



**PATERSON PRESS** “All the news that’s fit to print!” Jan 3-14 PARENTS

<p><u>Monday Jan. 3</u> Happy New Year!</p> <p><b>No school today</b> <b>Classes resume</b> <b>tomorrow</b></p>	<p><u>Tuesday Jan. 4</u> Classes resume today</p> <p>Newcomers Club - Lunch</p>	<p><u>Wednesday Jan. 5</u> Gr 6 Basketball Club GOLD 1:10-2:10</p>	<p><u>Thursday Jan. 6</u> Gr. 6 Basketball Club BLACK 3-4PM</p> <p>Indigenous &amp; Allies Club - lunch</p>	<p><u>Friday Jan. 7</u> Human Sexuality lesson begin in Health classes for the next 4 Fridays</p>
<p><u>Monday Jan 10</u> Gr. 7/8 Basketball Club 3-4 PM</p> <p>GSA Club - lunch</p>	<p><u>Tuesday Jan. 11</u> Newcomers Club - Lunch</p>	<p><u>Wednesday Jan 12</u> Gr 6 Basketball Club GOLD 1:10-2:10</p>	<p><u>Thursday Jan. 13</u> Gr. 6 Basketball Club BLACK 3-4PM</p> <p>Indigenous &amp; Allies Club - lunch</p>	<p><u>Friday Jan. 14</u> Parent Teacher interview requests for Jan 27-28 open 8AM</p>

Have you registered for:

- PowerSchool? <https://ps.lethsd.ab.ca/public/>
- School Cash Online? <https://lethbridge.schoolcashionline.com/>
- Safe Arrival? <https://go.schoolmessenger.com>

If you have any questions or need assistance with these services, call Leanna or Lucie in the office at 403-329-0125.

Check out our website at <http://gp.lethsd.ab.ca/> or follow us on twitter @GilbertPaterson for more information on school happenings.

- **School Council** – The next meeting is Mon. Jan. 17th at 6:30 PM on ZOOM. A link and agenda will be sent out the week prior. If the format changes to in-person in the New Year, we will let you know. Watch for more information regarding the School Division Town Hall on Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup> in the New Year and on the Division website. **Thank you Vicki Hazelwood, School Council members and all parents who donated and supported our Staff Appreciation Lunch on Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>.** Our staff is grateful for this gesture and your support.
- **Parent /Teacher Interviews – Jan 27/28** – At this point, we will conduct our next set of interviews through Teams or with a phone call. We will have more information in the New Year regarding the sign up and procedures.
- **TERM 1 HONORS** – Congratulations to all Term 1 honors students. Our honors list is posted on the bulletin board in the large gym showcase and honor roll letters were passed out this week. Thank you to all students for your hard work!
- **Christmas Spirit at GPMS** – We appreciate the support with our Paterson Community food hampers and Angel Tree gifts. Thank you to Leadership students who helped with these projects as well. Congratulations to our fine arts programs for successful Winter Concerts in band, choir and handbells this last week. It was great to see a return to live performances for students! Thanks to all students and staff who participated in our Holiday Theme Days over the last two weeks!
- **Athletics** – Congratulations to the Rep Tiger Boys and Girls who finished 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> respectively at the Tiger Classic basketball tourney and the Development Girls who placed 3<sup>rd</sup> at the St. Francis tourney! We have 4 teams and 3 basketball clubs with around 130 players and 12 coaches involved through January.

**WE WISH A HAPPY AND SAFE HOLIDAY TO ALL OF OUR PATERSON FAMILIES!**  
**School resumes on Tuesday January 4<sup>th</sup>.**