







Dates to Remember

- September 19: Professional Learning Day (No School)
- September 23: Terry Fox Run
- September 25: School Council Meeting 7pm in Room 102
- · September 29: Students gathering for NDTR
- September 30: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Important Links

Laker Time Availability

- Google Classroom Navigation
- Chromebook Rental Agreement

Dear Lakers and Laker families,

It has been another wonderful week at HJ Cody! Our classrooms and hallways are buzzing with energy as students dive into their learning, and extra-curricular programs are already in full swing. From academics to athletics to the arts, it's inspiring to see students so engaged and making the most of every opportunity. We encourage all students to get involved, there truly is something for everyone. Go Lakers!

We are now into our second week of **Laker Time**, a valuable opportunity for students to connect with their teachers for additional support or enrichment. Students are encouraged to visit our school <u>website</u> to explore the sessions and classrooms available during this time.

If you have not yet completed your child's **Demographic Update/Re-enrollment Form**, we kindly ask that you do so at your earliest convenience. Having accurate and up-to-date contact information is essential. This form also includes permission for in-town walking excursions, such as the Terry Fox Run and physical education activities. Please review and submit both the demographic update and the permission form as soon as possible.

Our annual **Terry Fox Run** will take place on **Tuesday, September 23rd**. We encourage students to bring a small donation to support this important cause. Homeroom (Block 1) teachers will be collecting contributions. A modified bell schedule for the day is included below.

Laker Time: 8:35 - 9:00 Block 1: 9:05 - 10:09

Terry Fox Run: 10:09 - 11:09

Block 2: 11:14 - 12:18 Lunch: 12:18 - 12:58 Block 3: 1:03 - 2:07 Block 4: 3:12 - 3:16 At HJ Cody, we are fortunate to have two dedicated **Family School Wellness Workers**. If you feel your child would benefit from support with their social-emotional well-being, please do not hesitate to reach out.

- Lisa Daniel (<u>Idaniel@cesd73.ca</u>)
- Haley Dowler (<u>hdowler@cesd73.ca</u>)

We also have two **Student Services Leads** who oversee accommodations for students with Individual Education Plans and Learning Support Plans. Teachers are working to ensure accommodations are in place for students, but should you have additional questions, please connect with Mr. Kennedy or Mr. Blinkhorn.

- Matthew Kennedy (<u>mkennedy@cesd73.ca</u>)
- Jamieson Blinkhorn (jblinkhorn@cesd73.ca)

Finally, a reminder that there is **no school for students this Friday** as staff will be participating in a division-wide Professional Learning Day in Olds. We look forward to welcoming students back on Monday.

Wishing everyone a great end of the week and weekend ahead.

Kind regards, Alex Lambert, Principal



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Parent Night

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- Programs
- Entrance requirements
- Funding
- Awards and scholarships
- Application process



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Thursday, October 16

7 - 8 pm

RDP Main Campus, Margaret Parsons Theatre













You and your students are invited to our **Open House!** This is a great chance to visit the campus in person, learn more about our programs and student life and even **apply for FREE for Winter 2026 or Fall 2026!**

October 3 & 4, 2025 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Olds College Campus







Program Exploration

Learn about our programs directly from our active faculty members, and be sure to bring all of your questions!

Activities & Bonus Fun

- · Residence Tours
- · Campus Store discounts
- Scavenger Hunt
- Free applications
- · Lunch is on us (Oct. 3 only)