

# CRESCENT PARK NEWS



## Crescent Park Elementary School

School District #59 (Peace River South)

9300-17<sup>th</sup> Street

Dawson Creek, BC

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*Respectful, Responsible,  
Ready to Learn and Safe*

### PARENTS AT SCHOOL

If you are coming to the school, please check in at the office. Anything being dropped off should come to the office to minimize interruptions in the classrooms.

### FREE PIZZA

Thank you to Allen & Associates for providing a slice of pizza to the entire school on Monday, June 17!

### PARKING LOT

There have been complaints about people parking between the concrete barriers and the school. This is a no parking zone. Please park on the street side of the barriers.

### PERSONAL DIGITAL DEVICES

We are updating Crescent Park's student code of conduct to align with the provincial standards. In September, our code of conduct will restrict student personal digital device use at school to promote online safety and support focused learning environments.

### THANK YOU TO THE PAC

Thank you to the PAC for the new additions to our playground of basketball nets and the gaga ball pit. Our kids are loving them.



### Crescent Park PAC

Place - Community

9300 17th street, Dawson Creek, BC, Canada

### PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

Attending a P.A.C. meeting enables you to:

- get involved with your School District,
- advise the principal on the school's education plan,
- recommend programs and events for the school,
- provide input into the school's budget.

Attend one meeting or many...have a say in your child's education and enhance your school community.

**The first PAC meeting of the year will be Monday, September 9 at 6:00 pm in Room 4**

Upcoming meetings are also announced on the PAC Facebook page.

## **PRIDE MONTH**

June is Pride Month. To celebrate and recognize the pride community and so that the marginalized People of Colour could be recognized as part of the community, Crescent Park will once more be flying the progressive pride flag. The rainbow colours in the initial pride flag each represent different aspects:

Red – love and life

Orange – healing

Yellow – sunlight

Green – nature

Indigo – serenity

Violet – spirituality.

The addition of the chevron stripes came later:

Black – diversity

Brown – inclusivity

The light blue, pink and white stripes were added to represent transgender and non-binary individuals.

Finally, the yellow triangle with the purple circle inside represents those who are born intersex.

To learn more about this important topic and why it is so important in schools, please check out [sogieducation.org](http://sogieducation.org).

## **INDIGENOUS HISTORY MONTH**

June is National Indigenous History Month. You can find various activities and information on the Government of Canada website. Each week will have a different theme/focus. The week of June 1-9 will be Environment, Traditional Knowledge and Territory. The week of June 10-16 will be Children and Youth. The week of June 17-23 will be Language, Culture, and the Arts. The week of June 24-30 will be Women, Girls, and 2SLGBTQIA+ People. Locally, there will be a celebration of Indigenous Peoples at the South Peace campus on June 25<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-6:30. Everyone is welcome!

## **INDIGENOUS DAY CELEBRATIONS – JUNE 21, 2024**

There will be powwow dancing from 1:00 – 2:00 and bannock. Everyone is welcome to attend.

## **REGISTRATION**

If you know of anyone moving into or out of the area who would be registering or leaving Crescent Park, please have them contact the school.

## **LIBRARY SUMMER READING CLUB**

Where: Dawson Creek Public Library

Dates: July 2, 2023 (but you can register anytime during the summer) to August 23, 2024

Times: Tuesday-Friday 9:30 – 5:00 Saturday 1:30 – 5:00

## **UPCOMING DATES**

Tuesday, June 18 Assembly, Mayor Dober, door decorating judge

Thursday, June 20 Fun Day

Friday, June 25 National Indigenous Peoples Day

Wednesday, June 26 Year end assembly 9:30

Thursday, June 27 Last day for students



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# INDIGENOUS PEOPLES CELEBRATION

Hosted by the Dawson Creek Indigenous  
Education Advisory Council

**FREE  
BARBEQUE**  
HOSTED BY SECURE  
ENERGY SERVICES

**METIS BEV  
JIGGING FUN**  
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

**FACE  
PAINTING**

**GAMES  
AND  
PHOTO BOOTH**

**LIVE  
ENTERTAINMENT  
BY RECKLESS LOVE**

**ROCK  
PAINTING**

**EVERYONE WELCOME!**

**JUNE 25 | 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM  
DAWSON CREEK SECONDARY SCHOOL  
(SOUTH PEACE CAMPUS)**

**SECURE**  
energy services

**CO-OP**  
Dawson Creek