

# CAYLEY SCHOOL

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## BASKETBALL



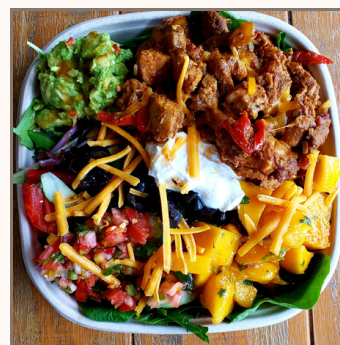
Basketball has started. An email will be sent from your staff rep. with more information. Basketball fees have been added to student accounts and can be paid online through your Edsembli Parent Account or at the school with cash or cheque.

## WINTER IS HERE



Winter weather is here. Please remember to send your students with all of their winter gear each day. Whenever we can, we do go outside at recess for some fresh air, but we need all our warm winter gear!

## THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS



Thank you to the parents who volunteer for hot lunch. Planning, prepping, cooking, delivering. We can't thank you enough!





## BOOK FAIR

Book Fair will begin on Monday!

The Book Fair will be open for students to come Monday to Friday during their library class or during free time.

Parents are welcome to come to the Book Fair Monday to Friday morning 8am to 8:30am, Monday and Wednesday afternoon 2:45pm to 3:30pm, Tuesday evening from 2:45 to 4pm, Thursday before the Christmas concert 6:30 to 7pm and after the Christmas concert.

There is also a virtual link to the Book Fair that will be open from December 2 to 9  
<https://virtualbookfairs.scholastic.ca/pages/5188396>

This link will also be on our website!



## CHRISTMAS CONCERT

We are excited to invite you to our Cayley School Christmas Concert on Thursday December 8th.

The Thursday afternoon show will be at 12:45pm. Students will already be at school, so guests can arrive at 12:30pm to be seated.

The Thursday evening show will begin at 7pm. Our doors will open for the evening show at 6:30pm to begin coat check and seating. Students will head to their classrooms for 6:45 to ensure they are ready for the show to start at 7.

We are asking students to dress in their Christmas Best!

Coat Check will be available by donation for the Thursday evening show. The proceeds will go towards the Grade 8 Farewell!

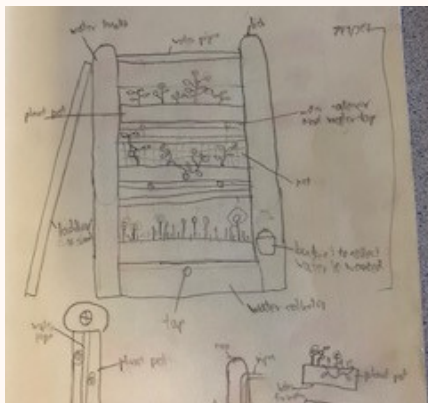
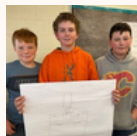




## FILL A SLED FOR THE FOOD BANK

We are collecting non perishable food items for the Food Bank to fill our sled. Help us give back to our community this holiday season! Bring your donations until December 8th!

Thank you to Frazer and Charidy Ross for making this amazing sleigh!



## GRADE 7/8 CTF SKILLS EXPLORATION DAY

Tuesday December 6 is "THE DAY!"

We have had 10 volunteers step forward to help with the event, thank you so much!

### Event Information:

- Event runs from 8:30-2:30pm.
- Volunteers are welcome at the school in the morning to help with set up and to get acquainted with the stations
- Lunch will be provided for students and volunteers- please bring your own snacks and waterbottle etc.
- Volunteers please hand in your Criminal Record checks prior to the event in order to participate

The wonderful think about event through Skills Canada, is that our school will be benefit from the CTF kits that were purchased with supplies and tools. These materials will allow us to provide unique programming for other grades of students in the future. This is thanks to a grant from FSD for School Improvement projects that Cayley and Blackie Schools applied for jointly.

For more information please visit the [Skills Exploration Day](#) website.

AS ALWAYS, IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS PLEASE CONTACT US AT THE SCHOOL (403-601-2702) OR VIA EMAIL.



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## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:

Hello Cobra Families,

We had a wonderful School Council meeting last night with a great turn out! There was representation from each grade level and over 10 parents in attendance. It was fantastic to see the level of parent engagement, learning more about our school and the upcoming learning events that we have planned. School Council meetings are open to Cayley Families, as well as community members who are interested in supporting and advancing school goals and advising administration on school topics.

Last night, Trustee John Evans and myself spoke with members about some of the advocacy opportunities that parents have. Information on this can be found on the [Cayley School and FSD Websites](#). Among the top priorities are reducing insurance fees, increasing transportation funding, and increasing mental health supports for students. These three priorities specifically impact the students of Cayley School. Please take time to check out the [FSD Advocacy page](#) and learn more about how you can advocate on behalf of the Cayley School Community as well as FSD and students all over Alberta. There is information on each of the topics, as well as form letters which can be easily and quickly edited and sent to your MLA. Your voice is important to affect change in our school, school division and province.

Thank you for your engagement and advocacy in your children's education. Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs. Becker



### CAYLEY SCHOOL IMPORTANT DATES:

DECEMBER 5 TO 9: BOOK FAIR!!!

DECEMBER 6: SKILLS EXPLORATION DAY - GR. 7 & 8

DECEMBER 8: CHRISTMAS CONCERT 7PM

DECEMBER 9: COBRA FAMILIES BUDDY READING

### UPCOMING

DECEMBER 13: REGIONAL BAND WINTER CONCERT AT HIGHWOOD HIGH

DECEMBER 15: BASKETBALL GAME AT CAYLEY SCHOOL