

<u>Monday Oct 7<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>Tuesday Oct 8<sup>th</sup></u>	Wednesday Oct 9 <sup>th</sup>	<u>Thursday Oct 10<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>Friday Oct 11<sup>th</sup></u>
		School ends at 2:00 p.m.		Students are dismissed at 11:30 a.m.
		X-Country Zone Championships (Med Hat)		Friday 2 Option
<u>Monday Oct 14<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>Tuesday Oct 15<sup>th</sup></u>	Wednesday Oct 16 <sup>th</sup>	<u>Thursday Oct 17<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>Friday Oct 18<sup>th</sup></u>
Thanksgiving – No School		School ends at 2:00 p.m. Middle School Indigenous Bingo @SJF	School Council 6:30 pm	Students are dismissed at 11:30 a.m. Friday 1 Option

## **Attendance Matters!**

Data will show COVID had a negative impact on attendance across the country. It's an unfortunate legacy from the pandemic that will hopefully improve with time. Click <u>here</u> to view a 2024 CBC article discussing the issue.



#### Communicating with our Office Staff

I hope this message finds you well. I want to take a moment to remind everyone of the importance of treating our office staff with respect and kindness. They work tirelessly to support our students and families, and a positive, respectful environment benefits us all.

Thank you for your understanding and support! Mr. Dersch



#### PowerCard Fundraiser Thank You!!

The 2024/25 GS Lakie Powercard fundraiser was a huge success! Money raised from this year's fundraiser will go towards the new laptop cart of 33 laptops that we purchased in the summer to support learning in our classrooms. On behalf of all our staff, we want to thank all families and students for all of their fundraising efforts this year. The money we raise goes directly to helping improve student learning experiences and we appreciate all the contributions. With the amazing support of our GS Lakie community, we will continue to find ways to engage our students. THANK YOU!

#### Picture Retake Day

Students that either missed picture day in September or would like to have them redone can do so on October 22nd. Only students requiring them will have their pictures taken.

#### Parent Teacher Interviews

In-person interviews will take place October 24<sup>th</sup> (12:30-8:00 p.m.) and 25<sup>th</sup> (8:00-11:30 a.m.). You will need to book your interviews in advance on our G.S. Lakie website under the "<u>Bookings</u>" tab. The bookings tab will open October 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. and close at 2:00 p.m. October 23<sup>rd</sup>.

#### Middle School Indigenous Family Bingo

Lethbridge School Division's Indigenous Education Department is once again hosting a family bingo for all Indigenous middle school families. This will be held from 6:00-7:00 pm on October 17<sup>th</sup> at Senator Joyce Fairbairn Middle School. There will be lots of great prizes there as well as much fun to be had!

#### Angel Tree 2024

Registration has opened for families in need of support during the holiday season. You can register for Angel Tree 2024 at using the QR code found below. The deadline to register is November 18<sup>th</sup>.

#### Lakie Online Clothing Store

We have partnered with Custom Clothing to open an online clothing store that is now active. There are many options with most items available in multiple colors. You can choose to pick your order up at the store, have it delivered to the school or have it delivered to you at home! Since all orders are custom, no refunds will be given. Go to Online Store | Custom Clothing <u>www.customclothingstore.ca</u> to submit your order today! The store will be open for the foreseeable future with no hard-closing date at the current time.

#### LSD Multi-Cultural & Diversity Newsletter – September

You can find the September edition of the LSD Multi-Cultural & Diversity Newsletter here.

#### **Division Indigenous Education Newsletter – October**

You can find the October edition of the LSD Indigenous Education Newsletter here.

#### Division Digital Wellness Newsletter – September

You can find the September edition of the LSD Wellness Newsletter here.

#### Follow Us !!!

As always, feel free to follow us on Social Media. If you want to see all of the great things that we are doing at Lakie, check us out on one of our Social Media Platforms:



# School & Community Informational Flyers

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Interviews

**OCTOBER 24 & 25** 

BOOK YOUR

INTERVIEWS UNDER THE

"BOOKINGS" TAB ON

OUR G.S. LAKIE WEBSITE

STARTING OCTOBER 11TH

AT 9:00 A.M.

#### **MIDDLE SCHOOL INDIGENOUS BINGO**

Indigenous families and students of Wilson, Gilbert Paterson, G.S Lakie, and Senator Joyce

> Fairbairn YOU ARE INVITED!

### FREE DINNER AND REFRESHMENTS! 5:30-6:00Pm

October 16th. 2024 6:00-7:00pm Senator Joyce Fairbairn 301 Rocky Mountain Blvd T1K 6S4

WIN 1 OF 4 GIFT BASKETS

# Free Tutor Program

Would you like help in your school studies? The YMCA of Lethbridge is hosting a FREE tutor program for all subjects open to both high school and middle school students. The program will be held in the Upper Galleria at the Cor Van Raay YMCA.

Our tutor programs will be running Monday-Thursday from 4:30pm-7:00pm.

No membership required!

For any questions, reach out to Arnaud at: arnaud.sparks@lethbridgeymca.ca

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Lethbridge



PLEASE VISIT WWW.LFSFAMILY.CA/REGISTER FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CHRISTMAS

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REGISTRATION CLOSES NOVEMBER 18, 2024



# Food Order Menu

## <u>Click here to order</u>

