



In the news on Palliser's website

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Make literacy part of your family's fun

Parents wanting to ensure their kids become strong readers poised for life in the information age can breathe easier knowing how easy it can be to support literacy at home. The key can be summed up in three little letters: F-U-N. Palliser's Literacy Coach Connie Adserballe offers tips for parents.

Noble Central means business

When Noble Central School opened its doors to the Nobleford business community Jan. 13, about 70 people representing more than 40 local businesses gladly took up the invitation.

Carmangay Outreach sets up shop

What do you get when you put 14 teenagers from Carmangay Outreach School and their teachers inside a massive home improvement store, knowing they have at least \$5,000 to spend? Fun, that's what you get, not to mention three very large flats of goods.

School bus safety reminder

Events in recent days on the highways of southern Alberta suggest some drivers are unaware of the rules of the road when it comes to school buses.

An early start to speech and language

Several of Palliser Regional Schools' preschools and kindergarten programs received a gift of speech and language resources thanks to the efforts the division's early intervention specialist and three learning assistants.

Your voice is a priceless resource

Palliser Regional Schools encourages parents across the division to participate in the upcoming Accountability Pillar surveys, which will be distributed later this month.

Merry Christmas from Palliser

Students and staff across Palliser celebrated the season with acts of giving, kindness and music.

Kate Andrews steps up, slims down for the food bank

Staff at Kate Andrews High School in Coaldale collectively dropped 108 pounds on their way to raising more than \$5,300 for the Coaldale Food Bank during a six-week wellness campaign.

Scuba school for CES students

For 16 Grade 5/6 Coalhurst Elementary students, an ocean reading unit has turned into an exciting life experience they won't soon forget. Teacher Jeff Bryant has a love of scuba diving and was excited to share

Highlights of the December 20 Board meeting

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From the media:

[Too close for comfort at rural Palliser bus stop](#), Sunny South News

[Noble students making connections](#), Sunny South News

[Working with students to help them overcome hurdles on their way to success](#), Vulcan Advocate

[School bus close calls](#), CTV News