

# Newsletter

April 17, 2025



## FROM THE GUS WETTER OFFICE

A big thank you to our families, students and high school student council volunteers that came out to support our Book Fair and Family Dance this month. This was a great evening of coming together and enjoying family and friends. Your support made the evening extra special. We are looking forward to more exciting activities ahead.

### THANK YOU CIRCLE SQUARE RANCH

For your support of our hot lunch program! Your generosity and dedication to Gus Wetter School is truly appreciated.

### THANK YOU FRIENDS OF GUS WETTER

For the opportunity for Gus Wetter students to take part in the Birdsmart Education Program from Beaverhill Bird Observatory's. This was a great opportunity for the entire school!

## UP COMING EVENTS

- **Apr 18 - Holiday - Good Friday**
- **Apr 21 - Holiday - Easter Monday**
- **Apr 22 - PD DAY**
- **Apr 24 - Hot Lunch**
- **April 25 - Popcorn sales Gr. 10 & 11**
- **Apr 29 - Parent Council & Trustee Community Engagement Meeting**
- **May 1 - Gr. 6 Immunizations**
- **May 2 - Popcorn sales Gr. 12**

## BUS ZONE ONLY

Please be courteous of our bus drivers when dropping/picking up your children. Use designated areas for this as the buses need to park in the bus parking to load and unload our students safely.

## REMINDER

Have your child sign in at the office if they are late and contact the office. This will eliminate attendance notifications being sent home.

## Hot Lunch News

Hot Lunch is hugely popular and we couldn't do it without parent volunteers. Thank you for all of your hard work in making elementary field trips possible!

April/May Hot Lunches include:

April 24 - Taco Salad

May 8 - Subway

Login into Schoolcash online to purchase.

## Parent Council

Everyone welcome!

April 29th @ 7:00 pm.

Clearview Board of Trustees Community Engagement to follow. Board Chair Neitz, Superintendent Leys, and Trustee Grice will be at GWS to hear from parents.

Bring your ideas and let's work together for the kids and our school!

## Attention Graduates

Grad meeting Tuesday, May 13th at lunch in Mrs. Weber's classroom. Many great things to discuss.

## Yearbook Club

Yearbook meeting Apr 15th in the Library. Staff, students and parents - please send any yearbook worthy photos to anyone in the committee. We are always looking for more photos of our sports teams and events.

## RAYEC

10 - 16  
AUGUST, 2025

EAGLES NEST RANCH, AB



### APPLY TODAY!

RAYEC is a week-long camp for youth ages 13-18, focused on business and entrepreneurship. Campers learn essential skills like marketing, creating a business plan, and managing finances while running their own businesses with real money. The camp wraps up with "Business Day" where campers operate their fully functional businesses, selling to friends, family and camp visitors! Fun recreational activities are also part of the experience!

QUESTIONS? [RAYEC@ROTARY5360.CA](mailto:RAYEC@ROTARY5360.CA)

  [ROTARYAYEC](https://www.instagram.com/rotaryayec)



 



## Friends of Gus Wetter

Friends of Gus Wetter Society was Founded in 1998 by parents and alumni, the Friends of Gus Wetter Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to enhancing the education experience at Gus Wetter School. Over the years, we have raised money for school improvements, funding items like computers, smartboards, projectors, sound systems, science lab equipment, sports and playground equipment, Ipads, Makerspace items, brought in Theater and Dance groups and also sent kids to attend Live Theater.

If you are interested in joining please contact  
Ashley Duncan at [aduncan@clearview.ab.ca](mailto:aduncan@clearview.ab.ca)



Friends of Gus Wetter are working the Casino in Red Deer, June 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>.  
If you are able to help out, please **call or text Tina Hronek 780-221-4645**



# ATHLETICS



## News from Mr. Sherman

### Badminton

Jr. High badminton: GWS & Theresetta April 23  
 Jr. High badminton: CARA Stettler April 30  
 Sr. High Badminton: Provincials in Red Deer May 2

Badminton fees are due, login to schoolcash online to purchase

## Archery News

What's up for the rest of the archery season! 🏹

Mon. March 31 - Practice 5:00  
 Thur. April 3 - Hanna Tourney  
 Fri. April 4 - Hanna Tourney  
 Mon. April 7 - Practice 5:00  
 Thurs. April 10 - Practice 5:30  
 Fri. April 11/ Sat. April 12  
 Smoky Lake Tourney  
 Mon. April 14 - Practice 5:00  
 Thurs. April 18 - Practice?  
 Mon. April 21 - No Practice  
 Thurs. April 24 - Practice 5:30  
 Mon. April 28 - Practice 5:00  
 Thurs. May 1 - Practice 5:30  
 Mon. May 5 - Practice 5:00  
 Thurs. May 8 - National Championships  
 Mon. May 12 - Wind up Pizza Party and shoot with parents @ 5:30. 🍕❤️



# AROUND THE COMMUNITY

**CASTOR & DISTRICT FCSS EASTER EGG HUNT**

Collect eggs and trade for treats, decorate a cupcake and make a craft

**APRIL 19**  
9:30 - 11 AM

Castor Museum, Grande (weather permitting) or also at the FCSS Building (4903-53)

**You Are Invited to Meet Your Neighbour & Volunteer Appreciation**

Thursday April 24, 5:30- 7 pm  
the G.C./ FCSS Building  
4903-51 st Castor

Everyone is invited for burgers & hot dogs, ice breakers and an opportunity to meet others

contact 403-882-2115 for more information  
Thank you to the Castor Elks for helping out with this evening

**RED CROSS Babysitting Course**

**Castor & District FCSS is offering the Red Cross Babysitting Workshop**

Tara Jenkins will be teaching Sunday May 25th, 8am- 5pm at the Golden Circle Building

Youth need to be 11 years old or have completed grade 5.

Please register with Mandy 403-882-2115 or at the FCSS office by May 1. To be registered you must also be paid. Your cost \$40/child

Bring a lunch & drink

**CASTOR IN-PERSON COUNSELLORS**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>AMS Addictions &amp; Mental Health</b> Gillian Morrison Every Other Monday Child & Adolescent Counsellor • 1.888.594.0231	<b>AMS Addictions &amp; Mental Health</b> Gillian Morrison Every Other Tuesday Child & Adolescent Counsellor • 1.888.594.0231	<b>Anchor Psychology Family Vics</b> All Ages, Individual, Couple, Families • 403.264.0904 • anchorpsychology.ca • Every second Wednesday • Subject available for eligible clients	<b>Transitional Psychotherapy Justice Horsey</b> All Ages, Individual, Couple, Families • 780.475.7942 • justicehorsey.ca • 403.264.0904 • Subject to health insurance	<b>AMS Addictions &amp; Mental Health</b> Gillian Morrison Every Other Friday Child & Adolescent Counsellor • 1.888.594.0231

Emergency 911  
 Accessibility: 1.800.268.0848 / Text 468888

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 While we do our very best to be current, dates and times are subject to change. For the most up to date information, please contact the information provided for most up to date information.

**AFTERSCHOOL EMPOWERMENT**

The program is designed for children ages 5-11 and is geared to provide a safe and supportive environment for children to develop skills and engage in fun, empowering activities.

**Mondays**  
3:00pm - 4:00pm  
School Library

REGISTER:  
Tara Jenkins  
Amy Robinson  
403.450.9348

**Castor Fire Hall Tour**

Come for a tour of the Castor fire hall and story time. Every family takes home a copy of the Fire Station by Robert Munsch. Fun for families of all ages!

**Sat. May 10th @ 10:30am**  
Call/Text Con to register 367-986-7906

**CASTOR PROGRAMS**

**Tiny Chefs @ Castor Community Hall**  
Thur. April 17 @ 10:00am - 11:30pm 11-12yrs  
Come make a kid friendly brunch together

**Babies on Board @ Community Hall**  
April 17 @ 12pm expecting moms & 0-6m infants  
Join us for some peer support, connections, education, & more. Lunch is provided!

Coming up next month...  
**Take a Trip for Families @ Castor Fire Hall**  
Sat May 10 @ 10:30 am

**Mother's Day Tea @ Castor Community Hall**  
Sat May 10 @ 1:00 pm

**PD day Fun day @ Castor Library**  
Fri. May 16 @ 2:30pm 13yrs and under  
Games, crafts and snacks

For more details contact Coni (887) 986-7906