



# Pathways Family Services Foster Care News

“Providing children and families with safety, stability and belonging”

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## *Back to School*



- The costs of school fees and supplies are covered by the Regional Authority or CSD site.
- Each child (particularly those who are not siblings) MUST have separate receipts! If receipts are NOT separated, they will be processed last (and there are a lot of them)! As well - we do ask that receipts are submitted in a timely manner. Make sure they are clearly labelled with the child's full name.
- Please continue to submit receipts electronically to [general@pathwaysfamilyservices.com](mailto:general@pathwaysfamilyservices.com). Thanks to all who are scanning receipts and submitting them as PDF documents - this makes admin's task much easier! For those unable to submit receipts electronically, thanks for utilizing the mailbox outside the front door. Please put all receipts in a sealed envelope. The mailbox is checked daily.
- A list of required supplies provided by the child's school must accompany the receipts (these can usually be obtained from the school's website). If a list is not available, or you're purchasing items not on the list, the Case Worker/CSD Worker must pre-approve expenses.
- Exceptionally high priced items (e.g. calculators or expensive gym shoes) require Case Worker/CSD Worker approval before they're purchased.
- Receipts must always show the date on which the items were purchased as well as method of payment (e.g. cash, debit).
- For those who have children utilizing bus passes, we request that you make every effort to pay bus and other school fees on a monthly basis and submit receipts for these to the office at the end of every month.



*Pathways will be closed Monday, September 7th for Labour Day. Call 780-499-4175 with any emergencies.*

# Foster Parent's "Back To School..."

## First Aid:

First Aid training is now available through the region. This "hybrid" training allows participants to complete the theory portion online. Once the online portion is completed, each participant will have 90 days to complete their in-person portion (dates to be determined). Each participant, not household, will need their own individual e-mail address. Please forward your name and e-mail to Kristen at [training@pathwaysfamilyservices.com](mailto:training@pathwaysfamilyservices.com) in order to get enrolled.



## Training:

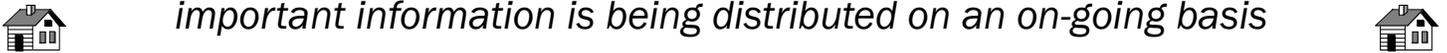
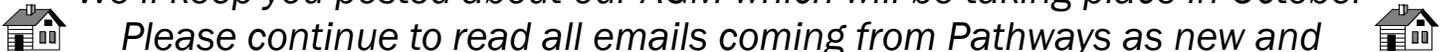
We eagerly await information from the training unit regarding the resumption of training. There has been no information given yet. Kristen will be forwarding all information as it comes. We hope to hear something soon.



## Town Hall Meetings

Our Remote Town Hall Meetings will resume  
Wednesday, September 30th

Times: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.



We'll keep you posted about our AGM which will be taking place in October  
Please continue to read all emails coming from Pathways as new and  
important information is being distributed on an on-going basis



Your vehicle registration will expire September 30th if the  
last name the vehicle is  
registered under begins with F, Po or T.



Online vehicle registration is available through the Alberta Government website  
at: <https://www.alberta.ca/vehicle-registration-renewal.aspx>

If registering on-line, ensure you allow sufficient time for your registration to  
be processed and mailed back to you - guidelines are listed on the website.

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