

#### JUNE NEWSLETTER



#### Principal's Message:

Griffin Families,

Thank you to our Griffin Community for making this a fantastic first year as the Principal of Griffiths-Scott School - I have greatly enjoyed getting to know our students, staff, families and community members!

We will have the following classrooms at Griffiths-Scott School for the 24/25 school year:

Kindergarten - Mrs. Romaine (Mondays/Wednesdays/alternating Fridays) Grade One - Mrs. Sendecki Grade One & Two - Mrs. Grekul Grade Two - Mrs. Goodrich Grade Three - Mrs. Mandseth Grade Three & Four - Mrs. Williams Grade Four - Mrs. Nicol Grade Five - Mrs. Snowden (Mrs. Micklich will co-teach L.A. - Mrs. McGrath will co-teach Math) Grade Six - Mr. Gill (Mr. Granger will co-teach L.A. - Mrs. McGrath will co-teach Math) Grade Six - Mr. Gill (Mr. Granger will co-teach L.A. - Mrs. McGrath will co-teach Math) Grade Seven - Ms. Penman (L.A./P.E.), Mrs. McGrath (Math/Health/C.T.F.), Mrs. Thompson (Science/P.E./C.T.F.), Mr. Granger (Social/C.T.F.). Grade Eight - Ms. Penman (L.A./P.E.), Mrs. McGrath (Math/Health/C.T.F.), Mrs. Thompson (Science/P.E./C.T.F.), Mr. Granger (Social/C.T.F.) Students will receive a welcome letter from their upcoming 24/25 homeroom teacher along with a supply list on the last day of school at dismissal time.

\*\*\*A note regarding classroom placement of students – when there is a possibility of two different homerooms – our staff team will place students into homerooms that best fit their learning needs as well as ensuring that students also have friends with them. Unfortunately, we are not able to accomodate parent requests and preferences for particular teachers or classroom configurations .\*\*\*

Warm Regards, Mr. Van Someren



#### SCHOOL-WIDE UPCOMING EVENTS

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June 13th

Griffiths-Scott Family BBQ @ noon.

Students and staff are free. Additional Combos can be purchased online for families wishing to join us.



## Last Day of School

June 13th Have a wonderful Summer!

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**June 7th** PLC Day (Staff Only)

**June 14th** Organizational Day (Staff Only)



August 28th & 29th For inquiries and Registrations



#### **EXAM SCHEDULE** 2023/2024

Day and Time	9:00AM	10:15AM	1:00PM
June 6 Day 1		Social 7/8	Social 7
June 10 Day 2	Social 6 PAT	Science 7	Science 7/8
June 11 Day 3	Science 6 PAT	la 7/8	LA 7
June 12 Day 4		Math 7	Math 7/8



#### JUNE CALENDAR

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2 3 Spring Concert 10:15am. All are welcome! 1 ndigenous Day 1 to 3pm 4 Reynolds Museum Field Trip & By the Lake Park Grade 2G & 2P Manluk Pool Last Day for WHA 5 Millet Museum Field Trip Grade 3M Divisional Track and Field Qualified Grade 4-6 6 6 Grade 5 - Awards Nig Grade 8 Fare 7pm to 9p	ght & ewell				
9 10 11 12 13 Millet Museum Field Trip Grade 4N Family BE	L Staff Only				
16 17 18 19 20 21 22 SUMMER BREAK					
23 24 25 26 27 /30 SUMMER BREAK	28 29				

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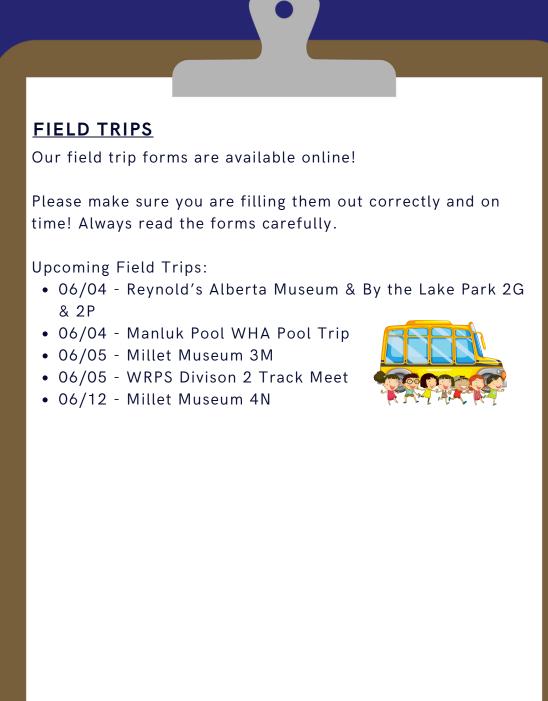
#### SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Organizat	2 7th to 30th tional Days. f Only	<b>3</b> First Day of Classes for Grades 1 to 8 Kindergarten officially starts on September 11th.	<b>4</b> Kindergarten orientation meetings	5	6 Kindergarten orientation meetings	7
8	9 Kindergarten orientation meetings	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 School Photos	26	27	28
29	30 National Day for Truth & Reconciliation					

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#### OFFICE ANNOUNCEMENTS:





#### COMMUNITY NEWS

**REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR FALL** 

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**REGISTER HERE** 

*FLAG FOOTBALL U9 AGES 5-7* 

*U11 TACKLE FOOTBALL AGES 8-10* 

*U13 TACKLE FOOTBALL AGES 11-12* 

*U16 TACKLE FOOTBALL AGES 13-15* 

EQUIPMENT WE PROVIDE TO TACKLE PLAYERS INCLUDES: HELMET, PANTS, PADS, PRACTICE AND GAME JERSEYS, MOUTH GUARD, SOCKS, AND BAG.

FOR MORE INFO: WETASKIWINFOOTBALL.COM

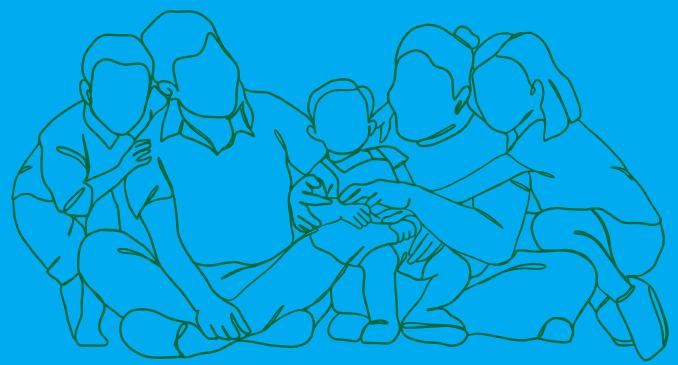




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## WAHKOHTOWIN TRADITIONAL PARENTING PROGRAM



#### CULTIVATING CULTURAL **RESILIENCE WITHIN FAMILY**

#### **MAY 7TH- JUNE 25 2024**

Email. Ayaa@rdnfs.com Ph: 587 457 6454 or Inquire at BGC Wetaskiwin 5109 51 St.

Funded by Aberta

## JOIN US IN CELEBRATING National Indigenous Peoples Day JUBILEE PARK JUNE 21, 12-3:00 PM

CEREMONY- 1:15 PM

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#### ACTIVITIES:

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- Scent Guessing
- Painting
- Plant Science
- Garden Mandalas

JULY 9

to

**AUGUST 9** 

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE LIBRARY:

(780) 387-5222

milletlibrary.ca

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED!** 

GRADES 1 AND UP

FREE FOR EVERYONE!





## #20 ADDITIONAL SPOTS AVAILABLE \$45 EA (RESIDENT OR NON RESIDENT)



#### JUNE 14 8:30AM-4PM

grades 4+



AT MILLET CIVIC CENTER TO REGISTER, RETURN ATTACHED FORM TO milletwellness@millet.ca or drop off at Town Office

sponsored by Millet FCSS/Millet Wellness

Prizes for Adult & Child



June 21 5:00 pm

Mulligans 3|\$20

Family Golf Night

Millet Youth

## Triple Creek Golf Course

**\$25 per person** (teams of 4, if you don't have a team, you will be paired with one)

#### Purchase your tickets on eventbrite:

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/friends-of-the-millet-youth-society-family-golf-night-tickets-650264628007

www.facebook.com/triplecreekgolfclub2022
www.facebook.com/friendsofthemilletyouthsociety
like both facebook pages and comment done for a chance to win a free pass!

#### Club Rentals \$5 | Cart Rental \$10 per person

Clubhouse will be open for supper and cold drinks

Hole Sponsors Needed Call 780-216-0344



### **2024 SUMMER PROGRAMS**

For Children, Youth and Young Adults with Diverse Abilities

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Ready, Set **Explore!** 



# What is AdaptAbilities?

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We believe in movement:

All activities are hands on, this is not

school! HIA is a place to go outside, get

messy, work in a group, ask questions, be safe, and have fun!

We believe in exploration:

We support campers in their curiosity

to learn through new experiences

in the community.

We believe in purposeful activities: Whether we are using games, videos, slideshows, field trips, all of our activities have a purpose.

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#### juLY 2 - August 23

AdaptAbilities summer camps create amazing possibilities for a non-stop summer of fun! We nurture belonging, exploration, and fun, while providing a safe camp experience.

Our summer programs are designed for children, youth, and young adults with diverse abilities such as:

Attention Deficit Hyperactivity

Disorder (ADHD)

- ·Down Syndrome
- Autism
- •Anxiety Disorder
- •Cerebral Palsy
- •Obsessive Compulsive Disorder (OCD)
- •Tourette's Syndrome
- •Other Needs



#### 2024 Summer Programs

Ready, Set, Explore! Join us in person all summer long. No matter your age, we have something for everyone.



**Our themed weekly programs** will keep little campers entertained and having fun all summer long.



**You pick the camp** and we'll provide a dedicated AdaptAbilities support team member! Inclusion Camps encourage your child to explore their own interests to join any camp in the community. The camp nurtures belonging and friendships and builds on our vision of inclusion.



**No parents allowed!** Our teen camps create opportunities for fun, friendships, and personal development. Let's go on an adventure, together!



This is a fun place for young adults to cultivate their social and life skills in a safe and supported environment. Participants will enjoy goal-oriented and meaningful days together with the AdaptAbilities team.



Our adult program creates opportunities for community connection and social skill development. Our adult summer program is located at our Orange Hub, McKernan Centre and Millbourne Market Mall locations.

\*Limited 1:1 spots in groups and additional spots may become available based on registrations.

2024 PROGRAM

#### **Camp Locations**

Summer camp programs are held in community centres across Edmonton!



- Location availability is dependent on registration numbers
- Camp locations are confirmed at least one month in advance
- NEW! Leduc and Sherwood Park Camps for 2024!
- Not all age groups will be available in each area

#### Get to Know The Team

Cultivating a committed and accountable team is one of our core values. Our Community Specialists are specially trained team members who create safe and caring spaces for the individuals we work with.

The team establishes real and transparent relationships with our families as we work hard to execute meaningful and thoughtful programs.



#### All the Details

HOURS: 9am – 3 pm BEFORE CARE\*: 7:30am – 9am

AFTER CARE\*: 3pm – 6pm \*Available for an additional fee. Parents can indicate which days they need before care or after care when registering.

#### New to AdaptAbilities?

You must complete an intake process before you can register for summer camps. Please click **here** to get started on our intake proce<u>ss or</u> contact our office at **780-431-8446**.

Ready to Register? Click here >

#### Fees

- A \$100 deposit is required to secure your registration
- Campers with a 3rd-party funding agency (FSCD, PDD, etc.) can direct bill for camp costs
- •We require a pre-authorization on a credit or debit card to pay for any fees not covered by FSCD/PDD funding
- •Campers without funding? Contact us for more information about our bursary fund

2024 PROGRAM



## Hearts in Action Camp Themes!

Join us for as many weeks as you'd like as each week we will incorporate new and exciting activities.

#### WEEK 1: JULY 2-5 Mission Impossible

#### TOP SECRET:

As an AdaptAbilities Secret Agent, your mission, if you choose to accept it, is to make this the best summer ever! Along the way you will acquire the skills of a Secret Agent by solving problems, maneuvering through obstacles, and accomplishing missions! No mission is impossible if you're the secret agent!



## WEEK 2: JULY 8-12

ASTRONAUTS ASSEMBLE!

Get ready to blast off into a week of camp that is out of this world! Camp Astronauts will learn about gravity, launch rocket ships, and create constellations. We will moonwalk across the planets and get lost exploring the Milky Way! Slip into your spacesuit and aboard the space shuttle as we blast off in 3...2...1!

#### WEEK 3: JULY 15-19 Wilderness Wonders



**READY TO EXPLORE?** Grab your binoculars, cameras, and compasses for this week's excursion! Campers will explore the diversity of wildlife all around us and all creatures of the Canadian wilderness. Campers will create habitats, learn survival techniques, and scavenge for all the hidden treasures Mother Nature has to offer!







## Hearts in Action –Kid's Camp

#### WEEK 4: JULY 22–26

#### **Game Changer**

**GAME ON!** Board Games, Sport Games, Giant Games, Outdoor Games, and Games Shows – there's no limit to the level of fun! Campers will create and explore new games and work together to be the Game Changer Champion! Whether it's on a board or on a field, it's time to play!

#### WEEK 6: AUG 6–9

#### **Down to a Science**

CHEMICAL REACTION? Density? States of matter? The world of science contains so many unanswered questions! Join this silly week of creation, observation, predictions, and solving! From slime and experiments to eruptions and explosions, get ready as Jr. Scientists will explore the mysteries of science through a variety of hands-on experiments! WEEK 5: JULY 29 - AUG 2

#### Deep Sea Adventure

SNORKELS READY! Starfish, sharks, and all things fishy come out to play this week as campers dive deep into underwater to discoveries and legends. What mysterious marine life will we discover this week?







## Hearts in Action –Kid's Camp

#### WEEK 7: AUGUST 12–16 Imagination Station

LIMITLESS EXPLORATION! Our Campers will embark upon a grand adventure where they can explore and create using the colours of their imagination through art, storytelling, theatre, and more! This is the place where pigs fly, cows jump over the moon and stories come to life! Let your imagination run wild!



#### **WEEK 8: AUGUST 19–23**

#### **Camp Rewind**

RESTART THE SUMMER! Our time machine is set to take us back to the beginning of summer! Hop on board and journey through time as we hit the rewind button to embark on an entire summer worth of adventure in one week and dream about next summer.

#### What to bring?

To ensure the MOST fun at camp, be sure to pack for the weather! **Don't forget:** 

🗸 Hat	Medication(s)
✓ Waterbottle	✓ Swim Gear
Sunscreen	✓ Jacket
Bug Spray	Personal Care Items
Lunch	
	All campers receive a free
	receive a free T-Shirt

## \* Register Now > \*

#### **Did You Know?**

That **AdaptAbilities** offers year-round support for families! This includes after-school care, social nights, centre or in-home respite, high school transition, drop-in sensory gym and more.



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#### **GROWTH MINDSET MUSIC CAMP**

JULY 11TH - AUGUST 8TH THURSDAYS 10:30AM - 12:00PM MILLET PUBLIC LIBRARY 4528 51 ST, MILLET, AB, TOC1ZO

JOIN MRS.PEEK AND MISS GIBSON FOR A FREE, FUN, MUSIC-FILLED SUMMER PROGRAM THAT FOCUSES ON HOW MUSIC CONNECTS TO HAVING A GROWTH MINDSET.

TO REGISTER FOR THIS 5-WEEK PROGRAM PLEASE CALL THE MILLET LIBRARY 780-387-5222

## Mindful Eating Camp

#### AGES 12-16

Teens will learn practical skills to support themselves with self-compassion, an attuned relationship to the body, sustainable self-care behaviours, and positive connection with others while exploring intuitive, mindful eating.

- The Connection Between Mental Wellbeing, Food and Nutrition
- Food from a Cultural, Traditional Lens
- The Importance of Trying New, Fun Foods

Snacks will be provided. THURSDAYS FROM 1:30PM - 3:00PM

JULY 11TH - AUGUST 8TH

**AT GRIFFITHS-SCOTT SCHOOL** 

PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER



PLEASE CONTACT NATALIE.PEEK@WRPS11.CA IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.



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