



## National Sport School

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## Bulletin #2 Sept 10, 2024

**Important Dates:** 

Sept 10: XC run meeting at Lunch in Room 121
Sept 11: Leadership meeting at lunch in Room 120
Sept 11: Golf meeting room 406 at lunch
Sept 17: Terry Fox Run & BBQ
Sept 25: Jersey Day
Sept 26: Meet the Teacher 6:30PM
Sept 27: Division - Wide PD Day

**Attendance:** Please report absences using any of the following methods:

- via the EDSBY app (see note below regarding Edsby link)
- 2. <u>nss\_attendance@pallisersd.ab.ca</u>
- 3. 403-777-7329 (main office)
- Students that will be away for more than 3 school days will need to complete a Travel Form. Forms are also available at the front desk (or your TA teacher can email one to you).

**Edsby Link:** If you have not received an invite for Edsby please email the main office for support. Please check your junk mail! <u>nss\_main\_office@pallisersd.ab.ca</u>

**Sign In/Out Sheets:** If you are leaving early or arriving late please make sure to use the SIGN IN/OUT sheets at the front office. If you do not, you will be marked absent!!

**Pick up/Drop off Location:** WinSport has asked that parents please use the LOOP in front of the Markin MacPhail Centre for student drop off and pick up.

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**Elevator:** Students <u>may not</u> use the elevator to access the 4th floor unless approved.

**Driving and Parking:** Please adhere to the speed limits in the WinSport parking area and surrounding zones.

Student parking is located to the south of the Canada Hall of Fame. You can also use the gravel lot to the West.

Please note that parking in the

2-hour designated spots are not permitted. Thank you for your cooperation.

**Locker information:** Lockers will be distributed **Tuesday, September 10**. Please see the main office for locker assignment during your free time. Grade 10-12 lockers are located on the main floor. Grade 8-9 are located on the 4th floor. You will need to buddy up.

**New/Returning Staff:** Please welcome the following staff for the 2024/2025 school year:

- Mr. Brendan Makay joins us, teaching English and Social Studies
- Ms. Madison Cook joins us, teaching Mathematics
- Mr. Brzezinski has returned but joins the Athletic Development team
- Ms. Spencer has returned, teaching Mathematics & Science
- Ms. Forsyth has returned, teaching Science
- Ms. Blake has returned, teaching Sports Medicine





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**Lifetouch:** School pictures are ready! To order, log in to your account on mylifetouch.ca or create an account using your student's school ID number.

All families can also log on and order a FREE digital Pictures Protect Card. More about the Pictures2 Protect program here.

University Fair: Grade 11s and 12s, we have been invited to attend a University Fair at Master's College. There will be representatives from most of the Colleges and Universities in Alberta. It is from 9:30-11:00 am on October 31st. Please RSVP to Ms. Kilbreath.

**SchoolCash Information:** SchoolCash is a software system we use for *online payments* for extracurricular activities, field trips, etc. Please register or sign in by clicking <u>here</u>. If you prefer, you can also pay by cash or cheque in the office.

Please reach out to Rebecca at <u>rebecca.biever@pallisersd.ab.ca</u> if you have any questions.

**Garden Cafe:** The Garden Cafe will be running weekly specials for students. Stay tuned for more details. Please be reminded that students are to use the bench tables down the hall to eat their lunch. Show your studentID to receive your discount.

**Cross Country:** First meeting for Cross Country **Tuesday, September 10** at lunch in room **121**.

Leadership Meeting: First Leadership meeting is being held at lunch in room 120 on Wednesday, September 11. All students are welcome to attend.

**Performance Training Centre:** Students receive access to the Performance Training Centre (PTC) at WinSport. Please complete this <u>waiver</u>. Once students have their waiver completed online they can visit the Guest Services desk in the Markin MacPhail Centre to obtain their membership card. Students will be required to show their StudentID cards or a current timetable on their Edsby App to prove enrollment.

**Yearbooks:** Yearbooks have been distributed to your TA groups and you can pick them up today. If you missed picking them up on September 10th, please pick it up from the main office. If you did not order a yearbook and would like one, please visit the main office. We have a few extra copies available, they are \$35.

Terry Fox Run & BBQ: Tuesday, September 17. Bring a toonie (or more to donate). Period 1: 8:30-9:50 Period 2: 9:52-11:12 Terry Fox Run/TA: 11:12-11:45 BBQ Lunch: 11:45-12:15 Period 3: 12:15-1:35 Period 4: 1:40-3:00

**Calling All Golfers:** Any golfers interested in playing for the NSS golf team, please meet with Mr. Pentney in **room 406** on **Wednesday, September 11** at lunch.





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Jersey Day: Wear a jersey of your favourite sports team on Wednesday, September 25!

Medical Hall of Fame: Any students wishing to attend the Medical Hall of Fame on Wednesday, October 23, please see Ms. Biegler ASAP. This is a full day where students participate in workshops, lectures and panel discussions regarding careers in the medical sciences. First 3-5 students with forms submitted can attend.

**NSS Remembrance Day Ceremonies:** 

Needed: Four Grade 12 Volunteers

What is Involved: Planning, practicing and executing the Remembrance Day Ceremonies.

Not only will you be providing a valuable service to the school but you will also earn credit towards your English 30 course. Semester 2, English 30 students are welcome to participate. Please see **Mr. Zado** for more information.

**French Challenge Information:** More information will be coming shortly.

**Tutorial Times:** Looking for extra support?? Please see teacher availability at the times listed below.

Upcoming CIHA games: Come support your fellow classmates/students this weekend! Saturday September 14

- CIHA U15 vs Edge 1:30 pm @ WinSport
- CIHA U17 vs Prairie Hockey Academy 10:15am @ WinSport

**School Clothes Blowout Sale:** Show your school spirit. Get your **NSS swag** at blowout prices!! Please see the office for sizes. <u>Cash only!!</u>

- Gym strip \$10.00
- Sweater \$25.00
- Jacket \$25.00



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**Student Success:** Noah G. achieved 1st place at the Canadian Wakesurf Nationals over the weekend. Congratulations, Noah!



Lost and Found: If you recognize any Lost and Found items, please pick them up in the main office. Items will be donated at the end Friday, September 13.



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## **Tutorial Times at NSS ~ Semester 1**

Morning - 8:00 to 8:30 A.M. After School - 3:00 to 3:30 P.M.

Teacher	Time #1	Time #2
Anderson	Tuesday at lunch	Wednesday after school
Bamford	Wednesday morning	Thursday after school
Beaudin	Tuesday at lunch	Wednesday after school
Biegler	Tuesday after school	Thursday after school
Blake	Monday after school	Wednesday at lunch
Boughton	Tuesday at lunch	Wednesday after school
Brzezinski	Tuesday after school	Thursday after school
Burkart	Tuesday after school	Thursday after school
Cook	Wednesday after school	Thursday after school
Forsyth	Monday Lunch	Wednesday after school
Howell	Monday lunch	Wednesday after school
Kehler	Monday at lunch	Thursday before school
Makay	Wednesday at Lunch	Thursday before school
Pentney	Tuesday at Lunch	Wednesday after school
Pratt	Tuesday at lunch	Thursday after school
Robichaud	Monday after school	Thursday before school
Sceviour	Monday at lunch	Wednesday after school
Sharda	Tuesday at Lunch	Thursday after School
Spencer	Monday at lunch	Tuesday after school
Tarney	Monday from 3-4pm	Tuesday from 3-4pm
Taven	Thursday at lunch	N.A.
Thomson	Thursday at lunch	Tuesday after school
Zado	Tuesday after school	Thursday after school

