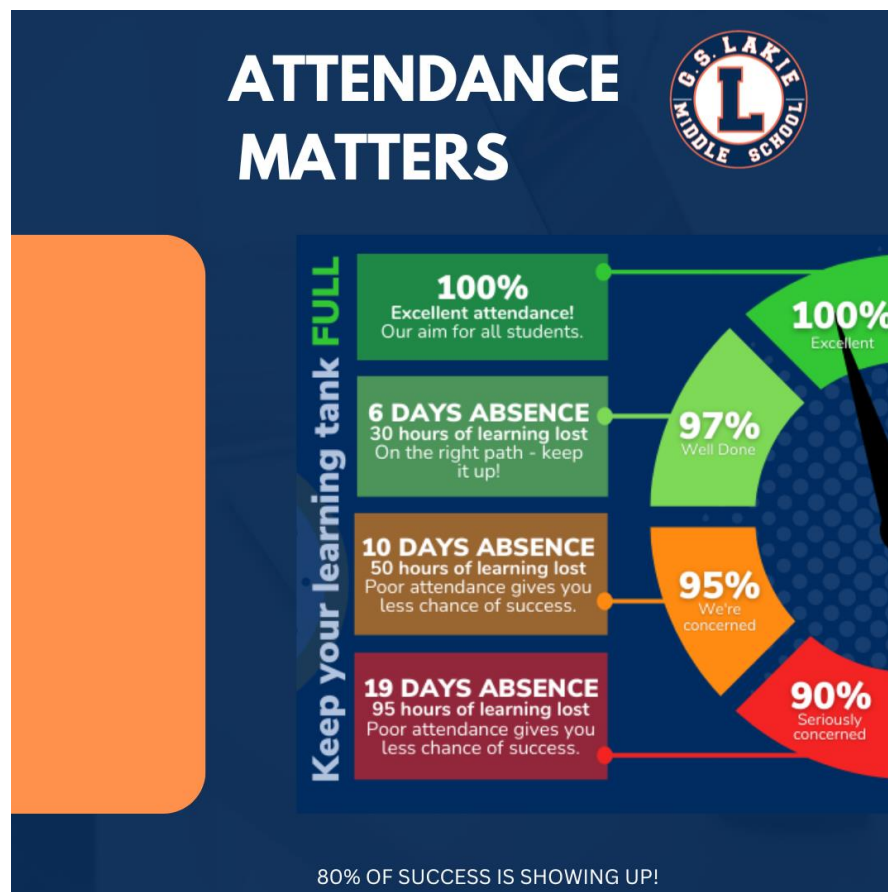




<u>Monday May 5th</u> Missing & Murdered Indigenous Women & Children's Day Spirit Week-PJ Day	<u>Tuesday May 6th</u> Band Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser 5:00-8:00pm Spirit Week-Crazy Sock, Shoe or Sandal Day	<u>Wednesday May 7th</u> School ends at 2:00 p.m. Middle School Spirit Week-Twin Day	<u>Thursday May 8th</u> Fire Drill 10:45 am Spirit Week- Staff/Student Swap Day	<u>Friday May 9th</u> Students are dismissed at 11:30 a.m. Friday 1 Option Spirit Week-Lucky Ducky Beach Day
<u>Monday May 12th</u> Spanish 7 – Fiesta Dia de la Madre 10 :30am	<u>Tuesday May 13th</u> Lakie Track Meet @ UofL Stadium	<u>Wednesday May 14th</u> School ends at 2:00 p.m.	<u>Thursday May 15th</u> School Council 6:30pm	<u>Friday May 16th</u> Students are dismissed at 11:30 a.m. Friday 2 Option

Attendance Matters!



Spirit Week at Lakie

Our Lakie Student Leadership group has planned a fun Spirit Week May 5-9th. Each day will have a theme to which prizes will be awarded. It's a great way to ring in the spring!!

Monday, May 5 – PJ Day

Tuesday, May 6 – Crazy Sock, Shoe or Sandal Day

Wednesday, May 7 – Twin Day

Thursday, May 8 – Staff/Student Swap Day

Friday, May 9 – Lucky Ducky Beach Day

2025/26 Registration - Now Overdue!

Registration for next year at Lakie is now overdue. Please complete your child's registration on the [School Engage](#) platform ASAP to assist us with planning for the fall. If you require assistance, please contact our front office. Soon it will be time for students to select their options for the upcoming year and so it's imperative for students to be registered prior to then.

Important Upcoming Transition Dates:

Below are some important dates for families to be aware of:

- May 6th – CHS High School Orientation (6:30 pm in Media Center) – ***For current grade 8 families***
- May 7th – Middle School Orientation evening at Lakie (6:00 p.m.) – ***For current grade 5 families***
- May 7th – CHS administration visit Lakie grade 8's (during the day) to speak about grade 9 at Chinook
- May 9th – Grade 5's visit Lakie for school tour and information
- May 9th - Option selection opens on PowerSchool for the 2025/26 school year (***for current grade 5, 6, 7's***)

Bottle Drive/Drop-Off - Band Fundraising

Our band program is fundraising to offset the cost of their trip to Red Deer later this month. All funds raised go directly towards making the trip less expensive for families. Details are below:

- GPS Container Depot West Branch
- Bring in your bottles and cans and ask they be donated to the **GS Lakie Concert Band!**
- Donations can be made until May 31st

Lakie Track Meet – May 13th

Our annual school-wide track meet will be held Tuesday, May 13th at UofL Community Sports Stadium. Students have been told which events they are participating in, and parents are welcome to attend. ***Please ensure your child has proper clothing, footwear, head covering, food, water and other items to make their day a safe and enjoyable experience!*** The canteen on site will be available throughout the day as well.

Lakie Online Clothing Store

We have partnered with Custom Clothing to open an online clothing store that is active all year long. 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 www.customclothingstore.ca to submit your order today! The store will be open for the foreseeable future with no hard-closing date at the current time.

Reporting Absences

Daily attendance can and should be monitored through PowerSchool. If your child is going to be away or needs to leave early, please inform our office staff in advance. The best method to do so is through the **Safe Arrival app**. You can download this in the app store on your phone (SchoolMessenger app) or submit absences through the Safe Arrival website (<https://go.schoolmessenger.com>). Alternatively, you are welcome to excuse your child's absence by calling our front office.

Lakie Hot Lunch Orders

Hot lunch orders need to be made the week before on [School Cash Online](#) with the cutoff being Wednesday evening of each week. Currently, we are working with Quesada, Boston Pizza, Booster Juice, and Subway as our hot lunch vendors. Weekly menus will be posted on our school website and included in our weekly Gator Gab newsletter.

PowerSchool & School Cash Online

PowerSchool allows you to view updated information on your child's grades, homework and attendance. School Cash Online is an electronic payment system for all fees, etc. ***This year School Cash Online will be used for preordering lunches for your child.***

If you need assistance signing up for PowerSchool or School Cash Online, please call the office at 403-327-3465.

LSD Multi-Cultural & Diversity Newsletter – May

You can find the May edition of the LSD Multi-Cultural & Diversity Newsletter [here](#).

Division Indigenous Education Newsletter – May

You can find the May edition of the LSD Indigenous Education Newsletter [here](#).

Division Digital Wellness Newsletter – May

You can find the May 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 the great things that we are doing at Lakie, check us out on one of our social media platforms:



School & Community Informational Flyers

School

**REGISTRATION
NOW OPEN**

For **2025/26**

OPENS MARCH 10

Registration for students entering Grades 6-8 opens on March 10. New families to Lethbridge School Division must create a SchoolEngage account and complete the 2025/2026 Registration form. Returning families can sign in to SchoolEngage with their existing PowerSchool Parent Portal account.



School Engage Sign Up:

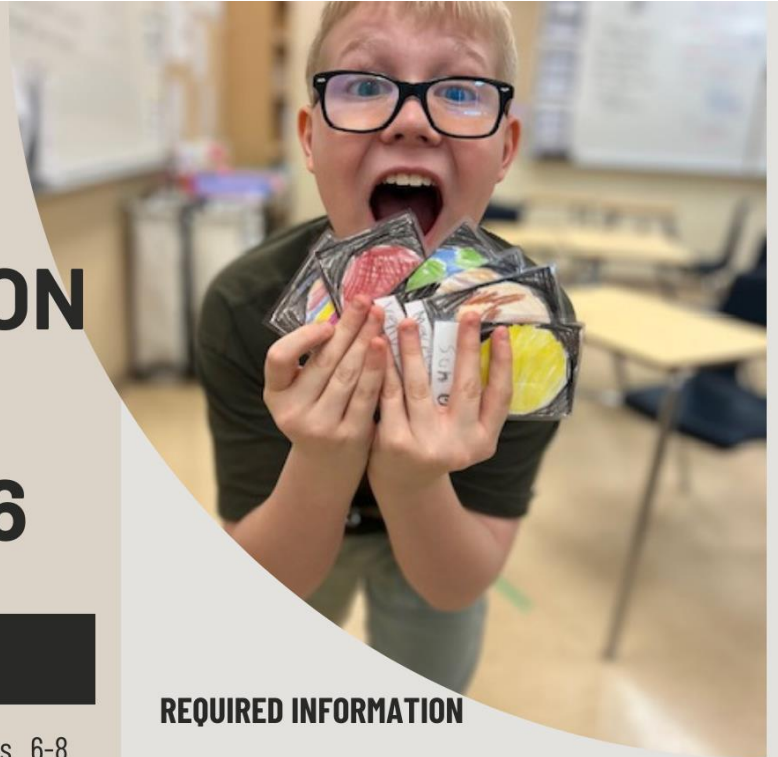
<https://ps.lethsd.ab.ca/public/home.html>

School Engage Parent User Guide:

<https://gsl.lethsd.ab.ca/download/491037>

PowerSchool Link:

<https://ps.lethsd.ab.ca/public/home.html>



REQUIRED INFORMATION

- Proof of child's age & legal name
- Proof of child's address
- House number and street address
- Home, cell & business phone numbers
- Notification of special medical conditions
- Alberta Health Care number (optional)
- Caregiver name, if child is in care of an adult other than parent/guardian
- Name & address of child's previous school
- A copy of child's most recent report card

School Information

- ☎ 403-327-3465
- 🌐 <https://gsl.lethsd.ab.ca>
- ✉ gslakie@lethsd.ab.ca
- 📍 50 Blackfoot Blvd West



COMMUNITY CLOTHING GIVEAWAY

FRIDAY MAY 2ND 3PM - 7 PM
SATURDAY MAY 3RD 9 AM - 1 PM

LOCATION: THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
2420-28TH ST. S (EAST OF ENMAX ON SCENIC DRIVE)



DONATIONS OF GENTLY USED CLOTHING **ACCEPTED**. (NO STAINS, RIPS, OR TEARS)
BRING CLEAN ITEMS BAGGED AND LABELED SORTED BY SIZES

DROP OFF DONATED CLOTHING WEDNESDAY APRIL 30TH 6 AM-8 PM
THURSDAY MAY 1ST 10 AM-2 PM

WEST ENTRANCE THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
2420-28TH ST. S (EAST OF ENMAX ON SCENIC DRIVE)

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PLEASE CONTACT
COMMUNITYCLOTHINGGIVEAWAY@GMAIL.COM

Save The Date

April 28-May 4



LEARN MORE

Purchase a cookie for a good cause or volunteer to help out.

Everyone is welcome to show their support.



Opening Weekend – Sat, May 3 | 10-12:30

WANNA RACE?

All ages welcome · No experience necessary

No BMX bike? No full-face helmet? No problem.
We have loaner bikes and helmets available so you can give it a try.

What you do need to bring:

Covered shoes, long pants, and a long-sleeved shirt.



For more information, visit
www.LethbridgeBMX.com

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LETHBRIDGE

YABBA YOUTH FITNESS CLASSES



Youth fitness class that will help your kids learn how to lift weights properly in a fun and safe environment while building healthy habits that will last a lifetime.

Start date: May 16th
6 classes total

Kids: ages 3-7
@ 4:10-4:40pm

Pre-teens: ages 8-13
@ 4:50-5:30pm

**PARTNERED WITH
HORNS REC**

Email yabbafitnessprogram@gmail.com to register or for more information

Food Order Menu

[Click here to order](#)



Lunch Menu

Hot Lunch

May 5-15



WEEK 1

MONDAY May 5: *Booster Juice*

SMOOTHIES (355ml or 710ml) \$5.50 or \$8.75

Wraps (Various to choose from) \$5.50

WEDNESDAY May 7: *Firehouse Sub* - choice of white or Gluten Free bun

Medium Sub with a choice of drink, and Chips **\$11.00**

Meat - Choice of Ham, or Turkey

(lettuce, tomato & mayo with a pickle on the side)

Veggie

(lettuce, Tomato, onion & mayo with a pickle on the side)

WEEK 2

THURSDAY May 15: *Boston Pizza*

Personal Size Pizza (Pepperoni/Cheese/Hawaiian) with Drink \$8.00

Personal size Pizza (Pepperoni/Cheese/Hawaiian) no Drink \$6.25

Pasta (Meat Sauce/Marinara Sauce/Tomato Sauce) with Drink \$8.00

Pasta (Meat Sauce/Marinara Sauce/Tomato Sauce) no Drink \$6.25