

## **DUFFIELD DIGEST**

June 2022



Hello Families,

The students are really enjoying the beautiful weather outside and all of the fun that comes with spring. June brings with it such excitement and also many events to wrap up an amazing year together!

Registration for 2022-2023

We are still awaiting many registrations from our Duffield families. It is really important to complete the process as soon as possible so that I can place your child(ren) on a class list. If you need assistance with the registration process, please give the office a call and Ms. Shave can help you.

If you and your family are planning to move from the Duffield area, please give me a call at the school and we can try to help with the transfer of registration.

Field Trips

With all students participating in field trips in the month of June, a gentle reminder that students will only be able to attend field trips if they pay for the trip in advance. If this will be difficult for your family, please give me a call at the school and we can discuss options.

Division Track Meet and Zone Track Meet Our students should be applauded for their excellent performance at the Zone Track Meet held here at Duffield on May 24, and the elementary track meet held on May 25. We have several students continuing on to the Zone Track Meet on June 2 in Sherwood Park. Congratulations to all our athletes for their excellent performances and to all the adults who helped make this a success.

## June 2022 Duffield Calendar of Events

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
30	31	1	2 Grade 7/8 Field Trip	3
6	7 Dress like a Movie Day	8	9 Grade 5 Field Trip-Pond Study	10 Kinder/Grade 1 Field Trip
13 PAT: ELA Part B Gr 6 Grade 1/2 and Grade 2 Field Trip	14 Grade 3 & 4 Field Trip	15 PAT: Math Grade 6	16 PAT: Science Gr 6 Duffield Indigenous Days	17 PAT: Social Gr 6 Duffield Indigenous Days
20 PAT: ELA Part B Gr 9	21 National Indigeneous Day	22 PAT: Math Grade 9 Freezie Day!	23 PAT: Science Gr 9	24 PAT: Social Gr 9
27 Grade 9 Field Trip	28 Grade 6 Field Trip Grade 9 Farewell 7:00pm for invited guests	29 Last Day of School Duffield Fun Day Red and White Day Report Cards Released	30 PD Day	1

## **Indigenous Days**

On June 16 and June 17, we will have many opportunities for our students to participate in indigenous cultural events to honour National Indigenous Day on June 21. Students at Duffield School will enjoy bannock making, making rattles (K-3) and medicine bags (grade 4-9), and jig dancing. We are grateful to our partners from Treaty 6 and Treaty 8 for their guidance and teachings to help make this a memorable learning opportunity!

End of year celebrations
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contest in which we will be sharing tickets with students for excellent Duffield behaviour. When students receive tickets, they will be able to choose which staff member they would like to throw a pie at. It should be a very exciting way to end an amazing school year with the students.

Our grade 6 and grade 9 students have been working so hard to prepare for the upcoming Provincial Achievement Tests in Math, English Language Arts, Social Studies and Science. In May, the students completed the writing portion of the PATS and they will continue to complete the remainder of the exams between June 13-June 24. We appreciate all the support from our families to ensure students come prepared and well rested for the exams.

Sincerely,

Cherie Lovsund