

# DIDSBURY HIGH SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

To the DHS Class of 2025,

I am very proud and humbled to be offering congratulations to this year's Didsbury High School Graduation Class.

They are certainly an eclectic group. Their cohort boasts hardcore academics with inroads to the country's best universities, talented musicians and athletes, hard-working tradesmen, and even a few Chess Masters. They represent the best of what small-town Alberta has to offer the rest of Canada and do great credit to the adults in their lives who helped guide them to this day and this moment. We, the staff of DHS, are grateful for the trust that they and their parents have put in us to lead them toward life after high school.

To the grads, I would like to say first; you haven't graduated yet. We still have a few weeks and these little quizzes called Diploma Exams are coming up. So work hard now so you can enjoy your celebrations later.

Second, good job on getting this far. While this seems like the end of many things, it is actually the beginning of a myriad of possibilities -- and not all of them positive. By and large, however, those possibilities are now within your control. Unlike K-12 public schools, the directions you go from here are not chosen for you but by you. Choose well, and if you make a mistake and choose poorly, admit it, fix it as best you can, and try again. I look forward to hearing from many of you in the coming years and learning your stories -- especially the mistakes, because they make the best stories. Trust an expert.

Finally, be grateful. Very few of you got here completely on your own so while you are having fun and celebrating this important milestone, take a few moments to thank those who have helped you over the past 13 years of schooling. A simple "thank you" to your parents, grandparents, friends, family, and teachers is never expected, always appreciated, and is all the payment any of them would ask for. Those words cost so little but are worth so much.

To the Didsbury High Graduating Class of 2025, thank you for allowing us to be part of your lives, and know that you are always welcome back to visit. Congratulations and best wishes on conquering this big, bad, and beautiful world.

Scott MacDonald  
Principal, Didsbury High School

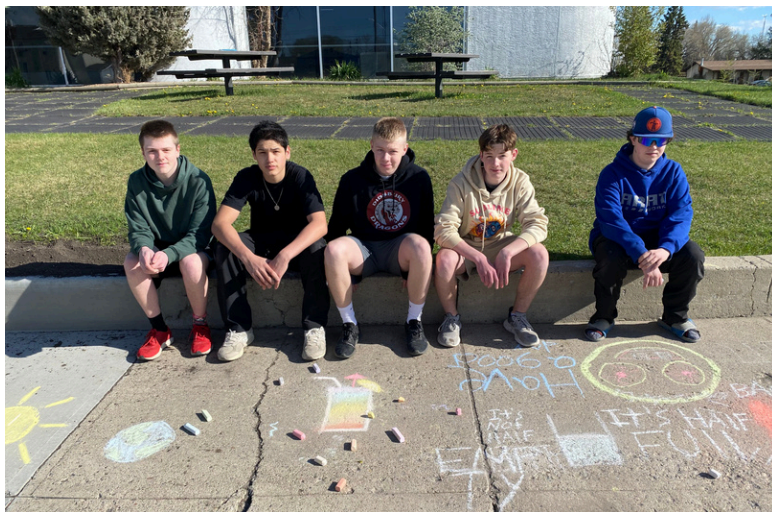




## May 2025

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# Library News

With the end of the year fast approaching, it is time to start thinking about getting borrowed items back to the library. Students will receive e-mail and paper reminders throughout the month of items that need to be returned. Please keep in mind that:

**All novels and books** are due back on **June 17, 2025**.

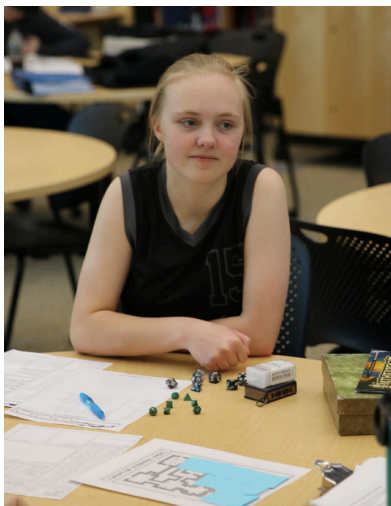
**Textbooks and other equipment** such as calculators, chromebooks, etc., are due back on **the day that your student writes their test**. In other words, please encourage them to bring their social textbook on the day of their social exam, their bio textbook on the day of their bio exam, and so on. This helps to spread out returns so that Miss Budd has time to prep everything for September. Thanks for all your help!

## 2024-2025 Library Memories



Our library is so much more than books. It is a place to study and work on assignments, a hub for clubs like yearbook and D&D, a lunch-time hot-spot and a favourite gathering place.

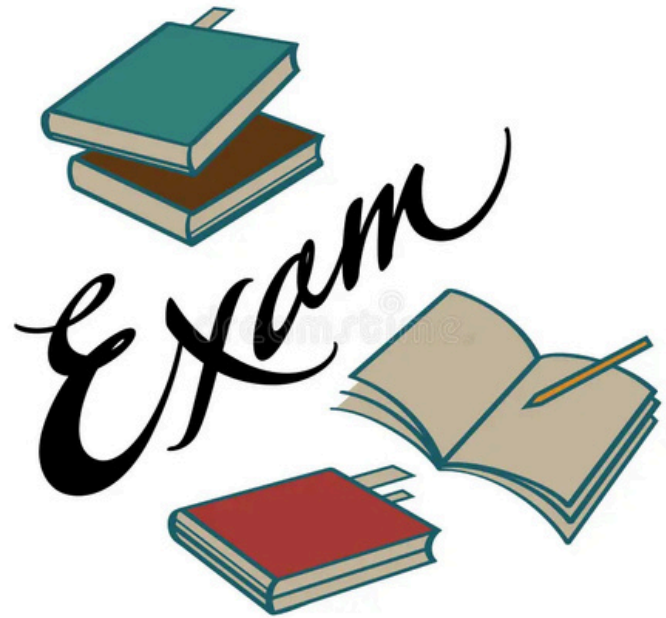
Thank you Dragons, for helping to make this a fantastic place to be every day!



# Leadership News

## Leadership's June Focus: Exams (and Epic Eats!)

Our leadership team understands that June is all about hitting the books and acing those exams! With your academic success in mind, we've cleared the calendar of extra events, allowing you to fully concentrate on your studies. But don't think for a second we've forgotten about fueling those hardworking brains!



We're thrilled to announce two fantastic hot lunches to power you through the exam period. First up, prepare for a classic crowd-pleaser: burgers and tots, guaranteed to satisfy those study-break cravings. And as you near the finish line, treat yourself to the ultimate Canadian comfort food – a mountain of delicious poutine! These meals are more than just food; they're our way of sending good vibes and tasty motivation as you crush those final tests!







 Class of 2025  
Congrats!



# Band News

Get ready to clap your hands and tap your feet because our talented musicians have two fantastic performances lined up for June! You won't want to miss these showcases of our students' hard work and dedication.

## Upcoming Performances

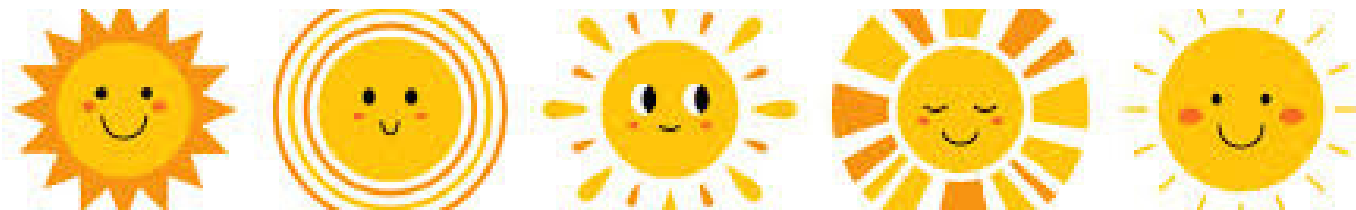
### Jazz Band Performance

- When: Friday, June 6th
- Where: Multi-Purpose Room
- Time: Performance starts at 12:00 PM (Students, please arrive at 11:30 AM for setup!)

### Final Concert

- When: Thursday, June 12th
- Where: DHS Gymnasium
- Time: Performance starts at 7:00 PM (Students, call time is 6:30 PM – and don't forget your uniforms!)
- Come out and support our amazing student musicians!





# School News

## **DUAL CREDIT**

Fall 2025 Dual credit offerings are now posted at the school and you can sign up to register with Mrs. Roy. Dual credit is a unique career exploration opportunity that allows students to enroll in a college course while still in high school. They would take this course in their option block and earn 5 high school credits and 3 college credits upon completion. In order to be accepted into these college level programs, students need to be motivated learners who will attend to the online learning environment with limited supervision and have the maturity to handle the responsibilities of course expectations/deadlines/etc.

The following online courses will be offered:

- Accounting Principles, Intro to the Vet Profession, Solving Technology Problems, Applied Ecology, Fundamentals of Controlled Environment Agriculture, Global and Sustainable Tourism, Marketing Principles, Digital Media Production (Video, Audio and Images), Sports Management, Principles of Psychology, Personal Fitness and Wellness, Biology of Health

We also offer onsite courses through Olds College and RDP. Busing is provided for SOME of these opportunities but others will require students to find their own transportation. Onsite courses include:

- Readiness for the Skilled trades level 1 (Olds College), Readiness for the Skilled Trades Level 2 - Welding, Readiness for the Skilled Trades Level 2 HET- Hydraulics and Electrical, Olds College Meat Processing Certificate, Exploratory Hair Styling Experience September- December Olds High School Cosmetology Lab, Veterinary Technical Assistant Certificate VTA, Sky Wings Aviation Academy Ground School Training

## **SUMMER WORK EXPERIENCE**

Work experience will be running this summer. If you are interested in signing up, please speak to Mrs. Roy and join the summer work experience Google Classroom to begin the paperwork required.  
Class code: 543k3pvs

HCS 3000 (Workplace Safety) is a required prerequisite for students wishing to participate in work experience. You can earn up to 15 credits toward your high school diploma for working so please consider signing up if you have a summer job!



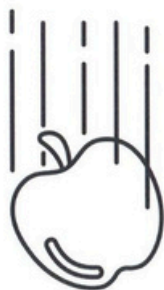


# Community News

## MATH AND SCIENCE TUTOR

UNIVERSITY PHYSICS STUDENT  
AVAILABLE FOR

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MATH 20-1  
MATH 20-2  
MATH 20-3  
MATH 30-1  
MATH 30-2  
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MATH 31

SCIENCE 10  
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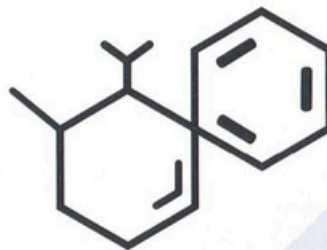
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# Community News



Join the Didsbury Defenders!

Registration for 2025/2026 Rec Hockey Season opens June 2, 2025 at  
9:00 am

Register at: [www.didsburyrechockey.com](http://www.didsburyrechockey.com)

All registrations U11-U18 include insurance, a pair of game socks and  
minimum of one tournament.

U8 (ages 4-7): \$250.00

U11 (ages 8-10): \$405.00

U15 (ages 11-14): \$455.00

U18 (ages 15-18): \$475.00

\*18 year olds must be a registered high school student

For any inquiries, please email: [didsburyrechockeyregistrar@gmail.com](mailto:didsburyrechockeyregistrar@gmail.com)

We are in need of referees for the upcoming season, this is a paid  
position and the association will reimburse your course fees once five  
games have been worked. Please contact  
[didsburyrechockeyrefs@gmail.com](mailto:didsburyrechockeyrefs@gmail.com) for more information.

# Community News



## Didsbury Jr. Golf

Are you interested in a fun summer golf program for your kids?  
Didsbury Golf Course is offering discounted Junior Memberships for the  
2025 golf season for only \$95!

Juniors must be between age 6 & 17.

Your Junior Golf Membership will include the following:

- \*Optional 6 group golf lessons running every Thursday morning in July and August starting July 10th through to August 14th
- \*A junior windup on August 21st including a fun morning of golf, lunch & prizes.
- \*Use of our junior clubs & pull carts for no charge
- \*Freedom to golf every Thursday morning with only other junior golfers on the course.
- \*Ability to golf at the Didsbury golf club as a member for the full 2024 season

If this interests you, then visit the pro shop at the  
Didsbury Golf Course to get registered for a fun, golf filled summer.

- \*Thanks to GTA (Gil's Truck & Auto Repair) for sponsoring the summer lessons with proceeds from their annual GTA Golf Tournament

For more info call: DGC 403-335-3635 [www.didsburygolf.ca](http://www.didsburygolf.ca)





# Community News

FACEBOOK: [HTTPS://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/HSSFOOTBALL](https://www.facebook.com/HSSFOOTBALL)  
EMAIL: [HSSFOOTBALLASSOCIATION@GMAIL.COM](mailto:HSSFOOTBALLASSOCIATION@GMAIL.COM)  
[HTTPS://MOUNTAINVIEWFOOTBALLASSOC.CA](https://mountainviewfootballassoc.ca)

**\$65**  
grade 5-12  
5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

QB CAMP  
\*INVITE  
ONLY\*  
JUNE 7TH,  
2025

**Spring  
Camp 2025**



**JUNE 4-6 2025**

[register here](https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/474002)

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# Important Dates



2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11 English 30-1 Part A English 30-2 Part A	12 ELA 9 Part B Social 30-1 Part A Social 30-2 Part A	13 Math 9 Part A	14
15	16	17 Mathematics 30-2 Math 9 Part B	18 English 30-1 Part B English 30-2 Part B Social 9	19 Social 30-1 Part B Social 30-2 Part B Science 9	20 Biology 30	21
22	23 Chemistry 30	24 Physics 30	25	26	27	28 Hello Summer 
29	30					