

NEWSLETTER

CANWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL

OCTOBER 2026

What a wonderful start to the 2026–2027 school year!

September has been a busy and exciting month at Canwood School. It has been wonderful to welcome our students back and see the energy, enthusiasm, and excitement throughout our school. Our Welcome Back Breakfast was a great way to begin the year together, and we were so happy to see our students enjoying time with their friends and school community.

One of the highlights of September was the official ribbon-cutting ceremony for our new playground! It was a very special event hosted by Heather Sten, our SCC's previous chair. We are incredibly grateful for their support on this initiative. Following the ceremony, we hosted our Meet the Staff Barbecue, and we were so appreciative of all the parents, families, and community members who joined us for such a beautiful evening. Thank you to our SLC for planning activities for our students during these events. The new playground is a wonderful addition to our school, and we are grateful to everyone who helped make this project possible. We look forward to seeing our students enjoy it for many years to come!

Our school garden also had a very successful growing season, producing an abundance of fresh vegetables for our school. We are excited to have our Commercial Cooking class put these delicious vegetables to good use by cooking and preserving them. What a wonderful way for our students to learn about gardening, food preparation, preservation, and the importance of using the resources we have right here in our own school community.

The Terry Fox Run and Fundraiser was another huge success! A special thank you goes to Miss Hauta and the ELA 30 class for organizing this meaningful event. We are incredibly proud of the enthusiasm and generosity shown by our students and families as we continue to support Terry Fox's dream of finding a cure for cancer.

We also had an important learning opportunity on Wednesday, September 30th. Our Grade 1 to Grade 12 students travelled by bus to W.P. Sandin High School in Shellbrook to participate in a Truth and Reconciliation Walk, organized by Evergreen Oasis Counselling and Consulting Group. That morning, our students joined Shellbrook students for a short presentation before walking together down Main Street to the Seniors Hall and then returning to W.P. Sandin High School. This event provided our students with an opportunity to come together as a community, reflect on the history and ongoing work of Truth and Reconciliation, and demonstrate respect and understanding. We are grateful to have participated alongside our neighbouring school community.

Thank you to our students, staff, families, and community for making September such a wonderful beginning to our school year. We have so much to be proud of at Canwood School, and we are looking forward to all that the year ahead will bring!

Have a wonderful October!

Principal - Mrs. Sylvia Delisle



We are asking parents and guardians to use Edsby to submit present and future absences for your child/children. Edsby has a free app for all iOS and Android smartphones so that you can access school information or enter absences anywhere, anytime.

Parents/guardians who have not connected to Edsby yet have been emailed "Invitations to Edsby".

Parents are an important part of the school's family and Edsby is a great way to support your child at school. Edsby pulls together information about each of your children and presents it in a clear, easy-to-understand format. You will see all their teachers and classes. Some teachers will assign work through Edsby and if they do, you will be able to see academic progress, upcoming assessments, and current assessments. Please call the school office if you have not received an "Invitation to Edsby".

We are asking parents and guardians to sign up for School Cash Online. Currently, noon meals, school fees and milk cards can be paid for online. More events and items are always added to School Cash Online as they occur and become available. Payments through this program are by credit card or electronic check which is a transfer directly out of your bank account. Visit Canwood School's website, Sask River's website or scan this QR Code for how to register.



VOLLEYBALL



Congratulations to our Sr. Girls 11/12 volleyball team that won gold in their first tournament! Canwood School hosted 8 teams in a full day tournament on September 19th.

The 11/12 team went undefeated all day and added a new plaque to our trophy case!
Coach - Mr. Ryan Aiken



There will be open volleyball every Tuesday 5:00-7:00 p.m.. This is for grades 8-12 and community members are welcome to come in and play. Help our students improve their skills and have some fun!
-Mr. Ryan Aiken



There will be Jr. volleyball games in Canwood on Thursday, October 1 and Thursday, October 22 from 3:45 to 5:30.

We are looking for volunteer refs, lines people and score keepers. Call the school if you are interested!
Coaches - Miss Kylie Hauta & Mr. Cody Barden

STUDENT LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

SLC HAUNTED HOUSE TOUR

Friday, October 30th
3:30-6:00 p.m.
at Canwood School
(multi-purpose room)
Open to the Public
\$2 per person
\$5 per family



SPOOK INSURANCE

THE CANWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL SLC IS SELLING SPOOK INSURANCE.
THE COST IS \$5.00.

IF YOU BUY SPOOK INSURANCE AND YOUR PROPERTY IS VANDALIZED ON HALLOWEEN, THE SLC WILL CLEAN IT UP.

TO PURCHASE
PLEASE PAY AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE

SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The core purpose of a School Community Council (SCC) is to build shared responsibility for student success and well-being by connecting parents, community members and the school. This year's Chair for the 2026-2027 school year is Amie Bather with Vice-Chair being Sarah Johnson.
Chair - Amie Bather

The Terry Fox event was a wonderful success, filled with community spirit and support. A very special thank you goes to our Grade 12 class for hosting, and creating an event that brought everyone together.

We are grateful to our sponsors; Neighbourhood Caterers, J&R Meats, Eddie's Twisted Grill, Tait Insurance, Woodland Pharmacy, Lake Country Co-op, Cargill, and Affinity Credit Union, whose generosity made the day possible. Thank you as well to the Grade 12 students, and Mrs. Dyan Nordquist for preparing and serving the meal.

Most importantly, thank you to our community for your pledges, contributions, and participation. Your support continues Terry Fox's legacy in a meaningful way.

We raised a total of \$ 2070.56 for the Terry Fox Foundation.

-Miss Kylie Hauta



NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH & RECONCILIATION

On Wednesday, September 30th, Canwood School's Grade 1 to Grade 12 students travelled by bus to W.P. Sandin High School in Shellbrook to participate in a meaningful **Truth and Reconciliation Walk** organized by **Evergreen Oasis Counselling and Consulting Group**.

Our students joined students from Shellbrook for a short presentation by Knowledge Keeper, Hume Merasty. He talked about the importance of wearing an orange shirt on this day and he sang two songs with his traditional hand drum. We walked together down Main Street to the Seniors Hall. After the walk, students returned to W.P. Sandin High School, where they gathered in smaller groups to take part in a variety of meaningful learning activities, including:

- **Bannock tasting**
- **Traditional games**
- **Sage teaching**
- **Story walk**

This was a valuable opportunity for our students to learn, listen, reflect, and build a deeper understanding of Indigenous culture and the journey toward Truth and Reconciliation. We are grateful to **Evergreen Oasis Counselling and Consulting Group** for organizing this important event and to everyone who helped make the day a meaningful learning experience for our students.

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FUN ON THE NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT 😊



COMMUNITY EVENTS

Canwood Craft Sale
Sunday, November 8
from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Elks Hall.
\$30 to book a table
contact Dyan 306-714-0000.

THE NOVEMBER PROJECT An Act of Remembrance



Journey through the
Second World War
via a Canadian
soldier's love letters
home paired with
wartime songs.
*Lyrics provided—
sing along if you wish.*



FREE ADMISSION

Donations welcome.

Doors open 30 minutes before each performance.

THREE PERFORMANCES

Fri, Oct 23, 2026
7 pm
Canwood Legion

Sat, Oct 24, 2026
7 pm
Shellbrook Legion
Cash bar

Sun, Oct 25, 2026
2 pm
Parkland Integrated
Health Care Centre

For more information:
306-747-3769 or FB Shellbrook Legion Branch 111.

Sponsored by Beau "Lac" Funeral Home & Crematorium

Save the Date

2026 Fall Immunizations: Flu and Covid

Big River Health Care Centre

Oct 15, 2026 10-1pm, 2-5pm
Nov 3, 2026 12-4pm

Canwood School

Oct 20, 2026 12-4pm

Debden Community Centre

Oct 29, 2026 12-4pm

Hafford Health Complex

Nov 17, 2026 1-4:30pm

Hafford Ukrainian Catholic Hall

Oct 28, 2026 1-5pm

Leask Senior's Hall

Oct 22, 2026 12-4pm

Leoville Golden Ring Senior's Hall

Oct 20, 2026 10-6pm

Maymont Senior's Centre

Oct 21, 2026 1-5pm

Medstead Leisure Life Centre

Oct 27, 2026 1-5pm

Rabbit Lake Senior's Hall

Oct 23, 2026 9:30-12pm

Shellbrook Integrated Health Centre: Great Room

Oct 13, 2026 10-1pm, 2-6pm
Oct 23, 2026 10-1pm, 2-5pm
Nov 10, 2026 12-4pm

Shell Lake Lion's Hall

Oct 14, 2026 1-6pm

Shell Lake Schwartz Villa

Nov 4, 2026 1-4pm

Spiritwood Civic Centre

Oct 15, 2026 10-6pm
Nov 2, 2026 10-6pm

Spiritwood Health Complex

Nov 18, 2026 10-6pm
Dec 9, 2026 10-4pm

PROTECT YOURSELF
AND THE
PEOPLE
YOU
CARE FOR



Get Immunized!

More details to come at
4flu.ca
regarding walk-in clinics,
booking appointments,
eligibility and more.

Saskatchewan
Health Authority

Saskatchewan

Drop in to Canwood Library in the Month of
October to take in our programs and find a
good book!

KIDS CLUB: Wednesday after school till 4:30.
Ages 6-12. Snacks, Reading, Crafts and
Activities!

CRAFTERS CHOICE: 2nd and 4th Tuesday of
the month @10:30.

SOUND BATH: Sunday, Oct. 4.

Library Hours: Tuesday 9:30-4:00

Wednesday 10:30-5:00

Phone: (306) 468-2501

Librarian: Bev Wyatt



BROOMBALL REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

U14 (2013-2017)

U17 (2010-2012)

U20 (2007-2009)

Season: November-February
Registration Fees: \$250
Practices: Once per week
Tournaments on weekends

Fees are due by Oct. 31st



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Register by Oct 12th



OCTOBER 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
MISS DARIENNE NIKOLAISEN SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER WILL BE AT CANWOOD SCHOOL ON WEDNESDAYS				01	02	03
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04	05	06	07	08	09	10
	PreK	OPEN VOLLEYBALL 5-7 P.M. K	PreK	K	PLC NO CLASSES	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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	NO CLASSES		PreK	K	K	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	PreK	FLU SHOT CLINIC 12-4 P.M. OPEN VOLLEYBALL 5-7 P.M. K	PreK	★ SCHOOL ★ PICTURE ★ DAY ★ 	K	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	PreK	OPEN VOLLEYBALL 5-7 P.M. K	PreK	K	HAUNTED HOUSE TOUR CANWOOD SCHOOL 3:30 - 6:00 P.M.	