

September 26th to September 29th

Orange Shirt Day

There is no school on Friday, September 30th to acknowledge the National Day for Truth & Reconciliation, so we will be recognizing Orange Shirt Day on Thursday. Orange Shirt Day is a time to remember the inhumane and prejudicial treatment of Indigenous children who were forced to attend Residential Schools. When Phyllis Webstad was just six years old, she was taken from her home and boarded at St. Joseph's Mission, a residential school just south of Williams Lake, British Columbia. Her experience has led to the national recognition of the orange shirt as a symbol of remembrance. For more about Phyllis's story, check out this [YouTube video](#).

Mountain Biking

Aurora Middle School was well represented at the LSAA mountain biking event in Cold Lake this past week. We had seven students attend and they all had a blast and did well!



Important dates

PAC/School Council-September 28th

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation- September 30th (no school)

Picture Day-October 5th

No school day for students- October 7th

Thanksgiving- October 10th

