

CAMPUS CONNECTIONS

A Newsletter for Burman University

Thursday, 02 April 2026



BUSA
PRESENTS ...

EASTER

EGG HUNT

Campus-Wide Event | Cash Prizes!
MAXIMUM 2 EGGS PER PERSON

FIND | **COLLECT** | **WIN**
THURSDAY | APRIL 2ND | 8 AM

REDEEM EGGS AT STUDENT SERVICES | 8 AM - 8 PM

IMPORTANT ACADEMIC DATES

April 10 Last day to withdraw from any second 1/2 term course without incurring an F grade

See [Academic Dates](#) for further information.

Week at a Glance

Sunset: 8:13 pm

Friday, April 3 @ 4:00 PM
Passion of the Hilltop
Multi-Set Immersive Experience

SABBATH

EARLY MORNING WORSHIP @ 9:00 AM
The Invitation to Prayer
Speaker: Pastor Dennialia Fray

CHURCH AT STUDY

10:10 AM

UNIVERSITY SABBATH SCHOOL

10:00 AM

Social Eyez

COMMUNITY WORSHIP @ 11:30 AM

The Invitation to Prayer
Speaker: Pastor Dennialia Fray

Coming up....

NO CLASSES

Easter Break

Friday, April 3 & Monday, April 6

Saturday, April 4

Open Gym

Tuesday @ 11 AM

PowerUp

Wednesday, April 8 @ 7:30 PM

BUCO Winter Concert

College Church

Friday, April 10 @ 5 PM

Acronaire Homeshow

Under the Sea

Burman PE Centre

Wednesday, April 15 @ 5:15

Year End Celebration

Family Feud

Burman PE Centre

Haitian Club

CULTURAL SHOWCASE

THURSDAY @ 8PM |  HIDEOUT



POP-UP RESTAURANT



MOCKTAILS



GAMES



KONPA LESSONS



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

For Masckwacis Outreach

When | Sabbath, **April 04**

Why | Join the Maskwacis

Outreach Program to **connect**

with **Indigenous children.**

Where | Maskwacis SDA Church

441022 Range Rd 253, Ponoka, AB

T4J 1R2

Pickup @ Lakeview Hall | 10:30 AM

Drop Off @ Lakeview Hall | 3:30 PM

Limited Spots Sign Up with the link in your Gmail!



Passion of the Hilltop

April 3, 2026 | 4:00 PM | Free Admission

A MULTI-SET IMMERSIVE EXPERIENCE RECREATING VIGNETTES FROM THE LIFE AND MINISTRY OF JESUS, THE CHRIST

FEATURING FACULTY, STAFF, STUDENTS AND MEMBERS FROM BURMAN UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE HEIGHTS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, PARKVIEW ADVENTIST ACADEMY & COLLEGE HEIGHTS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH



LACOMBE, ALBERTA



SABBATH SCHOOL

STUDYING

GENESIS
45

WITH WAYNE H

@SOCIAL EYEZ

TIME | 10:00 AM - 11:20 AM

04.04.2026



THIS SABBATH AT COLLEGE HEIGHTS
APRIL 4, 2026

THE
Invitation
TO PRAYER

CHURCH AT STUDY
10:00 AM

COMMUNITY WORSHIP
& COMMUNION
11:30 AM WITH PR DENNALIA FRAY



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BUCCO

Winter Concert

Eduardo Solá
director

April 8, 2026
Wednesday • 7:30pm
College Heights Church

Under the Sea *ACRONAIRE*

HOMESHOW

Come out for an evening
of exciting Acrobatics!

Friday, April 10, 2026
at 5:00pm

Burman University PE Centre:
6415 University Dr, Lacombe AB



Free Admission
An offering will be collected



Come Hungry!

A variety of food will be
available for purchase after
the show



**Featuring Guest
Performer:
Harry Pupualiii!**

Harry is an experienced fire-knife performer
and worked at Disneyland Hong Kong for
over 15 years as a Specialty Performer. He
performed with the Acronaires at their 50th
and we are honored and excited to welcome
him back.

Year End Celebration

Presents



Provided by

Access Entertainment & Events Calgary

You will have the opportunity to be part of a team of four and to win a prize!

Free Food, FUN, Friends and PRIZES

Burman Students, Faculty and Staff, let's end this school year together!
Your family is invited to join you.

Student ID Card may be requested

Wednesday, April 15
Doors open @ 5:15 PM
PE Centre



BUSA X SENATE

BURMAN POP-UP MARKET

SELL, TRADE, SHOP & SUPPORT!

4PM -
6PM

APRIL
12

@THE
CAFE &
HIDEOUT

Looking to participate? Sign up [HERE](#)



EDI Corner

Equity Diversity and Inclusion

THE CONNECTION BETWEEN EDI AND THE PASSION OF CHRIST

As I reflect on this upcoming Passion Weekend, also known commonly as Easter, I think about the deeper implications for our work in the EDI domain. How do we integrate our faith in our promotion of equity, diversity and inclusion on our campus and beyond? I believe at the heart of the Passion of Jesus Christ lies a profound narrative of radical inclusion and the subversion of social hierarchies.

To fully understand the significance of Jesus Christ through an EDI lens, one must look at how His life and final days challenged the systemic exclusions of his time.

First, we see His Radical Equity as the Suffering Servant. Equity is often defined as providing individuals with what they need to succeed, acknowledging that we don't all start from the same place. In Christian theology, the Passion represents a divine act of equity. The Passion suggests that no human is beyond the reach of grace, regardless of social status, wealth, or ethnicity.

Second, consider with me the Solidarity with the Marginalized: By undergoing a criminal's execution (crucifixion), Jesus identified with the "least of these." He moved from a position of power to a position of profound vulnerability, modeling an extreme form of empathy that modern equity seeks to replicate.

Third, Diversity: A Multi-Ethnic Movement. While the Passion took place in a specific Roman province, its theological implications were designed to be universal. The events surrounding the crucifixion and the subsequent Pentecost are often cited as the birth of a global, diverse community.

Fourth, The Diverse Crowd: The Bible notes that people from across the known world (Cyrene, Rome, Egypt, Mesopotamia) were present in Jerusalem. Simon of Cyrene, an African man, is the one tasked with helping Jesus carry the cross—a symbolic moment of cross-cultural shared burden.

Fifth, Breaking Nationalistic Barriers: The New Testament teaches that "there is neither Jew nor Gentile, slave nor free, male nor female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus" (Galatians 3:28). This is an early mandate for a community defined by its differences rather than divided by them.

Inclusion is about ensuring that diverse individuals feel a sense of belonging. Throughout the Passion narrative, Jesus intentionally includes those whom society had deemed "unworthy." Even in his final moments, Jesus practices radical inclusion by promising paradise to a convicted criminal hanging beside him. This suggests that belonging is not earned through merit or social standing but offered through relationship.

In a historical context where a woman's testimony was often legally invalid, the Bible records that women were the primary witnesses to the crucifixion and the first to report the resurrection. This inclusion of women as the "first messengers" was a revolutionary shift in patriarchal social structures. Finally, the "Passion" (from the Latin *passio*, meaning suffering) serves as a reminder that systemic change often requires sacrifice and a willingness to confront uncomfortable truths. This weekend we celebrate the "Passion on the Hill."

May we see Jesus "through new eyes" and embrace a message that breaks barriers, embraces diversity, creates belonging, where here on the Hill at Burman everyone must have an equal space to Think, Act, and Believe with the freedom and liberty that was procured and secured for us at the Cross of Calvary. This message is not just for Burman, but for the whole world. Let's share, live it, and make it happen.



The Facility Maintenance department is hiring full-time student workers for this summer!

- Preference will be given to candidates with a valid driver's license (meeting driving policy criteria).
 - Students may qualify for a Burman scholarship of up to \$1,000.
 - Students working full-time on campus and residing in Lakeview Hall, Maple Hall or Riverton may be eligible for a summer rent rebate.



Inquire for details and apply at Facility Maintenance office
Ext. # 4130 or facilitysec@burmanu.ca

The Burman Grounds Department is hiring full-time student workers for summer 2026!



- You will help with the beautification of the campus grounds.
- Duties include, but are not limited to, watering, pruning and mowing.
- Preference will be given to candidates with a valid driver's license (meeting driving policy criteria), a background in landscaping, or experience in machine operation.

Benefits:

- Students may qualify for a Burman scholarship of up to \$1,000.
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Job Posting: Child Care Program Assistant (Level 1,2 or 3)**Location: BGC Wolf Creek - Rimbey**

BGC Wolf Creek is seeking a Child Care Program Assistant for our Rimbey location. The ideal candidate will be passionate about working with children ages 5-12 and dedicated to creating a safe and nurturing environment.

Qualifications:

- Minimum 16 years of age
- Minimum Level 1 Childcare Certification (or willingness to obtain within 6 months through online course)
- Clear Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Check
- Valid First Aid/CPR certification
- Previous experience working with children is preferred

Primary Responsibilities:

- Engage with children in a supportive and nurturing manner
- Safely walk children from schools to the program
- Maintain cleanliness, organization, and safety of facilities
- Demonstrate a proactive, appropriate and positive approach to behaviour management issues and conflict resolution situations.
- Assist in program development and ensure compliance with licensing regulations

Hours:

- Sept to June 20-25 hours a week
- 2:45PM-6:00PM Monday to Friday
- 8:00AM-6:00PM PD day (every other Friday)
- July and August hours TBD
- Schedule subject to change

Remuneration:

- Level 1 Child Care Certification: \$16.00/hr + \$2.64/hr
- Level 2 Child Care Certification: \$17.00/hr + \$5.05/hr
- Level 3 Child Care Certification: \$18.00/hr + \$8.62/hr

Application: Resumes will be accepted until a suitable candidate is found. For a detailed job description, please email admin@bgcwolfcreek.com.

Contact Information:**BGC Wolf Creek****Phone: 403-783-3112****Email: admin@bgcwolfcreek.com**