



Valhalla Community School

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Staff wish You and Yours a Safe Christmas Holiday☺

School News!

The newsletter is available on the Valhalla Community School website.

Legion Award Winners for 2008 Remembrance Day Contest

Essay

Kailey Bratland, 1st place, Essay, \$25.00

Tate Johnson, 2nd place, Essay, \$15.00

Poetry

Faith Nayko, 1st place, \$25.00

Kayly Vig, 2nd place, \$15.00

Sarah Kochendorfer, Honourable Mention, \$10.00

B&W Poster

Ariane Harpe, 1st place, \$25.00

Faith Nayko, 2nd place, \$15.00

Cassandra Gerow, 1st place, \$25.00

Jayden Bratland, 2nd place, \$15.00

Colour Poster

Hillary Nixon, 1st place, \$25.00

Terri Robertson, 2nd place, \$15.00

Aarika Harpe, 1st place, \$25.00

Nancy Dyck, 2nd place, \$15.00

Congratulations to each winner!

Employment Opportunity: Valhalla Community School invites interested individuals to **submit a resume** of qualification to the school office for a **new assignment- Teacher Assistant to provide support to a pre-school student that will be coming to school 4 afternoons a week.** The hours are **Tuesday and Thursday** 12:30 to 4:00pm; duties to commence when a suitable candidate is selected. A criminal record check is required. Please address your resume to Ms. Susan Thomson, Principal. Thank you.

Employment Opportunity: Valhalla Community School invites interested individuals to **submit a resume** of qualification to the school office for a **new assignment- Office Assistant to provide support to office personnel and to do general duties. This is an entry level position.** This position is for a maximum of 30 hours per week; duties to begin January 19th. Closing date for resumes is Wednesday, January 14th. A criminal record check is required. Please address your resume to Ms. Susan Thomson, Principal. Thank you.

The **concert** is **TODAY, December 16th at 7:00pm.** The **students** are asked to be **here at 6:45pm.** The School Council is coordinating a **silent auction;** each family is invited to **donate an item** to be auctioned. **Coffee will be available after the concert, ladies are asked to please bring a plate.** Thank you.

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The Grande Prairie **Composite High School Choirs** will be coming to sing to and with our students on **Wednesday, December 17th**. Parents and community members are invited to attend. This is a **fun concert** for the Composite Choirs and a very enjoyable event for us. **Come** help celebrate the season. We will host a **chili lunch** for the **Composite Choirs** and for **our students** at noon. This will consist of chili, bun, orange or apple juice and a Christmas orange. The regular snacks (morning & afternoon recess) the students will need to bring with them. After lunch we will be going to sing at the Hythe Continuing Care Centre from 1:30 to 2:15pm. It is a busy day!

Thursday is clean up and Friday is the first day of holidays. **Enjoy a relaxing, holiday season**; see you on **Monday, January 5th**. This is an **early closing** day, so school will dismiss at 3:00pm.

The Grande Prairie Storm Hockey student tickets continue to be available in the school office. If interested, please inquire 780-356-2370.

Attachments: January calendar

Bus Drivers Corner!

Enjoy a safe holiday season!

Community News!

Valhalla Community Library: Regular library hours of operation: Tuesday 11 to 5, Wednesday 10 to 6 and Thursday 11 to 5. "Seasons Greetings" to all patrons.

The library will be **open**

Tues., Dec. 23

Tues., Dec. 30 & Wed. Dec. 31

The library will be **closed**

Wed., Dec. 24, Thurs., Dec.25

Thurs., Jan. 1

Susan Thomson
Principal

"Make a list of important things to do today. At the top of you list, put "eat chocolate." Now, you'll get at least one thing done today." Gina Hayes