



## Valhalla Community School

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### School News!

**Tonight! 7:00 pm** is the **Organizational Meeting** for the **School Council**. We are looking forward to seeing you 😊

**Terry Fox Run: Thursday, September 25 at 2:30pm.** Students are encouraged to begin to bring in **“Toonies for Terry.”** Community members are invited to take part with us. Please come and **share the experience** with us!

If you are a **community member** and you **do not have students** in school and **wish to receive** the school newsletter please **contact the school** office. The newsletter may be faxed out or mailed out to you.

Just a reminder, if your student is **arriving after 8:15am** or being **picked up before 3:40pm**, please sign the log book in the office. This should be done each time, even with a note. This allows the school to account for all students in the event of an emergency.

Should **your student be absent** from school for a day or longer, we **appreciate a note** or a **phone call** to the **office**. Generally the office is open by 8:00am. 780-356-2370

**“Merv Crouse Coats For Kids”** is campaign is under way. It runs **until October 15<sup>th</sup>**. If you have **gently used** winter coats that you **no longer need** consider sending them along with your student to our collection bin. These will be taken in and donated on behalf of the Valhalla Community School.

Attached is the Alberta Health, **Peace Country Health** monthly **newsletter**.

### Bus Driver's Corner!

Today the students practiced safe evacuation of the bus in the event of an emergency. This would be a good topic to discuss with your student(s) so as to know that each understands the process.

**Not going to be at your bus stop?** As a courtesy, please phone your driver the evening before or early in the morning (7:15am) to inform him/her. It is truly appreciated 😊

Please **dress for the weather**, we wish to provide a **safe and happy** trip to and from school!

**Over...**

### Community News!

**Benefit for Madison:** it is to be held this Saturday at 6:30pm. Please see the attached note for contact information.

**4-H News:** Mrs. Pat Moutray will host a **4-H Beef Club Organizational** meeting on **October 6, 2008** at the Valhalla Mercantile at 7:00pm. To join you must be 9 years old by December 31, 2008. For more information please contact Mrs. Moutray at 780-356-2372.

**Valhalla Community Library:** Regular hours of operation: Tuesday 11 to 5, Wednesday 10 to 6 and Thursday 11 to 5. The regular meeting of the library board is Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm. The community is welcomed to attend.

Susan Thomson  
Principal

“A kind and compassionate act is often its own reward.” William John Bennett