



GOOD SHEPHERD  
SCHOOL

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## NEWSLETTER

### OCTOBER EVENTS

- ◆ **Mass @ OLOP** - October 9, 10:00 AM
- ◆ **NO SCHOOL** - October 11, 14 & 28
- ◆ **PICTURE RETAKES**— October 21
- ◆ **Early Learning Conferences**—October 22 & 23
- ◆ **Virtues**—October 21
- ◆ **Kindergarten Planning Day (No School for KG ONLY)** - Oct 4



### MESSAGE FROM YOUR ADMIN

Dear parents and guardians of Good Shepherd School,

We are off to a great start to the 2019-2020 school year. Terry and I are excited to be your admin team for the third year together. We are always looking for fun and innovative ways to support our staff and our students. Our ESL, Indigenous Education, preschool, and sensory room programs have all begun. We are very fortunate at our school to have 17 educational assistants working alongside our teachers to provide supports to our students. Their dedication and love for our students create an environment where every child matters. We are continuously promoting our Loving, Caring, and Sharing here at Good Shepherd.

Teachers are diligently assessing your children's literacy skills to more effectively program to best suit their needs. This month, we will be celebrating Thanksgiving Mass at Our Lady of Peace on October 9. We welcome all of you to join us in this celebration. Additionally, teachers will be here on October 22 and 23 to meet with you at our Early Learning Conferences. We look forward to touching base with you then. Attending Early Learning Conferences provides you with a great indication of how your child will do on their report card. It also gives you the opportunity to support them before report cards are completed.

Our parish is always looking for children who have completed their First Eucharist to become alter servers. If your child is interested, please contact Nicola Quigley at the school. God bless you all on this most beautiful fall month.

GET THE FULL-COLOR NEWSLETTER ON OUR WEBSITE!



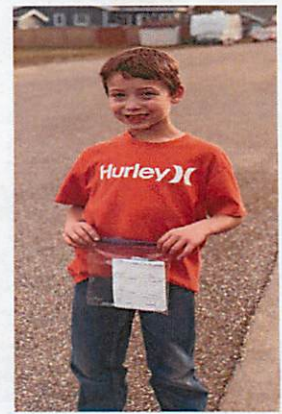
## INDIGENOUS NEWS



On September 30, we asked the students to wear orange to honor the people that went to residential schools.

Regalia Club will meet on Wednesdays in October from 3:30-5:00pm in Ms. Santoro's room (403). Please make sure your child has their permission sheet filled out and a ride home.

A HUGE Congratulations to Jack Oostvogels in Mme. Roxannes class who raised \$697.55 for the Terry Fox Foundation!!! Way to go!



## ANNOUNCEMENTS



### THE BOOK FAIR IS COMING!

SCHOLASTIC

Don't forget to stop by our **BOOK FAIR** during Early Learning Conferences happening on October 22nd and 23rd. Browse our great selection of books for the whole family! While there, look for details about our Family Book Draw, if you win, so does your child's classroom. We look forward to seeing you!

**What:** Scholastic Book Fair hosted by Good Shepherd School

**When:** Tuesday October 22nd from 4:00pm – 8:00pm & Wednesday October 23rd from 4:00pm – 7:00pm.

**Where:** Good Shepherd School Courtyard



**Give the gift of reading with classroom wish lists** - during our book fair teachers will have the opportunity to view our selection and create a list of books they could use to enhance their classroom libraries, lists will be displayed at the book fair and families may purchase book(s) to donate to any classroom. Full details available at our fair.....Thanks in advance for your continued support of our library and classrooms through purchases made during our book fair events!

### PHOTO RETAKES

Monday, OCTOBER 21



The school patrollers will be back in action in the middle of October. The consent forms are being returned and training can start shortly.



Interschool volleyball Wednesday October 30th 3:45-6:30 at the Good Shepherd Gym and Canadian Natural field house.



LOVING, CARING, SHARING



## SCHOOL COUNCIL



Good Shepherd School Presents  
**Dinner & A Movie**  
Thurs. Oct. 10, 2019  
Free Admission

Come start your Thanksgiving long weekend with your Good Shepherd School Community! Proceeds from this event will go towards a new Good Shepherd Playground.

**Doors Open at 6 pm**  
**(Gymnasium Entrance)**  
**Movie Starts at 6:30 pm**

You are welcome to bring blankets/pillows/clean lawn chairs to help make yourself cozy and comfortable to enjoy the show. (pre-order preferred, an order form was sent home with students)

Next Meeting,  
Wednesday Oct. 2nd  
@ 7:00pm

**Concession Items**  
**\$1 each**

(bottled water, popcorn,  
chips, candy bags)

**Pizza \$3/slice**



Milk sold daily for \$1.00

Milk cards can be purchased at the office, \$10.00 each.



## STUDENT COUNCIL

### October Spirit Days:

**October 10**—Crazy Hair Day (come to school with wacky, crazy, or messy hair)

**October 24**—Jersey/Sports Day (come to school in a jersey from any sport, wear sports attire or sports related shirts, etc. **No Hats!**)

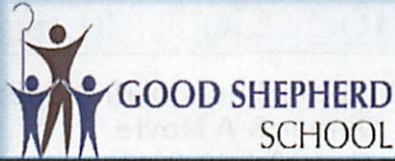
**October 31**—**Halloween** (\*details on this will be coming soon!)



Good Shepherd will be hosting an all-candidates forum for the upcoming federal election on **Wednesday, October 9th from 1:00 pm—2:30 pm** in the Good Shepherd Gym. Members of the public are welcome to attend.

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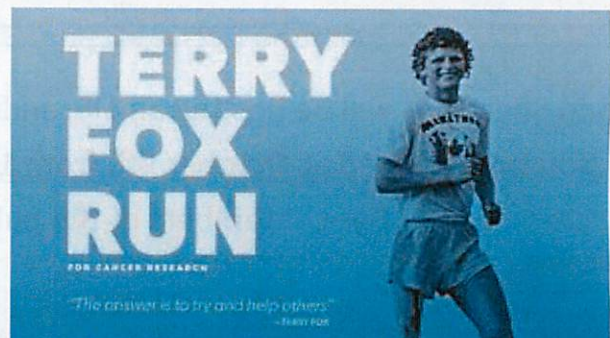
## Upcoming Community Events

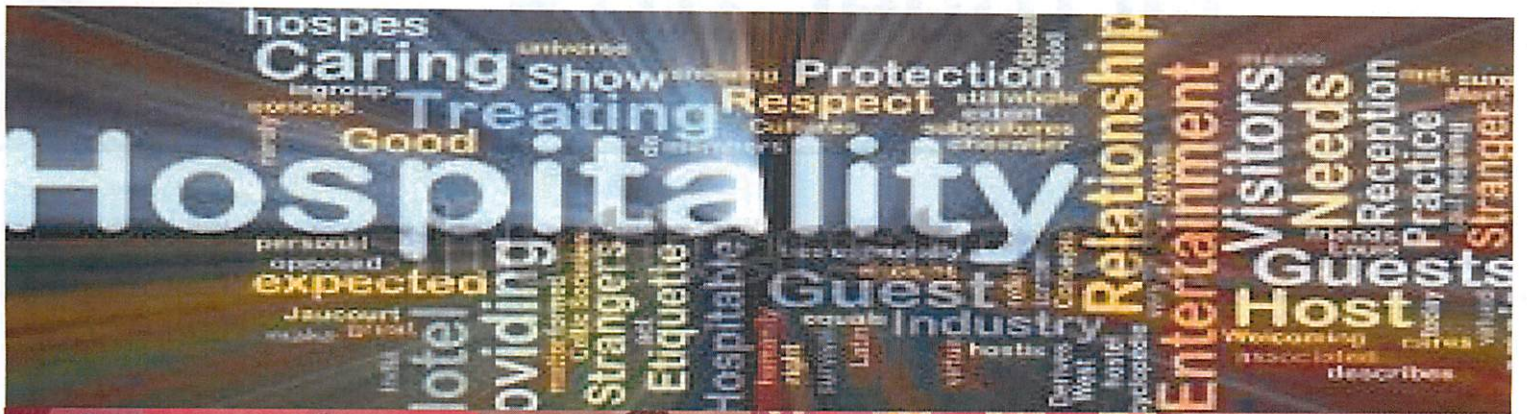
- Pool Re-opens Friday, October 4
  - **FREE SWIMS** October 7, 6:30-8:30 pm, October 28, 6:30-8:30 pm
- Parent Link reopens in it's new location in the Baytex Centre
- Sister in Spirit Walk is Friday October 4 from 4-7pm. Gathering will begin in front of the Peace River Museum
- Weberville haunted House @ Peace Valley Inns 4:30-8pm
  - Looking for Family Friendly fun on Hallowe'en Night??
  - Stop by our Haunted House and Hall of Fun!
  - Walk through Spooky hall to find the Witch's Den, Hall of Hands, Spider Hall and more!
  - Check out the Hallowe'en crafts!
  - Photo Booth by Ashley Yuremchuk Photography
  - "Trunk or Treat" in the parking lot to load up on treats!

### TERRY FOX RUN

The staff and students participated in the Terry Fox Run on September 27. All together we raised \$2198.05!!

**WAY TO GO!**





# October 2019



	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1		1 Matt's Pizza	2	3	4 No School for <b><u>Kindergarten ONLY</u></b>	5
	7	8 Kita North	9 Thanksgiving Mass @ OLOP 10am	10 Movie Night in the Gym Toy Story 4	11 <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	12
	14 <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	15 Panago	16	17	18	19
	21 Virtues K-2	22 Subway	23	24	25	26
	28 <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	29 KFC Virtues 3-6	30	31		

# PEACE PARENT LINK

2019



**PARENT LINK  
LOCATED UPSTAIRS**  
*Walk through front doors  
and turn left to go upstairs*

We are so happy to  
announce that our  
scheduled programs  
will begin the  
1st week of October.

*Thank  
you!*

*Thank you to the many  
people that  
volunteered their  
time and helped us  
with our big move.*

*A extra special thank you to  
The Town of Peace River and their  
employees, Willie Gamble of WSP in  
Grande Prairie for donating our desks  
and dividers and Mario Drouin, Shane  
Gamble & Abdul Mouallem from  
Champion Gym for helping  
move our furniture.*

**PEACE RIVER site 9810-73rd Ave.**

**NEW Baytex Energy Centre**

Monday to Friday 9:00am to 5:00pm

Extended Hours: Wednesdays till 7:00 p.m.

Saturday 10:00am to 2:00pm

(Closed on long weekends)

**FAIRVIEW site (EE Oliver School):**

Fridays 1:00pm to 4:00pm

Other times available by appointment.



**October 31<sup>st</sup>**



*Rockin' Development presents:*

**A PUMPKIN PARTY**



*Wear a costume and come and  
participate in all kinds of fun activities.*



**10:30 to 11:30 a.m.**

**Peace Parent Link Centre**



**Vision: All Families will have equal opportunities to be the best they can be.**

**Mission: We are working with families to give children the best start in life.**

**[www.peaceriver.ca/parentlink](http://www.peaceriver.ca/parentlink)**



**Celebrating  
a Century**

# PEACE PARENT LINK



## Parents, Stay Positive

With your Toddler, Preschooler or Elementary Aged Child



### Triple P Group

Wednesday Evenings At Peace Parent Link

6:00pm to 8:00pm

October 9—November 27

Childcare  
available upon  
request!

Call 780-624-0770 to register



*All inquiries will be kept confidential*

#### What Can You Expect? 8 SESSIONS

(including 5 group workshop style classes and 3 one on one telephone consultations to help you put your plan into action)

Learn all the strategies that this internationally recognized program has to offer and work with an accredited Triple P Practitioner to make a usable, personalized parenting plan that will work for you.

For more information, Call 780-624-0770

[www.peaceriver.ca/parentlink](http://www.peaceriver.ca/parentlink)

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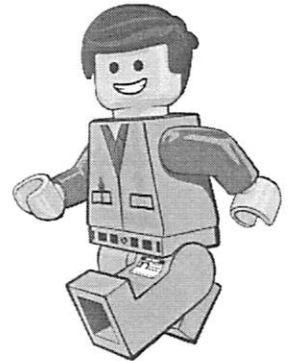
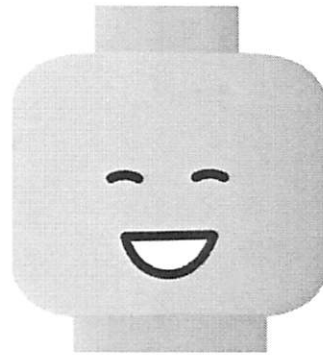


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# PEACE PARENT LINK

In partnership with Peace River FCSS



## Building Fun for Kids ages 6-8!

This is a **REGISTERED** program.

**First come first serve, spaces are limited.**

**Register by phone or in person at Peace Parent Link.**

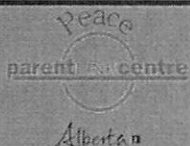
**All Participants must be at least 6 years old at time of registration.**

### **FRIDAYS 3:30—5:30 p.m.**

### **October 4 to November 29**

Children are natural engineers. Let's have a club for children to be able to express and build with Lego. Let's combine some science and fun together to get the children's imaginations going. Lego Club is an awesome way to meet new friends and have tons of fun.

**Phone 780-624-0770 to Register**  
**Peace Parent Link (9810-73rd Ave.)**




For more information, Call 780-624-0770  
[www.peaceriver.ca/parentlink](http://www.peaceriver.ca/parentlink)  
<http://www.facebook.com/peaceparent.link>



# PEACE PARENT LINK

## PEACE RIVER

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<p>1 Baby's Day Out 10:30 to 11:30am @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>2 Tiny Tunes All Ages 10:30 to 11:15am @ Drop-In Centre Triple P Group * 6:00-8:00pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>3 Rockin' Development 10:30-11:30 a.m. @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>4 Storytime at the Library 10:30—11:30 a.m. @ PR Library Lego Club * 3:30—5:30 pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 10am to 2pm</p>
<p>7</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>8 Baby's Day Out 10:30 to 11:30am @ Drop-In Centre Bump to Baby 6:30—8:30 p.m. @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>9 Tiny Tunes All Ages 10:30 to 11:15am @ Drop-In Centre Triple P Group * 6:00-8:00pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>10 Rockin' Development 10:30-11:30 a.m. @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>11 Storytime at the Library 10:30—11:30 a.m. @ PR Library Lego Club * 3:30—5:30 pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Drop-In Centre CLOSED due to long weekend</p> 
<p>14</p> <p>Drop-In Centre CLOSED</p>  <p>Happy Thanksgiving</p>	<p>15 Baby's Day Out 10:30 to 11:30am @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>16 Tiny Tunes All Ages 10:30 to 11:15am @ Drop-In Centre Triple P Group * 6:00-8:00pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>17 Rockin' Development 10:30-11:30 a.m. @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>18 Storytime at the Library 10:30—11:30 a.m. @ PR Library Lego Club * 3:30—5:30 pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 10am to 2pm</p>
	<p>21 Baby's Day Out 22 10:30 to 11:30am @ Drop-In Centre Bump to Baby 6:30—8:30 p.m. @ Drop-In Centre Play &amp; Sing at the Towers 10:15-11:15 a.m. @ Heritage Towers</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>23 Tiny Tunes All Ages 10:30 to 11:15am @ Drop-In Centre Triple P Group * 6:00-8:00pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>24 Rockin' Development 10:30-11:30 a.m. @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>25 Storytime at the Library 10:30—11:30 a.m. @ PR Library Lego Club * 3:30—5:30 pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>26</p>  <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 10am to 2pm</p>
	<p>28 Baby's Day Out 29 10:30 to 11:30am @ Drop-In Centre Play &amp; Sing at the Towers 10:15-11:15 a.m. @ Heritage Towers</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>30 Tiny Tunes All Ages 10:30 to 11:15am @ Drop-In Centre Triple P Group * 6:00-8:00pm @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>31 Rockin' Development A PUMPKIN PARTY 10:30—11:30am @ Drop-In Centre</p> <p>Drop-In Centre OPEN 9am to 5pm</p>	<p>* indicates a registered program</p> <p>Peace River Site: Baytex Energy Centre 9810-73 Ave.</p>	