







Dates to Remember

- September 25: School Council Meeting 7pm in Room 102
 October 3: Photo Re-takes
- September 29: Students gathering for NDTR
- September 30: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
 October 13: Thanksgiving (No school)
- October 10: Non-Instructional Day (No school)

Important Links

Laker Time Availability

- **Google Classroom Navigation**
- Chromebook Rental Agreement

Dear Lakers and Laker families,

It's been another wonderful week at HJ Cody! One of the highlights was our Terry Fox Run, organized by Ms. Routhier, the Interact Club, Mr. Wozney and his Physical Education 20/30 class, and Ms. DeJonge. Our school community continues to come together in support of this meaningful cause, and we are grateful for the generosity of our students and families who have contributed. Thank you for helping us keep Terry's legacy alive.

Next week, we celebrate several important staff appreciation days: Educational Assistants on Monday, Custodians on Thursday, and Teachers on Friday. We encourage parents and guardians to take a moment to reach out to a staff member, at HJ Cody or beyond, who has made a positive difference in your child's life. Better yet, encourage your child to do the same. A simple note of appreciation can have a lasting impact, often more than we realize.

We will be holding a planned Lockdown Drill next Wednesday at approximately 9:10 a.m. These drills are an important part of ensuring the safety of our school community, as they help students and staff become familiar with the proper procedures in the event of a real lockdown.

Picture retakes are scheduled for next Friday, October 3. Retakes are available for students who missed photos in August or who would like a new photo taken.

At HJ Cody, we are fortunate to have three Academic Counsellors supporting our students. Together, they help students explore post-secondary options and career pathways. Feel free to email them to book an appointment or ask any questions.

Mr. Payne (Grade 12) – jpayne@cesd73.ca

Ms. Donaghy (Grade 11) - tdonaghy@cesd73.ca

Mr. Saik (Grade 10) – <u>psaik@cesd73.ca</u>

September 30 marks the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. Since schools are closed on Tuesday, HJ Cody will observe this important day on Monday, September 29. Students are encouraged to wear orange shirts to show their support.

Lastly, our Annual General Meeting for School Council is tonight at 7:00 p.m. in Room 102. We warmly invite interested parents to attend and consider joining our School Council community.

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

Kind regards, Alex Lambert, Principal



Red Deer Polytechnic

Parent Night

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



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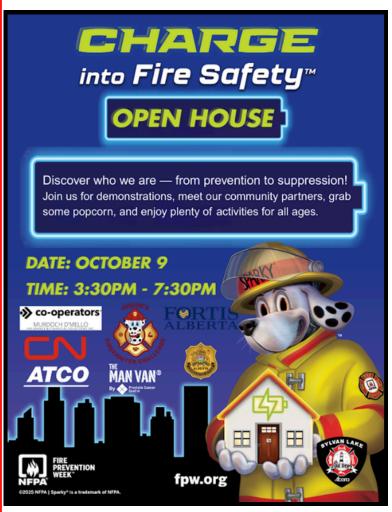
Thursday, October 16

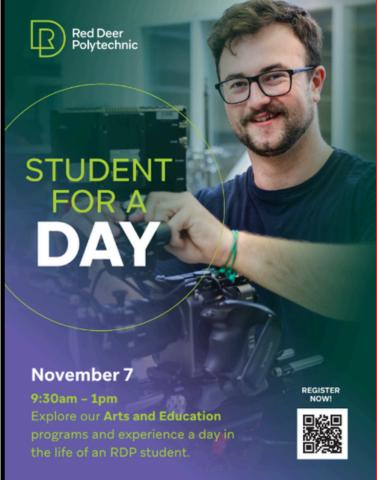
7 - 8 pm

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)