

# CRESCENT PARK NEWS



## Crescent Park Elementary School

School District #59 (Peace River South)

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*Respectful, Responsible,  
Ready to Learn and Safe*

### PARENTS AT SCHOOL

If you are coming to the school, please check in at the office. Anything being dropped off should come to the office to minimize interruptions in the classrooms.

### EARLY DISMISSAL

Wednesday, February 28 and Thursday, February 29 are early dismissal days. School will dismiss at 1:38.

### PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Interviews will be taking place on Wednesday, February 28 and Thursday, February 29.

### BOOK SALE/STUDENT LEARNING SURVEY

There will be a used book by donation sale in Room 9 on Wednesday, February 28 and Thursday, February 29, end of the hall to the left.

Ms. Parks will also have computers set up if parents of grade 4 & 7 students would like to complete the survey at that time. She will be there until 6:00 Thursday and Friday.

### STUDENT LEARNING SURVEY

Grade 4 and 7 parents may access the survey through the Parent Direct Access from the website listed below by selecting their child's district, school's name, and language of preference.

<https://www.awinfosys.com/SurveyFull1/central/main/access.asp>

### SKI TRIP

We regret to inform you that the ski trip on March 13 is cancelled. We do not have enough staff to attend the ski trip that day. If you have not paid for the trip on February 22, \$12 for lift and \$12 for rentals please do so as soon as possible. If you have paid for both dates you will be reimbursed for the March 13 ski trip.

Thank you for your understanding.

### PAC SPRING DANCE

The Pac will be hosting a Spring Dance on Thursday, March 14 in the gym.

5:30 – 6:30      K-3

7:00 – 8:30      4-7



## MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE FREE VIRTUAL SESSIONS

Dear Safe School Coordinators,

We are pleased to share the following information with you. The Ministry of Education and Child Care, in partnership with adolescent Clinical Psychologist, Dr. Hayley Watson, will be hosting free virtual sessions on youth substance use for parents/guardians, caregivers and caring adults. Dr. Watson will provide valuable insights, practical tips, and resources to equip participants with the tools needed to guide their children and youth toward making positive choices when it comes to substance use.

### Key Takeaways for Participants:

- Learn why children/teenagers are drawn to substances.
- Understand what causes and maintains substance use disorder and needs.
- Increase your child's ability to make positive choices about substances.
- Acquire practical conversation tools for discussing substances in the home.

Participants must register in advance due to limited capacity. Session dates are:

- February 20, 6:00 – 7:30 pm PST - [Click here to Register](#)
- February 22, 6:00 – 7:30 pm PST - [Click here to Register](#)
- February 28, 6:00 – 7:30 pm PST - [Click here to Register](#)

Please share within your community and email the Mental Health and Substance Use Branch at [educ.mentalhealth@gov.bc.ca](mailto:educ.mentalhealth@gov.bc.ca) with any questions.

Sincerely,

Student Wellness and Safety Team  
Ministry of Education and Child Care

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A SAFE EDUCATION



### Crescent Park PAC

Place · Community

9300 17th street, Dawson Creek, BC, Canada

### PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

Attending a P.A.C. meeting enables you to:

- get involved with your School District,
- advise the principal on the school's education plan,
- recommend programs and events for the school,
- provide input into the school's budget.

Attend one meeting or many...have a say in your child's education and enhance your school community.

**The next PAC meeting will be Monday, March 5 at 6:00 pm in Room 4**

Childminding will no longer be available.

Upcoming meetings are also announced on the PAC Facebook page.

Kim Morris will be a guest to share information about Crescent Park's expansion project.

**UPCOMING DATES**

Wednesday, February 28	Early Dismissal Day
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Wednesday, February 28	Subway
Thursday, February 29	Early Dismissal Day
Friday, March 1	Sport Day – dress up as your favourite team or wear a jersey
Friday, March 1	Hot dogs
Monday, March 4	NID – there will be no school
Wednesday, March 6	Edo
Friday, March 8	Taco in a Bag
Monday, March 11	Safeway hot lunch
Wednesday, March 13	Subway
Thursday, March 14	PAC Spring Dance
Friday, March 15	PJ Day
Friday, March 15	Hot dogs
Saturday, March 16	SPRING BREAK
Monday, April 1	Stat – there will be no school
Tuesday, April 2	First day back to school