

## Terry Fox Foundation thanks Chinook's Edge schools for 'incredible effort and dedication'



**Generous community of schools!** Carstairs Elementary is part of a strong network of Chinook's Edge schools that take part in the Terry Fox School Run each year.

Chinook's Edge received a letter from the Terry Fox Foundation praising the many schools that participated in the annual event last fall. Twenty-five Chinook's Edge schools raised over \$27,000 at their events, and students continue to be inspired by the devotion and optimism of Terry Fox.

"On behalf of the Terry Fox Foundation, we would like to take this opportunity to thank you and your family of schools for the incredible effort and dedication you have shown in raising funds for the 2022 Terry Fox School Run. Chinook's Edge School Division was part of an exciting fundraising year in Alberta last fall," wrote Darcy McKenzie, School Development Officer, Terry Fox Foundation.



**Heading to national science fair!** Claire Friesen, Grade 7 student at Cremona School, won Best of Fair and the Gold Medal for Grades 7-12 at the Central Alberta Rotary Science Fair on Saturday. Claire qualified to take part in the Canada-Wide Science Fair in Edmonton from May 14-19. Read about more Chinook's Edge projects [at this link!](#)



**Middle School administrators field trip** - Admin from middle schools across the division used to gather a few times each year to see what's happening in each other's buildings and share an unrushed conversation about best practices in leading a middle school. Although that process was disrupted by COVID for a few years, Principal Carolyn Massel reignited the gathering at Westglen School in Didsbury last week. Among the agenda items was a discussion about supporting the timetabling and multi-use of facility space to best offer CTF courses.

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