

# BRANT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2017

"BUT THOSE WHO HOPE IN THE LORD WILL RENEW THEIR STRENGTH; THEY WILL SOAR ON WINGS LIKE EAGLES; THEY WILL RUN AND NOT GROW WEARY; THEY WILL WALK AND NOT BE FAINT. - ISAIAH 40:31 -

**PLEASE NOTE:** School closures, emergency situations or bus breakdowns we will be posted on our school website at [www.brantchristianschool.ca](http://www.brantchristianschool.ca).

### Coming Up:

Jan. 20 – Friday OFF  
Jan. 26 – Hot Lunch – Pizza  
Jan. 27 – Friday On  
Jan. 31 – Semester Break/Teacher PD – No school for students

Feb. 1 – Chapel - 1:15PM (Gr. 1-6) 2:20PM (All Grades) Sr. High to follow  
Feb. 2 – Hot Lunch – Hot Dogs  
Feb. 3 – Friday On  
Feb. 3 – GENESIS PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE – High River 10:00am-12:00pm  
Feb. 3 – GENESIS PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE – Okotoks 3:00-5:00pm  
Feb. 9 – Hot Lunch – Taco in a Bag  
Feb. 10 – School Family Ski Trip to Nakiska (No school)  
Feb. 14 – Chapel - - 9:15AM (Gr. 1-6) 10:20AM (All Grades) Sr. High to follow  
Feb. 15 – Sr. High Bamfield Trip Begins  
Feb. 16 – Hot Lunch – Subway  
Feb. 16 – BRANT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE 1:00-8:00 pm  
Feb. 17 – Friday OFF  
Feb. 20 – 24 – No School for students  
Feb. 20 – Sr. High Return (ONLY STUDENTS NOT GOING SKIING)  
Feb. 21 – Remaining Sr. High Return from Bamfield Trip

Mar. 2 – Hot Lunch – Hot Dogs  
Mar. 6 – Report Cards go home  
Mar. 8 – Chapel – 1:15PM (Gr. 1-6) 2:20PM (All Grades) Sr. High to follow  
Mar. 8 – KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE (1:00–3:30 pm)  
Mar. 8 - PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES (4:00-8:00 pm)  
Mar. 9 - PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES (4:00–8:00 pm)  
Mar. 8 & 9 – Scholastic Book Fair  
Mar. 9 - Hot Lunch – Taco in a Bag  
Mar. 22 – Chapel - 9:15AM (Gr. 1-6) 10:20AM (All Grades) Sr. High to follow  
Mar. 23 – Hot Lunch – Subway  
Mar. 30 – Hot Lunch - Pizza

### In Your Black Bag:

- Newsletter
- February Calendar
- February Hot Lunch Forms
- School Cash & Tax Receipts (as applicable)

### ALL VISITORS

(INCLUDING PARENTS) MUST CHECK IN AT THE OFFICE PRIOR TO ENTERING THE SCHOOL.

Thank you ☺

### PEANUT/NUT ALLERGY ALERT

Due to severe allergies, Brant Christian School continues to be a PEANUT and NUT FREE environment.

### Chapels

We welcome everyone to join us for our Chapel times!

Please check your monthly calendar to find out dates or go to our website at [www.brantchristianschool.ca](http://www.brantchristianschool.ca).

### Brant Christian School Parent Prayer Meeting

Please join us in meeting together & praying for our school!

Where: Brant Christian School,

When: Approx. ¾ hour prior to our Chapels.

## Parent Teacher Conferences

Wednesday, March 8th – 4:00 – 8:00 pm

Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup> – 4:00 – 8:00 pm

Please call the school office at (403) 684-3752 for appointments.

New this time: If you would like to meet with our school chaplain, Mrs. Brunning, half hour appointments can be scheduled for either night of our conferences.

Just let our school secretary know when you book your other appointments.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR WILL BE OPEN DURING PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES AS WELL.

**Dear Parents,**

**Please note that we started this school year with a new bookkeeper for the Brant Christian School Society. Any financial questions or concerns regarding bussing, Christian Education or Society fees, etc. may be directed to our Treasurer, Stacey Gustafson at [stacey432@hotmail.com](mailto:stacey432@hotmail.com).**

To REPORT ABSENCES OR BUS CHANGES for your child(ren), it is preferable that you go to [www.brantchristianschool.ca](http://www.brantchristianschool.ca) and click on "Report An Absence". This email will go to the principal and secretary of the school. Or you can also call (403) 684-3752. Thank you!

Colder weather before and thru Christmas break meant great ice for skating on our school rink! We look forward to the temperatures getting a bit cooler to spend more P.E. and recess time outdoors skating. The rink is open for family & community use outside of school hours. If you'd like to book the rink for personal use (ex. Skating party) please call the school office.



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# Genesis Christian Preschool

~A christian environment for your 3 or 4 year old to learn, grow, and flourish ~

## **High River Open House:**

Friday, Feb.3, 2017  
10:00am - 12:00pm  
High River Alliance Church

## **Okotoks Open House:**

Friday, Feb.3, 2017  
3:00pm - 5:00pm  
Okotoks Alliance Church



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## Upcoming Open Houses at Brant Christian School

### BRANT CHRISTIAN OPEN HOUSE

**Thursday, February 16<sup>th</sup>**  
**1:00 – 8:00 pm**

*We look forward to you or someone you know is interested in Christian Education joining us!*

Brant Christian School is an alternative, faith based school in the Palliser School Division. We are a K-12 school which follows the Alberta curriculum. We offer:

- small class sizes
- daily devotions
- Bible classes
- chapels
- designated science lab
- band, music, choir programs
- art & drama programs
- interscholastic sports for gr. 7-12
- educational & mission trips for Sr. High students
- 4 day/week schedule

For more information, please contact 403-684-3752 or email [brantchristianschool@pallisersd.ab.ca](mailto:brantchristianschool@pallisersd.ab.ca)

### BRANT CHRISTIAN KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE

**Wednesday, March 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**1:00 – 3:30 pm**

If you have a child who will be entering kindergarten in September 2017, or know of anyone who would like more information on our Christian Education program we encourage you to join us this day for:

- Chapel
- Recess & Class Time
- Meet the Teacher
- Registration Information

For information beforehand please contact 403-684-3752 or email [erin.niemans@pallisersd.ab.ca](mailto:erin.niemans@pallisersd.ab.ca)





Avast ye.....all you Bookaneers!

Shiver me timbers! The Scholastic Book Fair is coming!

**Classroom Previews: Tuesday Afternoon, March 7th**

**Book Fair Date: Wednesday, March 8<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup>  
1:00 – 8:00 pm 1:00-8:00 pm**

**Location: Aaft (pirate lingo for back area) of the Brant Christian School Library**

***Yo ho ho.....For a chance to win \$50 worth of books for your family and your child's classroom, don't forget to enter the Family Draw.***

**Some of the greatest books found on land or at sea are here! *And for every \$10 you spend, at least \$6 in product profit goes directly back to our school.* Your support of this timely event is key to our obtaining new resources for our library and classrooms.**

**We also *invite you to increase the size of your child's classroom library by purchasing books for your child's teacher.* Each book will include a gift donation bookplate that your child can personalize.**

**Arrrrgh! Hope to see you there!**

