

March 2010

UP AND COMING

March

- March 11-12 no school (PD Days)
- March 22-26: 2nd set of phone homes
- March 23—Chilli for Chillie
- March 30-April 4, Marine Biology Trip

April

- April 2-11 Easter Break
- April 19-3rd Report
- April 21—PT Interviews 4-8 pm
- April 23, Dance “Hollywood” Theme

May

- May 7, Track Meet (Jr High; May 14th is the alternate date)
- May 20, Jr. Track N Field at the U of L (May 26 is an alternate date)
- May 21, Grad Ceremonies at the Lethbridge Lodge
- May 21 no school (site-based PD Day)
- May 24 Victoria Day
- May 25 no school (PD Day)

NEW CHS WEBSITE/HOMEWORK HELPER

Just a reminder to check out our new school website at www.coalhursthighschool.ca. It has the homework for the day, even some student handouts and other valuable information. Check it out.

LAST CHANCE FOR TACO-IN- A-BAG AND POPI!!

Wednesday, March 17,
2010

\$4.00
(MARINE BIO FUNDRAISER AT CHS)



SCHOOL YEARBOOKS—ORDER NOW!

Be sure to check to see if you have ordered a yearbook. If not, talk to Mrs. Roth. We can order only so many copies and if you forget to order, you're out of luck.

Once they're gone, they're gone.

DONATIONS ACCEPTED

Since the pop machines have been taken out of our school, the grads, who do the collecting of bottles and use the funds for their grad, have seen a sharp decline in the amount of cans and bottles deposited. In order to offset the cost of grad, we would gladly accept any donations of cans and bottles. They could be dropped off at the school or we could possibly arrange to come and pick them up. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the school at 403-381-4812.

Diane Pommen

PHONE HOME INTERVIEWS

Phone Home Interviews will take place from March 23-27. Expect a call and a snapshot view of how your child is doing. Don't hesitate to contact us earlier if you have any concerns.



SOCCER REGISTRATION

See attachment for details.



CKSA *(see attachment)*
Coulee Kickers Soccer Association

HEARTS FOR HAITI AT COALHURST HIGH



Staff and students at CHS raised \$1223.00 for World Vision's Hearts for Haiti. Matched by the federal government, that makes our

contribution equivalent to \$2446.00 ! Thank-you to all staff who donated and had their family members donate as well. Our Bake Sale on February 9th raised \$86 - so another big thank you to parents, staff, and students for your help & support. The students who initiated this bake sale were Alisa Petersen, Whitney Haapala, Andrea Heckley, Jazlyn Tabachniuk, Jessica Wegner, and Akaysha Holt. Congratulations CHS on helping the people of Haiti recover from their devastating Earthquake.

Mr. Saad



STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



Here are our winners for February. Congratulations!!!

Amy Entz—Jr High

Shelby is diligent in scorekeeping for both volleyball and basketball. Some of her qualities include: being a sweet girl, polite, hard-working (tries her best even when things are difficult), pleasant, good-humoured, meticulous, artistic, cooperative, attentive and sets high standards for herself.

Erick Ebner—Sr High

He is quiet and polite, kind and generous to both staff and students. He is cheerful, not the biggest, nor the loudest nor the most colourful, but a good person—he does his best.

ALUMNI TOURNAMENT

Coalhurst Alumni Basketball Tournament - Did you play basketball for CHS? Do you know someone who did and won't be reading this? Pass the word to them. Please watch for details in the April newsletter of our upcoming tournament. We are tentatively looking at Saturday, May 1 from 10:00 to 4:00 (Start time and duration to be determined by the number of players we can get). The event will take place at Coalhurst High School. Stay tuned for more details. If you are interested in playing, please e-mail Mrs. Lenz (emma.lenz@pallisersd.ab.ca). Go Crusaders!

BASKETBALL



Junior High Ball—Wrapping Up

Congratulations to our junior high basketball teams and thank you to our coaches:

- Boys 7/8 Les Greeno
- Boys 8/9 Andrew Batkin
- Girls 7/8 Ron DeMaere and Marilyn Horgus
- Girls 8/9 Amanda Stewart

Thanks for your time and dedication.

Best of luck to our grade 9 players moving up to senior high ball next year. Some of you have proven yourselves already!

The 8/9 boys will compete at Zones in Magrath. All the best.

Girls:

(Grade 7/8) JV Girls played well and showed great improvement throughout the season.

(Grade 8/9) SV Girls have league playoffs this week and zones the next. Good luck.

Boys:

(Grade 7/8) JV Boys won the consolation side of their tournament. They had a great season.

(Grade 8/9) SV Boys compete in Zones in Magrath this weekend (March 5-6). All the best!

SENIOR HIGH SCHEDULE

Girls and boys teams will be playing for zones in BB. Week of March 8-13.

First Game:

- **Boys, Monday at 5 pm**
- **Girls, Wednesday at 8:30 pm**

Keep an eye on school web site for exact times. Zones at LC. ***Come out and support these wonderful athletes!***

For more details, go to:

<http://www.southzonebasketball.com/>



BADMINTON

Junior High—Tryouts being week of March 15 (see Mrs. Thomas)

Senior High—Tryouts begin week of March 22 (see Mrs. Lenz)

There will be a \$15 registration fee for those who qualify for counties. (April 21)



ATTACHMENT(S)

- Soccer Registration
- Free Family Day Event
- How to Grow Food in Urban Areas— March 11@ 7 pm

CKSA

Coulee Kickers Soccer Association

Soccer Registration

Coalhurst

Monday March 1 or Wednesday March 10 6:30-8:30 pm at the **Coalhurst Legion**

For more information call Cindy Veluw 403-738-4513

Registration Fees: \$50 per player

Coulee Kickers is a fun league and all levels of players are invited to join in! Teams are co-ed and games are played in the County of Lethbridge. Season starts April 5 and ends June 19.

Please bring players AHC card.



The Edible City

How to Grow Food in Urban Areas

presented by Ron Berezan

The Urban Farmer from Edmonton, Alberta



Thursday, March 11th
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

University of Lethbridge
Students' Union Ballroom B

Space is limited. To register please
contact Lisa Mitchell at 403-388-6677.



The Edible City – How We Can Grow More Food in Urban Areas

Given the opportunity, you would probably choose to live in a beautiful natural environment. You would prefer to eat healthy, locally grown organic food. You would feel good about supporting other species and would enjoy seeing them in your yard. Along with countless others, you are likely looking for ways to do your part to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and to conserve life-giving resources like water and healthy soil. You may be about ready to chuck your gas powered lawn mower and the endless hours of watering, cutting and weeding If any of this is true for you, you have come to the right place!

The Urban Farmer (<http://www.theurbanfarmer.ca/>) is an Edmonton-based organic gardening and specialty landscaping service. Our mission is to support the development of natural, sustainable, and edible landscapes in urban areas. We work with homeowners, families, individuals, community groups and organizations who have the desire to integrate environmentally sustainable landscape practices into their own yards and communities. Not sure where to begin? Don't feel like you have the knowledge or the skill to take this on? Feel overwhelmed with the yard you already have? Your intentions are good but your time is in short supply? You have already started on this path but would like to take the next step in creating a truly sustainable landscape?

Sponsored by the *Lethbridge Healthy Communities Committee* and *Active, Creative, Engaged Communities (ACE)* in association with AB Parks and Recreation.

Date: Thursday March 11 (New Date)

Time: 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Fee: No fee

Location: U of L Students' Union Ballroom B (parking in the West Lot is free after 5pm)

Presenter: Ron Berezan

Register with: Lisa Mitchell at 403-388-6677

Go to: Lethbridge Healthy Communities for more Information

<http://healthylethbridge.blogspot.com/>