

June 15 - Nourish the BobKat

June 16 - Helping Hands Assembly - wear orange shirts; Principal/VP for the Day

June 17 - last day for PreK

June 18 - Fun Day K-3 (pm); last day for Kinder

June 21 - National Indigenous People's Day; FunLunch - Healthy Hunger Subway

June 23 - Grade 6 Farewell; Closing Liturgy

June 24 - report cards emailed home

June 25 - last day of classes (am only)



Admin Message

As we approach the last month of the school year, we are reminded of the blessing that this year brought as we were able to learn, pray, and serve together as a BK family. As a school community, we created a bond of unity, especially during the trying times of a pandemic.

"Then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind" (Philippians 2:2).

The month of May brought about some big surprises as we headed to online learning once again. Thank you to all of our families for being so persistent and resilient during these times. Despite our 2 week interruption, our students were able to participate in many activities this month. Including Mental Health Week, Food Bank drive, Helping Hands assembly, and a Jersey Day. We prayed the Hail Mary together each day, and although our Living Rosary could not be completed, we plan on rescheduling this important event in the month of June.



Peace Garden

Can you spare a couple of hours on June 12 to help our school complete our Peace Garden and Vegetable Garden. We have 24 Miniglobe Honeysuckle shrubs to plant, a pathway to complete, 8 raised garden beds to fill with soil and some cementing in of 2 archways and a bench. We require shovels, wheelbarrows, some muscle and enthusiasm.

We will organize the Working Bee to ensure a safe working area for all our volunteers. Drinks and food will be provided in accordance with Covid protocol.

PreK 2021/2022



Grade 2/6 Sacraments

Congratulations to our grade 2 and 6 students who are celebrating First Communion and Confirmation! Masses will take place on June 5, 6, 15, 16.

Alberta Education Mental Wellness Day

Minister LaGrange has declared June 3rd as a Mental Wellness Day for students, staff, and parents. The theme is "Take Care of Yourself and Each Other." Visit the [WEBSITE](#) for more info.

In June, as the days get warmer, students will have the chance to enjoy the outdoors during planned activities for the school. The K-grade 3 students will participate in a Bike Rodeo on June 11, as well as a Fun Day filled with activities on June 18th. Our grade 4-6 students will have a chance to soak in the rays during their Track Fun Day on June 11th. We look forward to letting loose a little bit and enjoying the warmer weather. BK will commemorate the importance of Canada's Indigenous people on June 21st by praying together in Mass, learning Indigenous dances in PE, and hosting a grand opening for our Peace Garden for each homeroom. Speaking of warm weather, we will be prepared to practice 2 more fire drills before the end of the year, as well as a "Shelter-in-Place" drill for inclement weather.

We will be offering 2 FunLunch Healthy Hungers this month as the May lunch had to be cancelled. So, on top of the June 14th Edo lunch, we will also offer a June 21st Subway lunch. We will also offer 2 Nourish the BobKat snacks for our students: June 1 and June 16th.

Please note that we will celebrate our Closing Liturgy and Grade 6 Farewell on Wednesday, June 23rd. These events will be held virtually, so we will be sending a link of the celebration for you to enjoy with your families that evening. We are excited to celebrate our grade 6 students as they head off to Junior High next year.

Thanks again for the amazing partnership that you provide for your children at school. As always, please feel free to contact administration about any need that your child may have.

God Bless,

Nicole Baker
Principal

Josie Cancian
Vice Principal



School Council

We are recruiting!

We need helping hands in planning the outdoor spaces and are recruiting members for our Playground Replacement and Outdoor Space Development Committee. Let us know if you are interested in being a part of the committee by emailing School Council.

Helping Hands and Green Thumbs

The BK Playground and Garden Committee needs your help watering our flower beds and some newly planted trees throughout the summer for our families to enjoy now and into the next school year. Watch for an email to come out with more details.

In addition, we are looking for any parents with landscaping experience (or connections) to help our committee spruce up the school trees/bushes at the back of the school. If you are interested in helping with either of these projects, please email Kristina at kristinabdover@shaw.ca

Year End Celebrations

If anyone has any input or ideas on how we can celebrate and give well wishes to our wonderful Grade 6 students as their year end celebration approaches, please email School Council before the next School Council meeting as mentioned below.

Summer Fun Activity Guide

Our Compassion Committee has been looking for Family Friendly and Cost Effective Fun Activities within our community and surrounding area to take part in over the summer. Suggestions will be compiled and emailed to parents towards the end of the school year. If you have any suggestions, please email Andrea at ae.eberhardt@gmail.com

Nourish the BobKats

We will be having 2 snacks this month to make up for May. Serving up Butterfly Grapes and Kashi Granola Bars (June 1) and our stay tuned for our final snack (June 21) which will be decided through student input!

Join Us!

Our next School Council meeting will take place virtually on June 10, 2021 at 6:30 pm. Agenda suggestions for the next meeting will be accepted until June 8th.

Let us know if you have a topic you would like to see discussed at one of our meetings. On the Keep an eye on your emails for the agenda and meeting details/zoom link.

Interested in learning more about how you can be a part of School Council and/or its committees? Email bkschoolcouncil@gmail.com any time, we love hearing from you!

Reminders!

Yearbooks can be purchased throughout the school year and will be distributed in September 2021. Yearbooks are \$20 each and can be purchased here: <https://form.jotform.com/203008181554246>

BK Face Masks are available for purchase. View mask options and order here: <https://form.jotform.com/202236978057260>

Keep up to date and in touch with School council by heading over to our Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/bkbobkats>) and give us a like and follow!

Friends of BK

Did someone say bacon?

Our Bring Home the Bacon Fundraiser is well on its way!! The last day to order online is June 7 (link is below). We have teamed up with local D'Arcy's Meats just in time for Father's Day day and camping season ... but isn't it bacon season all year round?

\$10 for 500g package of thick cut side fresh bacon 🥓
Pick up at BK on June 15 promptly at 3:30 or later at pick up for our SIGIS families.

Did you miss out on one of the fundraisers this year? 🍕



Would you like a second chance at enjoying some cards, pizza, cookie dough, bacon and more?

We are having a BigBash Year End Online Raffle with a mega prize of almost all of our fundraisers and a few extra goodies all wrapped into one basket! Pizza kits, cookie dough, Purdy's chocolate, greeting cards and more! Tickets are \$5 each and the info is on the link below. Ticket sales will start June 1. The Last day to order online tickets is June 20 and the draw will be made June 22 LIVE from the school via Facebook their Facebook page!

Good luck! 🍀

We would like to thank all our Families and Friends for your support this past year! We may be a small school but we are mighty and have big goals. We look forward to our AGM meeting in September where we will be starting fresh and welcoming new members and holding elections for board positions. If you want to help but just don't know how, just remember no help or talent is too small

❤️ we appreciate any time or ideas you can offer as we raise funds to build our BK playground and outdoor classroom!

Here is the link to order Bacon and don't forget to set up a Skip the Bottle Depot and order Mabel labels, or pick up a few Raffle tickets ... or bypass the fundraising and hit the donate button and receive a tax receipt!

<https://linktr.ee/FOBK>

Thanks for being a Friend

FOBK Executive

SIGIS Summer Calendar



SIGIS CHILD CARE SOCIETY SUMMER 2021
(Non-Profit Society)
SIGIS Bertha Kennedy
 Bertha Kennedy School
 175 Larose Drive
(780) 459-1863



Exciting Activities & Crafts

Qualified Staff

Wide Variety of Field Trips

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<i>Changes may occur due to weather or last-minute booking changes.</i>					
JULY				1 CLOSED	2 Highland Games
JULY	5 Earth/Eco Day	6 Art Explosion	7 Caricaturists	8 SIGIS Got Talent	9 Extreme Bubbles Day
JULY	12 Water Fun Day Slip n slide	13 Color Me Rad	14 Jungle Day	15 Zumba	16 Flight
JULY	19 <u>Broadmoor Park</u>	20 5 Senses Day	21 Slurpee Walk	22 Super Hero Day	23 Mythical Creature Day
JULY	26 Amazing Race	27 Game Day	28 Pioneer Day	29 <u>Woodlands Spray Park</u>	30 SIGIS Vacation Day
AUGUST	2 CLOSED	3 Glow Party Day	4 Sherlock Holmes	5 Water Fun Day Slip n slide	6 Pirate Day
AUGUST	9 <u>Jackie Parker Park</u>	10 SIGIS Christmas	11 Fear Factor	12 Mad Science	13 Fit Set Ninja
AUGUST	16 Wild West	17 Wheels Day	18 Survivor	19 <u>Kinsmen Park</u>	20 Challenge Day
AUGUST	23 Walk To Man Made Park	24 SIGIS Carnival	25 Zombie Day/ RIP Summer	26 Chill Day	27 Slurpee Walk

SUMMER RATES (Payment required on 1st of the month.) Fees include ALL field trip costs.

Children Completing Gr.1-6:

Weekly (Mon-Fri)\$ 150

Monthly (July and/or Aug)\$ 500

Children Completing Kindergarten:

Weekly (Mon-Fri)\$ 150

Monthly (July and/or Aug)\$ 600