



## National Sport School

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### Grad Meeting

Grad meeting next Wednesday March 8 at 11:15 sharp in Biegler's room. We will be deciding the menu. So be sure to attend if you want your vote to count.

### NSS Sport Concussion Presentation

At our next National Sport School Parent Council meeting on Tuesday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM at Canada's Sports Hall of Fame, we have the great opportunity to have Dr. Benson join us to speak with parents, coaches and student-athletes about the latest research and information in the area of sport concussion. He will also introduce the world class high performance sport concussion program that is right here at WinSport. Dr. Brian Benson has a clinical consulting practice in Sport Medicine at the WinSport Medicine Clinic with a special interest in acute sport concussion. He is the Chief Medical Officer and Director of Sport Medicine at the Canadian Sport Institute Calgary. Many of our student-athletes participate in sports where concussions are a common injury and can be difficult for both athlete and parent to manage. This session will be valuable in understanding concussion and the challenges that athletes, coaches and parents may face. Feel free to bring your student-athlete and coach along to the session.

Please RSVP to [tjbrodgin@cbe.ab.ca](mailto:tjbrodgin@cbe.ab.ca)

### Scholarships

Every year many scholarships expire, unclaimed. There are many scholarship opportunities available to Alberta students that many of you may never have thought of. Please visit the Alberta Government website provided below for information about scholarships as well as lists of those available to Alberta students.

<http://alis.alberta.ca/ps/fo/pay/scholarships.html>

### Grade 12 Grads

Would all Grade 12 Grads please submit the following photos to Mackenzie Beeman at [mackenziebeeman@gmail.com](mailto:mackenziebeeman@gmail.com)

1. Baby Photo
2. Sport Photo
3. Photo of your choice

Mackenzie is making a short video for the grad ceremony.

### Important Dates

**March 7** – Sport Concussion Presentation

**March 21** – Report Cards

**March 16** – Online Registration begins at 4:00 p.m. for Parent/Teacher Conferences

**March 23** – Parent/Teacher Conferences – 11am-7pm-  
**NO CLASSES**

**March 24** – Non-Instructional Day – **NO CLASSES**

**March 27-April 2** – Spring Break

**April 3** – Classes Resume

### Upcoming Meetings

#### Grad Meeting

Wednesday, March 8 in Ms. Biegler's room at lunch

#### Leadership Meeting

Tuesdays at lunch in room 119.

#### Yearbook Meeting

Wednesdays at lunch in room 119.

## Here is My Canada Contest

Here is My Canada Contest is for Grades 9 to 12 students.

Here's My Canada is a 150 Initiative with a nationwide contest. Enter a 30 second video that supports Diversity, Language, Nature and Environment, Culture or History. (Note: First prize is— \$5,000 gift card gift card to the winner's choice of the following: Cineplex, Best Buy, Indigo, Air Canada or Via Rail. See website or Mrs. Topp for more details)

Visit [www.heresmycanada.ca](http://www.heresmycanada.ca) for more information.

## Calgary Booster Club

The Calgary Booster Club is a long-time supporter of athletes and their development in the City of Calgary. They have just begun a new initiative for young and upcoming athletes, the Bob Freeze Sport Grants. This new sort grant is targeted for the young athlete with a top end age of 16 years. This is for athletes with high goals who are enrolled in programs that have a Provincial and Canadian Championship format.

Please visit their website at [calgaryboosterclub.com](http://calgaryboosterclub.com) for more information.

## Explore IT 2017: An ICT Conference for Grade 9 Girls

The 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Science, Technology, Engineering and Math Conference for Grade 9 Girls will be held on Wednesday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Grade 9 girls are invited to participate and see firsthand how technology is changing and influencing the way we live. This is an incredible opportunity, so if you are a female NSS student in grade9 and are interested please see Ms. Boughton ASAP as space is limited.

## Freedom to Read Week

What do *Lord of the Flies*, *Harry Potter*, *Animal Farm*, *The Catcher in the Rye*, *The Great Gatsby* and *Where the Wild Things Are* all have in common? They have all been banned or censored in schools across Canada and the United States in your lifetimes. Freedom to read can never be taken for granted. In celebration of our rights of freedom of expression, and to raise awareness of threats of censorship that exist in Canada and abroad, please take some time to peruse the bulletin board in the student gathering area above the printer.

## Grad Photos

Book your appointment for grad photos today. Please visit

[www.lifetouch.ca/southernalberta](http://www.lifetouch.ca/southernalberta)

Pictures will be on April 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> at NSS. **Please book your appointment as soon as possible.**

Guys: Wear a dress shirt and tie for the formal portion of your sitting

Girls: Wear a V-neck or scoop neck top for the formal portion of your sitting

If you have any questions regarding your portrait sitting, please contact the LifeTouch local office:

403-255-5440

Email: [qwterritory@lifetouch.ca](mailto:qwterritory@lifetouch.ca)

Toll Free: 1-866-948-1005

# KidSport Charity

Humanities 10 Social Action Project is accepting donations:

- Used equipment (Drop-off in Student Area)
- Monetary (GoFundMe “Kidsport Charity Calgary” by Shawn Fair):

<https://www.gofundme.com/kidsport?ssid=919812696&pos=4>

Thank you!



*The Average cost for a kid to participate in sport*

*\$50 - a child can learn to swim*

*\$90 - a child can learn to skate*

*\$125 - a child can participate in soccer*

*\$175 - a child can participate in gymnastics or football*

*\$500+ - a child can join hockey/ringette*

**Your chance to let a kid enjoy sport!**



*Kidsport Canada Charity*

*Address : 2424 4 St SW, Calgary, AB T2S 2T4*

*Phone: (403) 202-0251*

*Email: calgary@kidsport.ab.ca*

*www.KidSportCanada.ca*

**So ALL Kids Can Play!**



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*KidSport Canada Charity*

## How To Get Involved:

- Donate to our GoFundMe page located here – [GoFundMe.com/KidSport](https://www.gofundme.com/KidSport)
- Bring your old equipment to the National Sport School equipment drop Located at Canada Olympic Park



Every donation counts and will help make a difference in the 1-in-3 children's lives who cannot participate in organized sport due to financial barriers.

Since its creation in 1993, over 530,000 kids across the country have been given the chance to play sport through KidSport grants and sport introduction programming.



We believe that no kid should be left on the sidelines and all should be given the opportunity to experience the positive benefits of organized sports. KidSport provides support to children in order to remove financial barriers that prevent them from playing organized sport.

## Benefits to the Community:

- Become physically active
- Improve their self-esteem and self-confidence
- Learn life-long skills
- Improve their academic performance
- Make new friends



KidSport believes in the values and benefits of kids playing organized sport and we know that sport will provide them with the opportunity to grow and improve.



**To book your graduation portrait sitting:**

- 1) Visit our graduation webpage at [www.lifetouch.ca/southernalberta](http://www.lifetouch.ca/southernalberta)
- 2) Select your school to be directed to the online booking site
- 3) Follow the instructions to complete your appointment booking
- 4) You will receive a confirmation email once your booking is completed



**To prepare for your sitting:**

- 1) Visit our graduation webpage at [www.lifetouch.ca/southernalberta](http://www.lifetouch.ca/southernalberta)
- 2) Review valuable information regarding your portrait sitting
- 3) View samples and video to gain ideas on personalizing your sitting
- 4) Complete the consultation card provided and bring to your sitting
- 5) Your \$40 sitting fee is payable by cash, cheque, debit or credit at the time of your sitting.

**If you have any questions call our office at 403-255-5440**

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## Accomplishments 2016-17

Name	Sport	Competition	Accomplishment
<b>Carolyn Maxwell</b>	Luge	Junior World Cup Winterberg, Germany	7 <sup>th</sup> Place – Youth A Women 2 <sup>nd</sup> Place – Overall in 2016-17 Junior World Cup Luge Points Standings for the season.
<b>Malcolm Klager</b>	Luge	Junior World Cup Winterberg, Germany	5 <sup>th</sup> Place - Youth A Men
<b>Cole Zajanski</b>	Luge	Junior World Cup Winterberg, Germany	13 <sup>th</sup> Place- Youth A Men
<b>Makena Hodgson</b>	Luge	Junior World Cup Winterberg, Germany	8 <sup>th</sup> Place – Youth A Women
<b>Sam Judson</b>	Luge	Junior World Cup Winterberg, Germany	Bronze – Youth A Women
<b>Kyla Graham</b>	Luge	Junior World Cup Winterberg, Germany	12 <sup>th</sup> Place – Junior Women
<b>Ashley McCool (17)</b>	Diving	2017 Winter Senior National Championships (All Ages)  2017 Alberta Winter Provincials (15-18)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place – Women’s 3Meter 8 <sup>th</sup> Place – Women’s 1Meter 6 <sup>th</sup> Place – Women’s Platform  1 <sup>st</sup> Place – Women’s Group A 1Meter Finals 2 <sup>nd</sup> Place – Women’s Group A 3Meter Finals 1 <sup>st</sup> Place – Women’s Group A Platform 1 <sup>st</sup> Place – Women’s Open 1Meter Finals 1 <sup>st</sup> Place – Women’s Open 3Meter Finals 1 <sup>st</sup> Place – Women’s Open Platform
<b>Danny Profitt</b>	Alpine Skiing	U16 National Championships, Thunder Bay, ON	4 <sup>th</sup> Place – Super G
<b>Henry Culver</b>	Alpine Skiing	U16 National Championships, Thunder Bay, ON	12 <sup>th</sup> Place – Super G 16 <sup>th</sup> Place – Alpine Combined
<b>Lisa Cozma</b>	Track and Field	Track and Field Alberta Indoor Games  Provincial Relays Championship	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place – 60m hurdles for U18 Women  3 <sup>rd</sup> Place Bronze – 4X200m relay U20 Women
<b>Cory Rogans</b>	Biathlon	Senior Boys Category Alberta Championships,	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place – Mass Start 6.25km

		Feb 25	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place – 6km Sprint
		Western Canadian Championships	Silver Medal – Mass Start 6.25km- Senior Boys Silver Medal – 6km Sprint
<b>Santiago Osuna</b>	Karate	Karate Nationals	Silver – Qualified for the National Para-Karate team

Please submit your accomplishments to [tjbrodbin@cbe.ab.ca](mailto:tjbrodbin@cbe.ab.ca) / [dsahfat@cbe.ab.ca](mailto:dsahfat@cbe.ab.ca) or to your Teacher Advisor.





June 2017 Final Examinations

Monday, June 12		Tuesday June 13	Wednesday, June 14	Thursday, June 15		Friday, June 16
				ELA 30-1 Part A ELA 30-2 Part A 9:00 – 12:00  Room 114		Social 30-1 Part A 9:00-12:00 Social 30-2 Part A 9:00 –11:30 Room 114
Monday, June 19		Tuesday, June 20	Wednesday, June 21	Thursday, June 22		Friday, June 23
Last Day of Classes 10-12		Math 10 C 8:30-11:00 Rm 120 Math 20-1 Math 20-2 8:30-11:00 Rm 117 Math 31 9:00-12:00 Room 107	Science 10 Room 122 (Finlay) Room 120 (Howell)  Last Day of Classes Grade 9	ELA 30-1 Part B ELA 30-2 Part B 9:00 –12:00 Room 117	Social PAT 9:00-10:20 Room 120  Room 107	Social 30-1 Social 30-2 Part B 9:00 - 11 :30 Room 117
		Tutorials 11:45-2:30	Tutorials 11:45-2:30	Eng 20 9 :00-12 :00 McGregor  Room 113	Social 20 Part A 8:30 –10:30 Room 114	Social 20 Part B 11:30-1:30 Room114
Monday, June 26		Tuesday, June 27	Wednesday, June 28	Thursday, June 29	Friday, June 30	
Math 30-1 9:00 –12:00 Rm117 Math 30-2 9:00 –12:00 Room 118	Math PAT 9:00-10:30  Room 120 Room 107	Chem 30  9:00 –12:00  Room 117	Bio 30  9:00 –12:00 Room 117	Physics 30  9 :00 –12 :00  Room 117	School Closing Ceremony Grade 12's	