



NEWSLETTER

June 2018

June already! How this year has flown by! It has been a fantastic year with 30 new students joining our Maverick family. Our coffeehouse fundraiser provided the highest revenue to date with \$24, 600 being raised. On Thursday we celebrate 25 graduates as they complete their grade 12 requirements and go off into the world to create their futures! *Congratulations!*



The Class of 2018



Jaden Bakken
Kelly Campbell
Aaron Dorazio
Matthew Fehr
Lanessa Grant
Kane Holt
Taylor Kequahtoway
Kassidy Kotyk
Alexander Lindquist
Kade Neufeld
Rachel Stevenson
Alexandria Volk

Tyrell Beverly-Collins
Kathryn Desautels
Madeliene Farrow
Dylan Gaylor
Kirsten Hessie
Catrina Kearney
Melina Klein
Ethan LaRochelle
Cera Myhr
Jeremy Pearson
Patrick Thiessen
Lyndon Wall

Rene Wellsch

I want to thank each of you for the support you have given us in working with your children. They are phenomenal young men and women that teach us something new every day. They also give us many reasons to celebrate!

Course End Dates

Students have until Monday, June 18th to submit course work to the Chinook Cyber School. Courses will be closed as of June 19th; therefore, it is imperative that students have all assignments submitted for marking by the 18th. This course closing date is slightly earlier than other years to allow Cyber School teachers time to complete marking, determine final grades and prepare for changes next year. Please note that Math 30 Foundations students have the option of coming in on Wednesday and Thursday (20th & 21st) to prepare for their final examination on Friday, June 22nd at 9:15 am.

Changes for Next Year

Cyber School is experiencing major changes for the fall with courses being moved to a new server and a reduction in staff members. These reductions are part of a much larger plan to balance the division's budget for the 2018 – 2019 school year. As part of this larger plan Maverick is also experiencing change. Next year Maverick teaching staff will be taking over responsibility for delivering the majority of the Cyber School courses that we currently access. As a result teacher workloads will be impacted and some preparation time for teachers to fulfill their new role will be required.

We will remain optimistic as we adjust to this new reality, but we must also be realistic as relates to the goals of Maverick and time constraints. For this reason, it is imperative that student numbers be reduced. Our current enrollment of 90 students will not allow us to fulfill our new duties as well as provide the one-on-one supports that are core to the success of the school. It is fortunate that we have a large graduating class this year! Our current students will remain on our enrollment; however, a limited number of new referrals will be taken for the 2018-2019 school year. Once we have adjusted to this new reality, we will reassess and determine a suitable enrollment for our school.

Important Dates & Coming Events

June 14th – Graduation celebration

June 18th – Last day to submit course work to Chinook Cyber School
Last day of classes for students

June 19th – School closed for staff training related to takeover of Cyber School courses

June 20th – ELA A30 students challenge examination preparation 10:00 to 2:45

June 21st – As above challenge examination preparation

June 22nd – Math 30 Foundations final examination at 9:15 a.m. sharp

June 25th – ELA A30 Departmental Challenge Examination at 9:00 a.m. sharp

June 28th – Admin day for all staff

June 29th – Admin day for teaching staff

June 30th – Summer holidays begin

Important Dates for Fall

August

28th – School Administration Day

29th – School Administration Day

30th – Chinook Professional Development Day

31st – School PLC Day

September

3rd – Labor Day Holiday

4th – Students return to school for Belief Statement creation

5th – Students return for policy review noon dismissal

6th – Students begin course work

Have a fantastic summer!
See you in the fall!



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