



November 2025 — Reminders & News

- **Remembrance Day Service** — [Click here](#) for more information. Please submit slideshow entries by Tuesday, November 4!
- **The Bear Necessities Cafe** — Closed from November 6 - 18. Sorry for any inconvenience.
- **Check Lost & Found Regularly** — Both locations have been consistently overflowing! Please retrieve items that belong to your child(ren) before they are donated at the end of each month.
- **Blue Days & School Closures** — As we head into the colder months ahead, please review these procedures.

Click the button below for this month's Dates to Remember.

DATES TO REMEMBER



Living Books Book Fair (November 4-6)
Purchase faith-based books and devotionals for all ages! Stop by the **Main Entrance Lobby** to shop after school, or during Parent-Teacher Interviews. Online ordering also available at [livingbooks.ca](#) — use promo BCSBOOKFAIR for free delivery to the school. Parent volunteers needed >> [Book Fair Volunteer Signup](#)



Online Auction (November 20 - 23)
Get ready to make a difference and support the mission of BCS! Auction is open for **4 days only** and will be full of fantastic items, experiences, and local services for you to bid on. We are still looking for more donations! Bring in your items by November 12 or contact events@bears pawschool.com for more information.



Annual General Meeting (November 24)
Join us on **Monday, November 24 at 7:00 pm** in the Moss Gym. The AGM presents a wonderful opportunity for our community to fellowship, worship, discuss exciting developments, and attend to regular business matters. This year's Annual Report will be sent via email to all parents and staff prior to the AGM.



Hitmen Teddy Bear Toss Game (December 5)
Our next Family Fun Night is the highly anticipated annual Hitmen Teddy Bear Toss hockey game! The puck drops on Sunday, December 5 at 4:00 pm at the Scotiabank Saddledome. Only 100 tickets available in our reserved section. [Click here to purchase your tickets](#) for \$25/person.

High School Impact Trips
[About BCS Impact Trips](#) | [25/26 Trip Schedule](#)

As a school community, let's be praying for the students/staff chaperones who will be participating in these trips! May God use these trips to challenge them each individually to learn, serve, and grow in their faith.

- **Grade 10 — Deeper Life Youth Conference** (February 6-8, 2026)
 - Registration opening soon! More details to come.
- **Grade 11 — YWAM Mission Adventure** (March 22-27, 2026)
 - Registration is OPEN! Final deadline to register is November 30.
 - [Click here](#) for all the details.

Click the buttons below to read current department updates.

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Advocacy for Independent Schools

A strong, informed community is essential to protecting and promoting the value of independent schools like BCS.

- **We encourage everyone to subscribe** to the [Everyday Advocates of Independent Schools Newsletter](#), a new initiative from AISCA (Association of Independent Schools & Colleges in Alberta).
- **Let's help them build a network of voices ready to advocate for the freedom of educational choice in Alberta!**

Additionally, we sent an email in October 2025 with resources and key talking points for defending private education funding ([click here to read](#)).

Prayer & Chapel

We invite all BCS parents and grandparents to join our school community each week for prayer and worship:

- **Parent Prayer — Mondays**
 - From 8:20 to 8:50 AM.
 - Meet at the front office.
 - [You can submit a prayer request here.](#)
- **Student Chapels — Fridays**
 - 8:45 - 9:20 AM (Elementary K-4)
 - 10:10 - 10:50 AM (High School 9-12)
 - 12:20 - 1:00 PM (Middle School 5-8)