

ICES Weekly Update September 15, 2025



THIS WEEK

Wednesday – Chapel @ 12:30 Early Dismissal @ 2:00 Friday – Hot Lunch: Hamburgers Terry Fox Walk – Legacy Park – 12:30 – 2:30

FILL YOUR FREEZER FUNDRAISER

Our school has 4 major fundraisers to raise money for field trips and other classroom initiatives:

Fill Your Freezer – Sept 22 – Oct 20 Mountain West Family Pictures – Oct 29 Little Caesars Pizza Kits – Feb 2 - 23 Fill Your Freezer – March 30 – April 27

This year, our fall fundraiser is not limited to bacon! In addition to 3 bacon choices, there are a variety of other items for purchasing. Here is the link to see all the options, as well as pricing:

Immanuel Christian Elementary School

The link will go live on September 22 and remain open until October 20 or orders. Delivery will be on October 29.

SCHOOL MESSENGER

All absences and late arrivals should be entered in School Messenger, using either the app or the phone number. If you need assistance, please call the school office.

*Please see the attachment.

TERRY FOX WALK

Students will be bused to Legacy Park on Friday afternoon for our annual Terry Fox Walk. Buses will leave ICES at 12:30. You are welcome to meet us there and ioin us for the walk!

Students have the option of bringing toonies and loonies for the Terry Fox Foundation. Online support can be accessed through: Terry Fox - ICES

SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

On Monday, September 22 at 7:00 pm we will hold our first School Council Meeting in the Wellness Space beginning with Mrs. Loveridge presenting on various student supports with the meeting following her presentation.

*Please see attached agenda

SCHOOL PICTURES DATE CHANGE

Due to the possibility of a teachers job action, school picture dates have changed. *KB and Grades 1 – 5* will be on *Tuesday*, *September 23*. *KA* will be on *Monday*, *September 29*. Package options to come shortly!

MILK PROGRAM

In an effort to not inconvenience our families nor our supplier, we will pause the Milk Program until pending job action is settled.

LEARNING COMMONS NOTES

The following is the ICES Learning Commons schedule:

Monday: Gr. 3A

Tuesday: Gr. 4A, 5A, & 5B Wednesday: Gr. KA, 1A, & 4B

Thursday: Gr. KB, 3B Friday: Gr. 2A & 2B

NOTE: Please keep books in a safe place in the red bags at home away from pets and small children. The library has acid free tape and glue used to repair books and we ask that if a book is damaged, that you NOT repair it at home, but simply return it to the Learning Commons with a note and we will take care of the repairs. If books are lost, the books must be paid for by the end of the school year.

Looking forward to another great year in the Learning Commons. Please do not hesitate to call or email me if you have any questions or concerns.

Nellie Konynenbelt/Library Facilitator Nellie.konynenbelt@lethsd.ab.ca

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING & TOY GIVE AWAY

Trinity URC will be hosting a children's clothing and toy giveaway on Friday, September 26, from 3:00-6:00 and Saturday, September 27, from 9:00-12:00. Everything is free and everyone is welcome! Come enjoy some free shopping!

If you have items to donate, they can be dropped off at the north doors of Trinity URC on Wednesday, September 24, or Thursday, September 25, from 9:00-2:00 or alternate arrangements can be made with Anita Cohoe (403-892-5571).

FAMILY PICTURES October 29

This year, we are using Mountain West Photography for our school pictures. This company also offers family pictures!

Families will have opportunity to sign up in advance for 15-minute sessions at a cost of \$30 for sitting fees and will receive a complimentary 8x10 image of their choice (without having to purchase anything else). As a fundraiser for the school, Mountain West will donate the sitting fees to the school.

In addition to the complimentary 8X10, families have the option to purchase any other images from a selection of packages is available, varying in size, print options, downloads, or a combination of both.

More information on booking sessions and package options will be coming.

LOOKING AHEAD

Sept 22 – Fill Your Freezer Opens

School Council Meeting @ 7:00

Sept 23 – School Pictures: KB, Gr. 1 - 5

Sept 26 – Lunch: Frozen Yogurt

Sept 29 – Orange Shirt Day School Pictures: KA

Sept 30 – No School – National Day of

Truth and Reconciliation

Oct 3 – Hotdog Day

Oct 10 - Thanksgiving Chapel

Oct 13 – No School – Thanksgiving

Oct 15 – Chapel @ 12:30 Early Dismissal @ 2:00

Oct 20 – Fill Your Freezer closes

Oct 21 – Parent/Teacher Conferences – after school/evening

Oct 22 – Parent/Teacher Conferences – morning (no school for students)