

Annie L. Gaetz Weekly GatorAde

September 8-12, 2025



Friday, September 12	-School Pictures
Tuesday, September 16	-School Council Meeting 6:00 PM
Thursday, September 18	-Terry Fox Run 2:45 PM
Friday, September 19	-Staff Learning Day (No School For Students)
Friday, September 26	-Assembly 2:30 PM
Monday, September 29	-Orange Shirt Day
Tuesday, September 30	-National Day of Truth & Reconciliation - No School

Each student is required to complete the following every year:

- **RSVP-Registration-Update/Verify student information**
- **Neighborhood Walk Field Trip Form**
- **Technology Use Agreement**
- **Pay \$40.00 yearly field trip fee-Fee is posted in PowerSchool. Go to the tab **School Fees and Forms** to pay online. Exact cash can also be brought to the office.**

Detailed instructions for completing these items can be found on the following pages. If you need any assistance, please don't hesitate to contact the office at 403-347-5660.

Please **do not** use the PowerSchool App - it does not work for forms. Use the link on the next page, the link in your ALG app or go to our website.

INSTRUCTIONS

Parent PowerSchool Link

RSVP & Information Update (Please do this in August or September)

- Click on the **second tab on the left-hand side** (RSVP).
- Review each tab and confirm or update your information.
- Ensure you receive a **green check mark** on each tab—this confirms that your information has been successfully processed by the school.
- This step verifies that your child's **contact and medical information** is accurate and up to date.
- This RSVP is your child's registration and needs to be completed **each** school year.
- Every student must have this completed yearly.

Forms - Field Trip

SchoolEngage

- Click on the **SchoolEngage tab at the bottom of the menu**
- Click on Students
- Click on student name
- The forms assigned will show
- Complete and submit

Each child needs to have their Technology Use Agreement form completed in order to use technology at school.

Each child needs to have their Neighborhood walk form completed.

Field Trip Fee

Student Fees/Rycor Forms

- Click on the **Student Fees/Rycor Forms Tab**
- Click on field trip fees (Fee will be posted by September 5)
- Complete payment
- Fees can be paid with cash at the office (exact change please)

Sign up to receive text message reminders for hot lunch, special occasions and receive the weekly newsletter via text.



SMS Text Opt-In



Parents and Guardians

You can take advantage of our Text Messaging Service

Our school utilizes the SchoolMessenger system to deliver text messages, straight to your mobile phone with important information about events, school closings, safety alerts and more.*

You can participate in this free service* just by sending a text message of "Y" or "Yes" to our school's short code number, 724665.

You can also opt out of these messages at any time by simply replying to one of our messages with "Stop".

SchoolMessenger is compliant with the [Student Privacy Pledge™](#) so you can rest assured that your information is safe and will never be given or sold to anyone.



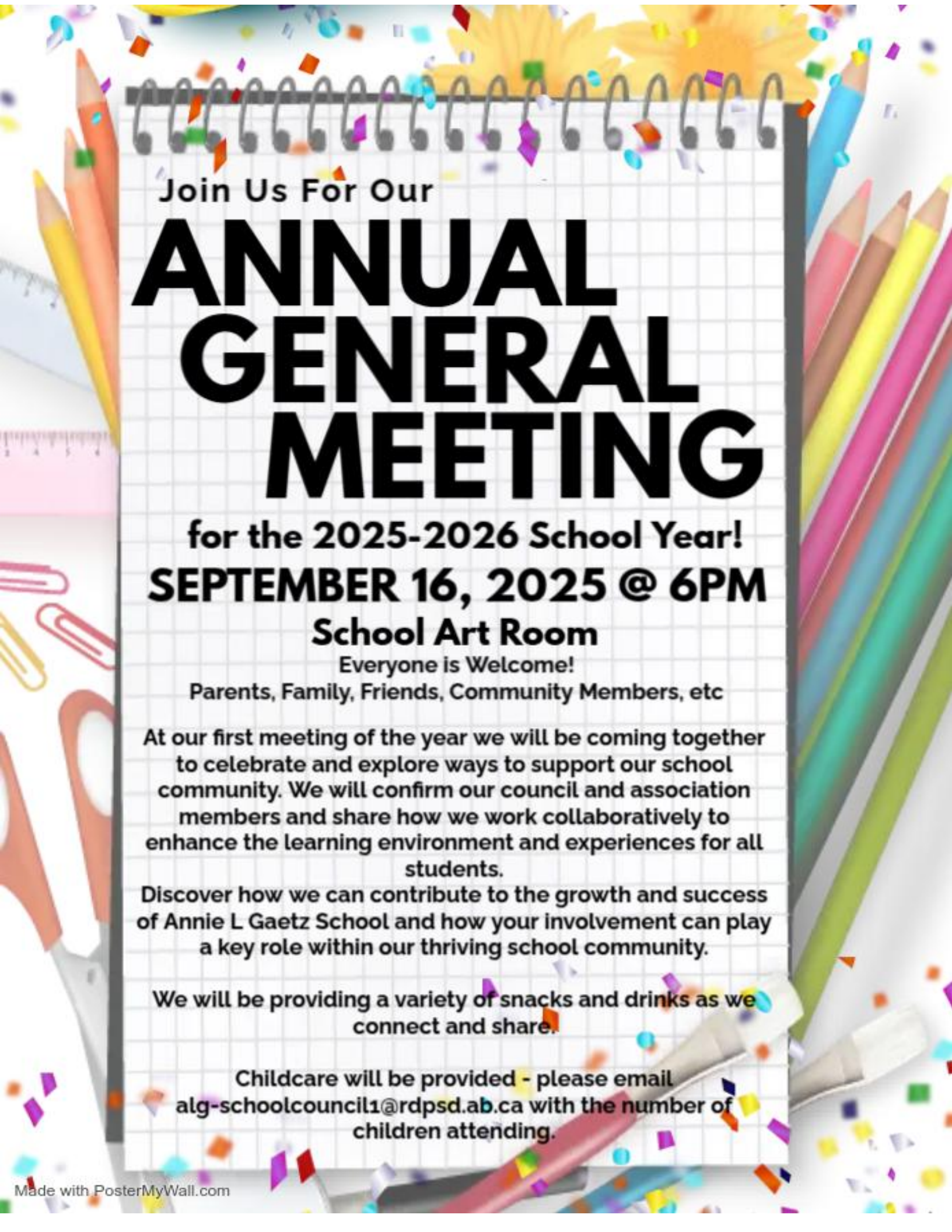
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your mobile
now!**



**Just send "Y"
or "Yes" to
724665.**



Information on SMS text messaging and Short Codes: SMS stands for Short Message Service and is commonly referred to as a "text message". Most cell phones support this type of text messaging. Our notification provider, SchoolMessenger, uses a true SMS protocol developed by the telecommunications industry specifically for mass text messaging, referred to as "short code" texting. This method is fast, secure and highly reliable because it is strictly regulated by the wireless carriers and only allows access to approved providers.

The background of the poster is a white spiral-bound notebook. It is decorated with various school supplies: several colored pencils (orange, yellow, pink, blue, green) are positioned around the edges; a pair of orange-handled scissors is on the left; and a pink ruler is on the left side. Confetti in various colors (red, blue, yellow, green, purple) is scattered throughout the scene. A large, stylized orange flower is at the top center.

Join Us For Our

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

for the 2025-2026 School Year!
SEPTEMBER 16, 2025 @ 6PM
School Art Room

Everyone is Welcome!

Parents, Family, Friends, Community Members, etc

At our first meeting of the year we will be coming together to celebrate and explore ways to support our school community. We will confirm our council and association members and share how we work collaboratively to enhance the learning environment and experiences for all students.

Discover how we can contribute to the growth and success of Annie L Gaetz School and how your involvement can play a key role within our thriving school community.

We will be providing a variety of snacks and drinks as we connect and share.

**Childcare will be provided - please email
alg-schoolcouncil1@rdpsd.ab.ca with the number of
children attending.**

TERRY FOX SCHOOL RUN



This year marks the 45th anniversary of Terry Fox's Marathon of Hope.

At 2:45 pm on September 18, 2025 Annie L. Gaetz students and staff will be participating in the Terry Fox School Run.

We are standing with Terry and millions of other Canadians in the fight against cancer.

Bring a toonie the day of the run or click **[HERE](#)** to donate online.



Community Events

Red Deer

Click [HERE](#) to view

