



## **National Sport School**

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# **Important Dates:**

October 17: TA Intramurals

October 18: TA Dress Up - Adam Sandler Day

October 19: Awards Night 7:00pm

October 24: TA Pumpkin Carving w/ judging on Oct.

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October 26: Picture Retakes

**October 31:** TA Halloween Dress Up - school appropriate costumes please!! (no weapons, etc)

November 2&3: Parent Teacher Interviews

### **Parent Council Meeting:**

Our first Parent Council Meeting is October 17th, 2023 at 6:30pm. This meeting will be hosted in person at the school in Room 112.

# **Teacher Update:**

We'd like to welcome Ms. Love, who will be teaching Athletic Development for Ms. Blake who is currently on leave.

## **Parking Update:**

There is a large conference happening at WinSport from October 19th-21st. Please take note and plan appropriately for your arrival as all parking lots on the west side of the park are expected to be busy. This will likely affect our Awards Ceremony on October 19th so please give ample time to find parking.

# **Awards Night:**

NSS Awards Night is taking place on October 19th at 7:00pm in the Markin MacPhail Centre.

# **University Fair:**

Attention Grade 11's and 12's! There is a University Fair happening on October 19th from 9:30-11am at Master's College. There will be 28 Universities represented. This is a great opportunity for students to have face-to-face conversations with representatives from institutions across the province. Please see Ms. Kilbreath for more information.

### **NSS Open House:**

Currently, the Open House for Prospective Students on November 30th is at capacity of 250 registrants and full at this time. The National Sport School Administration is actively working on plans for an additional open house to accommodate more families. Please be patient while this is being developed.

### **Adam Sandler Day:**

Dress up as your favorite Adam Sandler character on October 18th. Any students who do dress up should come to the Main floor student area at lunch on Wednesday. We will be awarding a prize for best dressed!

## Medical Hall of Fame Day:

ALL students attending the <u>Medical Hall of Fame Day</u> Wednesday Oct 18th - **please meet with Ms. Biegler today, Oct 17th at lunch** time in room 121 to talk details. Be sure to inform your teachers you will be absent.







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# **Palliser Beyond Borders:**

Reminders if you are taking an online course with Palliser Beyond Borders this semester:

- 1. October 15th was the last day for students to start first semester core classes. Students that have not completed GO (Getting Online) or who have not actively engaged in a core class with PBB will be contacted to let them know that their enrollment has been moved to the second semester. All requests for core classes should now be for the second semester.
- 2. The deadline to start CALM in Semester 1 is November 15th. Students need to have completed GO (Getting Online) and be actively engaged in CALM by this time.

### Grade 12's:

If you do not have an account with Apply Alberta, now is the time to make one! If you need assistance, see Ms. Kilbreath in the Student Common area.

#### Picture Retakes on October 26th:

Please make sure to get your photo taken on October 26th even if you don't want to order any photos. We use these photos for your school ID cards as well as our yearbook.

### **Jacket Racket:**

Jacket Racket is a local charity that has been providing clean, gently used winter clothing to Calgary school children since the 1980's. NSS will be collecting clean, gently used winter coats, snow pants, hats, mittens and gloves from Oct. 2 to Nov. 3. The donation box is at the Main Office.







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#### **Student Successes:**

Congratulations to Electra P. who was awarded the 13-15 (Youth) Athlete of the Year by Alberta Artistic Swimming for her overall performance during the 22/23 competition season.

She won GOLD at Provincials in the events of:

- Figures
- Duet
- Team

Placed 4<sup>th</sup> overall at Nationals in:

- Duet
- Team

And went on to compete at the Jr. Pan Ams in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida where she

- Won Silver in Duet
- Placed 4<sup>th</sup> in Team



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Congratulations to Easton L. who will be representing Alberta in the WHL Cup in Red Deer on October 18th-22nd. He will be competing for the opportunity to be rostered on one of the three teams that represent Canada each year at the World U17 Hockey Challenge.