



MARCH 2025

# HUGH SUTHERLAND SCHOOL



**Hugh Sutherland Mixed Curling team, south central zone champions!**

## SAVE THE DATE!

*April 2nd & 3rd: Parent Teacher Interviews. The booking system will open on Wednesday, March 19 and close at noon on Wednesday, April 2. You can book in-person, video or phone interviews.*

<https://www.hughsutherlandschool.ca/parents/parent-teacher-interviews>



Charlie Wright, Defenseman with the Coachella Valley Firebirds AHL hockey team, reading to Grade 5 B & C

### Upcoming Events

March 3: Grade 7/8 Nakiska Ski Trip, Pajama Day

March 6: Huey's Hoedown 5:30 pm

March 7: PD Day - No School

March 8: Band Bottle Drive 10 am

March 10: Luck Leprechaun Day

March 12: Gr. 5 Winsport Ski Day, School Council Meeting

March 13: Gr. 6 Winsport Ski Day

March 14: Tuesday Rotation

March 17-20: Kiwanis Music Festival, St. Patrick's Day Wear Green

March 19: Grade 9 Immunizations, PTI Bookings Open

March 20: School Assembly 10 am

March 21: PD Day - No School

March 24: Kodiak Cup Kool Aid Competition

March 27: Blue Jays Day

March 28: Wednesday Rotation



Hugh Sutherland Students Perform at the Junior Provincial Honour Band:

"On Friday, February 14th, four Grade 9 Band students from Hugh Sutherland School performed in the Southern Alberta Junior Honour Band. Approximately 100 students from across the province are selected to play in the honour band, wherein students participate in a 3 day intensive rehearsal/performance experience. Congratulations to our students for their nominations and successful performance.

### HSSMA Bottle Drive

On Saturday March 8th, the HSS Music Association will be running their annual bottle drive beginning at 10:00 AM. Parent Volunteers and students will meet in the East Parking lot for 10:00 AM where they will be given routes and instructions for bottle collection. If you would like to volunteer your time or provide transportation, please contact Mr.Gouge at [mgouge@cesd73.ca](mailto:mgouge@cesd73.ca)

### Olds Kiwanis Festival

HSS Music will once again be competing in the annual Old Kiwanis Music Festival. HSS will be entering four ensembles this year. Below are the dates and performance times:

HSS Choir – March 17th – 1:30 PM

HSS Grade 7/8 Band – March 18th – 1:30 PM

HSS Senior Band – March 19th – 10:30 AM

HSS Jazz Band – March 20th – 10:30 AM

All performances will be held at the TransCanada Theatre at Olds College. For more information, please contact Mr. Gouge at [mgouge@cesd73.ca](mailto:mgouge@cesd73.ca)



HUGH SUTHERLAND SCHOOL PRESENTS



# HUEY'S HOEDOWN

THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 2025  
DOORS OPEN @ 5:30 PM, NORTH GYM

HSS FOODS WESTERN INSPIRED DINNER @ 6PM  
HSS ART GALLERY - HSS SHOP SALE - STEAM DISPLAY  
LINE DANCING - HOEDOWN TO FOLLOW  
WITH PERFORMANCES BY:

HSS DANCE ACADEMY  
HSS JAZZ BAND

COUNTRY NAME THAT TUNE!  
HOSTED BY HSS HIGH SCHOOL LEADERSHIP

**\$12/STUDENT \$15/ADULT**  
LIMITED TICKETS ON SALE  
FEBRUARY 12TH - FEBRUARY 28TH  
THROUGH HSS STUDENT QUICKPAY

**FREE**  
DOOR PRIZE  
ENTRY WITH  
EACH TICKET  
PURCHASE!

# LEARNING LAB

We invite your student to our new Learning Lab, a supportive space for help with math concepts, homework, and assessments. Staffed by math teachers, the lab offers knowledgeable assistance while students work independently or with peers. It operates every Thursday after school from 3:20-5:00, allowing flexible attendance. Encouraging participation can enhance their math progress and confidence. The lab is open to all students, regardless of the subject. Thank you for supporting a positive learning experience!

# HSSEF FUNDRAISING

This season, fundraising for Hugh Sutherland School Enhancement Foundation is going to be so much easier with FlipGive, a free team funding app. We earn cash back on every purchase we make all year long! All you have to do is shop anytime with the brands you already love, like Home Depot, Walmart, Sport Chek, Indigo, Old Navy, Apple, Esso, and Loblaws. No more going door-to-door selling chocolate bars - it's completely virtual and contactless.

Join our team now and you'll get a \$5 bonus the first time you shop:

[FlipGive](#)

Or enter this code: P74DYR

Any questions, just ask!



# VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP

Our staff gets the opportunity to sit together once a month over the lunch hour. This time is only made possible with the help of volunteer supervisors. If you would like to sign up to volunteer, please use the link below. The dates of the staff lunches are:

March 20, 2025

April 17, 2025

May 15, 2025

[volunteersignup.org/4Y73M](https://volunteersignup.org/4Y73M)

# INCLEMENT WEATHER

Our first and most important priority, as always, is the safety of students and staff. Our second priority is to ensure learning opportunities continue as often as possible. These two priorities are at the foundation of our [Inclement weather procedure \(AP1-13\)](#), which describes when decisions are made to close schools and bus routes - in individual communities or throughout the division.

There are 3 types of days in Chinook's Edge: green, yellow and red days, which are outlined on the Division Website.

<https://www.cesd73.ca/parents/inclement-weather>

# SCIENCE FAIR AWARDS

Congratulations to all of the students who participated in the HSS Science Fair this year! They are all moving on to the MSTs Science Fair in Olds on March 3. We wish them the best of luck! We'd also like to thank all of the judges who came to help on the day of our fair.

## **Grade 5 Category Awards**

2nd place (silver) - Jasper C - Solar Panels

1st place (gold) - Heath P - Why do birds have different feathers?

## Grade 6 Category Awards

2nd place (silver) - Emma E and Hailey S - History of the Exmoor Pony

1st place (gold) - Eliza S - Your Kidneys

## Grade 7 Category Awards

2nd place (silver) - Nick dG - Sugar Tooth

1st place (gold) - Kyla B - Transpiring Colors

## Grade 8 Category Awards

1st place (gold) - Madeline P - The Drowsy Dilemma

## Grade 9 Category Awards

1st place (gold) - Marcus PO - Changes in Atmospheric Pressure

# This Month in Guidance & Careers

## March Edition

### ONSITE DUAL CREDIT:

**WLD 1167**

March 10

March 22

### HET: Electrical & Hydraulics

March 4, March 6

March 12, March 14,

March 19

### Upcoming Opportunities:

- Sky Wings Ground School Training
- Summer Work Experience: if you have a job, reach out to Mrs. Reaman to see if you can be earning credits.
- Delmar- Hairstyling & Barber

### Online

### Dual Credit:

Olds College

Monday, March 3rd-

May 23rd

Red Deer Polytechnic

Monday, March 3-

May 23rd

### Grade 10 Internship

All Gr. 10 students will be participating from  
April 8-10th, 2025



NAIT will be visiting HSS on March 11 during FLT. Sign up in FlexSession!

Grade 11s are required to book a meeting with Mrs. Reaman in the second semester to plan their Grade 12 courses. 😊



**GOOD LUCK!...** to our students participating in the Skills Canada Competition on March 15th!



[HTTPS://SARAH-REAMAN.YOUCANBOOK.ME/](https://sarah-reaman.youcanbook.me/)

# Kodiak Snack Shack



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Basics	4 Pasta & Meat Sauce	5 Cheeseburger & Chips	6 Subway Basics	7 No School
10 Basics	11 Taco in a Bag	12 Butter Chicken & Naan Bread	13 Chicken Bacon Ranch Wrap	14 Pizza
17 Basics	18 Chicken Caesar Salad & Garlic Toast	19 Sweet & Sour Meatballs	20 Chicken Stir Fry	21 No School
24 Basics	25 Chicken Alfredo with Pasta Sauce	26 Chicken Quesadilla & Veggies	27 Perogies & Ham	28 Pizza
31 Basics				



Online ordering is available through your Student QuickPay account. Pre-ordering lunches for any given week closes on the Monday at 8:30 a.m. All Subway order deadlines are the Friday prior.



The HSS Breakfast program is open every day to ALL students. We extend our gratitude to our volunteers and donors for their support in sustaining this essential program.

