

KATE ANDREWS HIGH SCHOOL

JUNE NEWS, 2021

FINAL EXAMS & LAST DAY OF CLASSES

This year has been an unusual year, with the transition back and forth from in-person to at-home learning several times throughout the school year. Administration has been reviewing the June calendar to determine how to best maximize the school days we have left and to schedule **Final Exams**. Since Diploma Exams are not required this year, almost all final exams will take place during class time. Teachers will advise students of their final exam date (*typically the last day of that class.*)

The last day of regular classes will be THURSDAY, June 17th.

Final Exams, *that will not take place during class time*, are as follows:

Social Studies 20-1 (Miss Rosen): Friday, June 18th

Social Studies 30-1 (Miss Rosen): Friday, June 18th

Biology 30 (Mrs. Mattatall): Tuesday, June 22nd

These exams will take place in the regular cohort classroom where the class takes place and will begin at 9 am sharp on the day indicated.

Questions related to final exams should be directed to the teacher of that specific class.

BOOK RETURN

Tables will be set up in the hallway outside of the textbook room during our scheduled exam days. Please drop your textbooks off on the appropriate grade level table before you go write your exam.

Please return your text book on the day that you write your exam. All textbooks must be returned by June 17th (with the exception of Social Studies 20-1 and 30-1 and Biology 30, who are scheduled to write after June 17th).

GRADS: This is a reminder that all books must be returned, or paid for if lost, before participating in any GRAD activities.

All LIBRARY BOOKS must be returned to the library by Friday, June 11th, at the latest.

Ms. Wittebolle will send out Library emails with a list of all books that you need to return. This will include both library books and textbooks.

If you are quarantined and unable to attend when you write your exam please contact Ms. Wittebolle to organize a time for drop off.

SCHOOL FEES ARE NOW OVERDUE.

Statements have been sent home and any School, Text Book, Option Class or other fees should be cleared up via SchoolCash Online immediately.

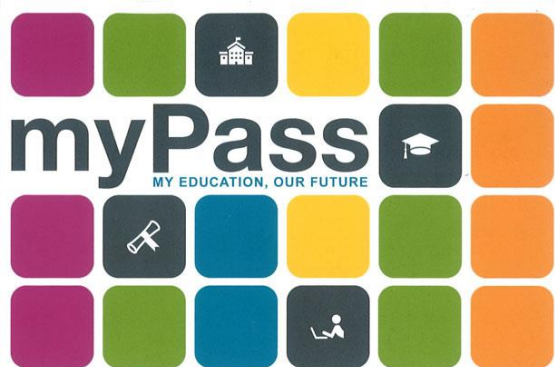
Unpaid fees will carry over to the next school year and students will not receive text books or be allowed to play sports until the previous year's fees are paid.

Thank-you to the Coaldale Kinettes, who dropped off treats for staff on Monday, May 31st! Your kindness and generosity made our day!

CHANGES TO THE myWallet function in SchoolCash Online

SchoolCash Online has made the decision to cease supporting payments using the myWallet function. Effective **June 4th 2021**, School Cash Online will no longer support adding funds into myWallet.

Refunds for any balance of unused funds remaining in My Wallet after October 31, 2021 will be processed between November 1 - December 10, 2021.



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- ✓ Order transcripts
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Highschool transcripts must be obtained from Alberta Education via myPass. Highschools are not able to provide these. Please visit myPass.alberta.ca to register. You will be sent an access code via regular mail to set up your account, so it is best to do this as soon as possible.

We strongly encourage **ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS** to register for myPass. In a regular school year, you can also use myPass to view Diploma Exam results and view credits!

Class of 2021

Current Covid-19 Restrictions from AHS and Alberta Education for graduation ceremonies are currently as follows as we are still in Scenario 1.

- Indoor graduation ceremonies are not permitted. Any indoor ceremony must be limited to graduating students and staff only (i.e. no parents or other family).
- Virtual and drive-in ceremonies are permitted.

With the announcement this week with once again changing regulations, we are unsure what this means for our graduation ceremony, on **June 25**. We have planned for 3 scenarios. Please recognize these are completely out of our control and staff are working tirelessly, while still teaching classes, to ensure regardless of the scenario, it is a great day for the grads!

Scenario A: Drive in Ceremony with Livestream (**We are currently here.*)

- 5 Grads & Immediate Family Only
- Families will park in North Parking lot, spaced 6 feet apart
- Families will be required to stay in their vehicles during the 20 minute ceremony

Scenario B: Outdoor Ceremony with Livestream

- 5 Grads & Immediate Family Only
- Families will be required to social distance outdoors but will be permitted to sit in designated chairs.

Scenario C: Indoor Ceremony with Livestream

- 5 Grads & Immediate Family Only (# of guests will be strictly enforced at the door, due to AHS regulations)
- 20 minute ceremony in the school gym
- Social distancing and mask requirements

We are hoping that with the easing of restrictions to be at Scenario C by the end of June. We have limited the number of grads at each ceremony for this reason.

A link will be posted here, as well as emailed to graduates and their parents, and put on Google Classroom on **Tuesday, June 1st**. Please register for a time for the ceremony. When you register, please include the student's First AND Last name. (Please note, students who have outstanding school fees will not be able to book a time slot.)

Regardless of the scenario, there will be a parade around town, beginning at 3:30 pm.

We are doing our best to put together a fun and meaningful celebration to honour the accomplishments of our 2021 KAHS Graduates. We have been working to obtain sponsorship from many community partners to be able to offer Awards and Scholarships as well as to cover the expenses of hosting a ceremony (whatever format that may take). This year we are challenged to stretch every dollar, as we do not charge Grad fees (*as most other schools do*) and we were not able to conduct fundraising that normally pays for the expenses of Grad (*vending machine revenue and special hot lunch revenue, etc.*) We ask that any families or businesses who are interested in contributing financially to KAHS Grad 2021, please reach out to Miss Baraniecki (robyn.baraniecki@pallisersd.ab.ca) or Mrs. Darby(kristy.darby@pallisersd.ab.ca). Donors will be recognized at the ceremony, on our website and social media accounts and in the program for the day.

Graduates and parents, please continue to watch your email and google classroom for up to date information regarding grad 2021! We will be sharing information with you as we know it.



CAREER EXPLORATION SESSION

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE

JUNE 8, 2021
4:30pm



PRAIRIE
COLLEGE

Join your hosts from Prairie College's Three Hills campus to find out more about becoming and being a Licensed Practical Nurse.

Find out how training will develop your knowledge in anatomy and physiology, applied pharmacology, nursing arts, nursing foundations, health education, maternity, pediatric, mental health and community nursing. Licensed Practical Nurses use skills like catheterization, tracheostomy care, wound care, injection/IV initiation and more. The training will equip you to write the Canadian Practical Nurse Registration Exam (CPNRE).



**Register
now**



Once registered, you will receive an email with the link, plus additional information regarding the event.

Questions? Email office@careersteps.ca



Bonduelle wants you and your friends to harvest peas this summer!



Join our summer crews!

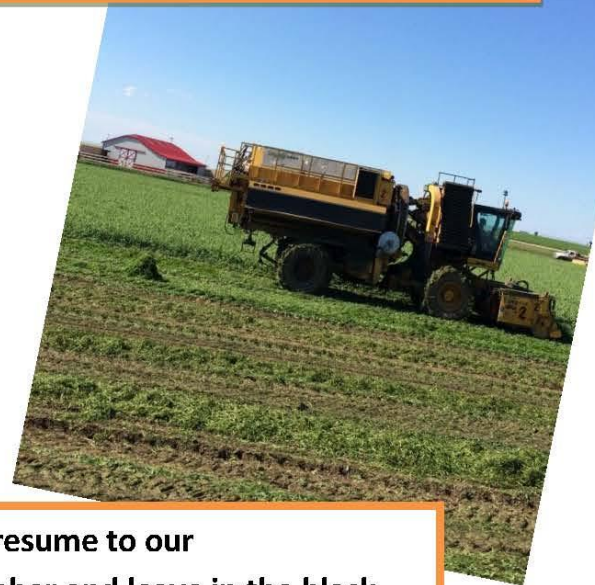
Operators: operate pea combines, daily maintenance and field moves

Mechanic's Assistants (4 positions): assist mechanics with regular maintenance, daily preventative maintenance, moving crews

Coordinators (4 positions): act as crew leader and operate tractor, must have first aid

Wash crew (2 positions): washing combines

- Great for students!
- Work from Early July to late August
- Work with your friends
- Fields located in Taber/Barnwell area
- Training provided
- 12 hour shifts
- Must have valid driver's license and steel toed footwear



Please bring your resume to our
Field Shop: 5802 - 52 Avenue Taber and leave in the black mailbox

or email: doug.gurney@bonduelle.com

Please indicate desired position on application

Any questions call: 403-635-0541



June

2021

SUN	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	SAT
		1	2 Winning Wednesday Concert Shirt Day! 	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 Winning Wednesday Dad Day! 	10	11 ALL Library Books DUE!	12
13	14 PowerSchool Portal Closed	15	16 Winning Wednesday PRIDE Day! 	17 Last Day of Regular Classes	18 Social Studies 20-1 & 30-1 Final Exams @ 9am	19
20	21 National Indigenous People's Day	22 Biology 30 Final Exam @ 9am	23	24	25 GRAD PowerSchool Portal Open	26
27	28	29	30			

Coming up:

Wednesday, August 25: GRADE 9 Registration Day

Thursday, August 26: GRADE 10 - 12 Registration Day

Wednesday September 1st - FIRST DAY OF CLASSES for 2021/22 School Year

Friday, September 10th - PICTURE DAY

HAVE AN AMAZING SUMMER, EVERYONE!