

CAMPUS CONNECTIONS

A Newsletter for Burman University

Thursday, 02 October 2025



IMPORTANT ACADEMIC DATES

October 2 - 27	50% Tuition Refund for full-term courses
October 3	Last day to withdraw from any first 1/2 term course without incurring an F grade
October 20	Second 1/2 term begins
October 22	Last day to add any second 1/2 term or professional term course
October 24	Last day to drop any second 1/2 term course without entry on permanent record.
October 28	\$0 tuition refund in effect for full-term courses

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

Week at a Glance

Sunset: 7:06 pm

Friday, October 3 @ 7:30 PM

CAYA

Mi Historia

Pastor Mass, Chap C & Pastor Julio Davila
College Church

SABBATH

FIRST SERVICE

9:00 AM

Speaker: Paul Llewellyn. SDACC President
What Next?

CHURCH AT STUDY

10:10 AM

UNIVERSITY SABBATH SCHOOL

10:00 AM

Social Eyez

COMMUNITY WORSHIP

11:30 AM

Speaker: Paul Llewellyn. SDACC President
What Next?

AY in Action @ 4:00 PM

Meet in the Church Parking Lot

Coming up....

Saturday, October 4

@ 5:50 - 8:30 PM

Campfire @ Casey's Cabin

Hosted by Sakala Centre

@ 8:00 PM

La Fiesta! Presented by BULAA

The Spiritual Life Centre

Sunday, October 5 @ 4 PM

Sunday @ 4

College Heights Church

Tuesday, October 7 @ 11 AM

PowerUp

Admin Chapel

Thursday, October 9 @ 11:30 AM

Pumpkin/Apple Pie

Sundial/Admin Lobby weather permitting



ASK A QUESTION – SAVE A LIFE

QPR SUICIDE GATEKEEPER TRAINING

QPR stands for Question, Persuade and Refer, three steps anyone can learn to help prevent suicide.

Use the QR code to sign-up **OR**

Come to the Centre to sign up!

Questions? Connect with Tamara or
Elise at SSC



**Just like CPR, QPR is
an appropriate
response to
someone in crisis.**

**You can help save
lives**

**WHEN: Thursday
Oct 2nd
11:00 – 12:30pm**

WHERE: Rm A041

**Lunch will be
provided**

*Together
we can
make a
difference*

**League Play Begins!
Prairie Athletic Conference**

Thursday October 2

**Burman Bobcats vs
Millar Edge**

Men's @ 6 pm

Women's @ 8 pm



Friday October 3

**Burman Bobcats vs
Briercrest Clippers**

Women's @ 12 pm

Men's @ 2 pm

**Burman PE Centre
6415 University Drive, Lacombe AB**

CAMPUS MINISTRIES C A Y A



WITH CHAP MASS, CHAP C & PASTOR JULIO DAVILA

"Mi Historia"

FRIDAY | OCTOBER 03 | 7:30 PM
College Heights SDA



College Heights



"WHAT
NEXT!"

with Paul Llewellyn
SDACC President

Sabbath, October 4

9:00 AM EARLY MORNING WORSHIP
10:10 AM The Church at Study
11:30 AM COMMUNITY WORSHIP

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

SABBATH SCHOOL

STUDYING
GENESIS
20

WITH EMMA

@SOCIAL EYEZ

TIME | 10:00 AM - 11:20 AM

04.10.2025



AY IN ACTION

LET'S SERVE

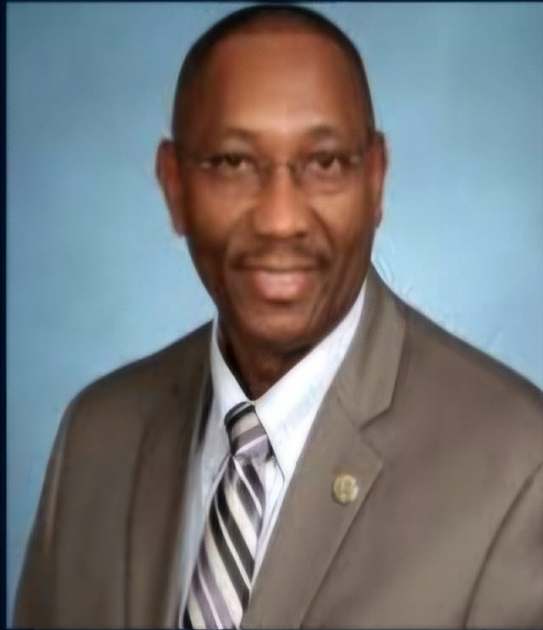
Senior Visitation

SATURDAY, 04 OCTOBER | 4 PM | CHURCH PARKING LOT

hands that serve, hands that love



DISCIPLESHIP CONVENTION 2025



FEATURED SPEAKER

**DR. BALVIN
BRAHAM**

VICE PRESIDENT, INTER-
AMERICAN DIVISION

*Come for a day
filled with:*

**LEADERSHIP
DEVELOPMENT
& TRAINING
FOR TODAY'S
CHURCH**

**OCTOBER 4,
2025**

FRIENDSHIP COMPANY
SDA CHURCH
5109 - 51 STREET
LACOMBE, ALBERTA



Soul stirring
Inspirational Singing



Power-packed
preaching



Practical
Leadership Insights

HOSTED BY
**FRIENDSHIP COMPANY
SDA CHURCH**



You are cordially invited
to an evening of classical chamber music by the

Central Alberta Chamber Orchestra

at St. Andrew United Church in Lacombe

7:00 pm Friday October 3, 2025

Tickets on [Eventbrite.ca](https://www.eventbrite.ca) or at the door

\$30 - Adults

\$20 Seniors 65+

\$10 Students 13+

Children 12 and under - Free

Hear music from Monteverdi, Saint Saens, Sphor, Scheidt, and more!

Featuring Val Sherman - Flute

Joyce Howdle - Clarinet

Classically Yours,
CACO



JOIN THE SAKALA SUCCESS CENTRE & ROC
OCT 4TH, 5:30 TO 8:30



THE GRATEFUL TABLE

Everyone is welcome to the table



Saturday, October 11
following second service

Register to be a Guest or a Host

You are invited to participate in *The Grateful Table*, where you can either be a guest or a host for Sabbath lunch on October 11, following Community Worship. Experience the blessings of a Canadian Thanksgiving with others in our community. No one should be lonely on this holiday that celebrates sharing a bountiful harvest. Guests will be assigned to a home for lunch, and hosts will receive a list of those coming to their home.

If you sign up to be a guest, be sure to invite a friend or two and share the joy! Please attend and do not disappoint your host.

Anyone can be a guest or a host, whether you are a student, faculty or staff.

Register before October 6 right here [The Grateful Table](#).

Sincerely,
Shelley Agrey and
The Church Social Committee



BULAA PRESENTS:



LA FIESTA



OCTOBER 4TH

**DOORS
OPEN
8:00 P.M.**



**@THE
SPIRITUAL
LIFE CENTER**

**GOOD MUSIC, GREAT FOOD & GREATER
VIBES!**



Womens Volleyball Tryouts



When and Where?

Sunday, October 5 @ 10 am: Burman PE Centre

Monday, October 6 @ 8 pm: PAA Gym

BURMAN BOBCATS

Rosedale Valley Disc Golf Course Grand Opening

Sunday October 5 @ 1 pm

Join us in the NE corner of the Burman
PE Centre Parking Lot

Come for the ribbon cutting, refreshments, and
a **tutorial** on how to play the newest recreational
activity on Burman Campus!



SUNDAY@4 CONCERT: The Lily Quartet is an innovative, professional string quartet based in Alberta. This year's project is titled "Four Strong Winds" and represents composers from four cities in Alberta as well as the four women in their quartet! Sunday, October 5, 2025 at 4:00 p.m. College Heights SDA Church. FREE for Burman students/staff/faculty & immediate family. <https://lilystringquartet.com/>



2025/2026 SEASON



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5 @ 4PM

LILY STRING QUARTET

ALL CANADIAN PROGRAM

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23 @ 4PM

MASMOUDI QUARTETTE

FUSION: JAZZ & WORLD MUSIC

SUNDAY, JANUARY 11 @ 4PM

ENSEMBLE PAMPINEA

EARLY MUSIC

SUNDAY, MARCH 9 @ 4PM

MATHIEU & CHUA DUO

VIOLIN & PIANO

BECOME A SEASON TICKET HOLDER BY OCTOBER 5, 2025 & ENJOY ALL FOUR CONCERTS AT 20% OFF!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT WWW.BURMANU.CA/SUNDAYAT4





BURMAN UNIVERSITY PRESENTS

Official Opening of the **INTERNATIONAL OFFICE & LOUNGE**



Wednesday, October 8, 2025



12:00 noon Admin Chapel, Burman University

Celebrate Global Connections!



Cultural Presentations

Experience the richness
of traditions from around
the world



Tasty Refreshments

Enjoy flavors that bring
people together



Networking Opportunities

Meet new friends and build
international connections



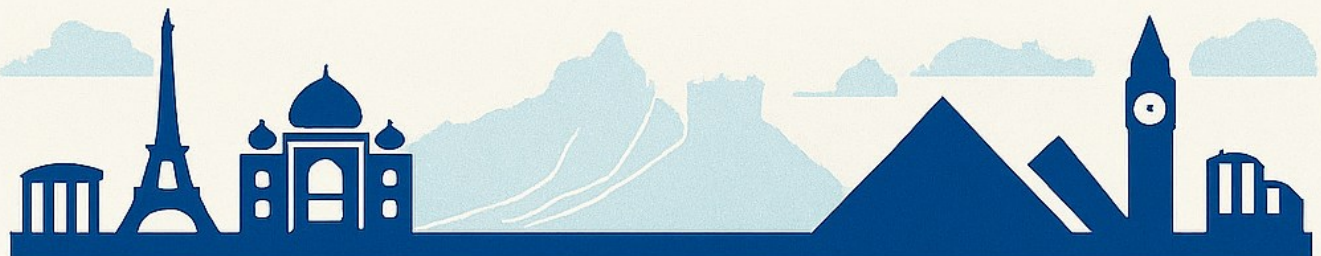
Guided Tour

Explore the brand-new
International Office &
Lounge

A Space for Everyone

Join us as we open doors to a vibrant hub of cultural exchange,
friendship, and community.

COME CELEBRATE, CONNECT, AND BE INSPIRED!





Can you identify Technology-Facilitated Gender-based Violence?

This presentation explores how digital tools—like social media, messaging apps, and online platforms—can be misused to harass, control, or harm others based on gender. Learn to recognize common forms of TFGBV, understand its impact on individuals and communities and identify support.

Sign up using the QR Code:

OR come by SSC to register

Questions: Contact Elise at the SSC



When harm goes digital, it's still violence

In Canada, 14% of women aged 15-24 have experienced cyberstalking

In addition, 1 in 5 women have experienced online harassment

**Learn more on Oct 9th,
11:00 – 12:30**

Room A041

Lunch will be provided

Hosted by

Sakala Success Centre

Presenter:

Jennifer Hewitt

DID YOU KNOW ?



"...students may take up to 12 academic credits for a four-year degree or 9 academic credits for a three-year degree on a Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory (S/U) grading basis... A student may apply for an S/U grade only in their third or fourth year... Grades are recorded on the permanent record and are not used to determine the GPA. S grades allow a student to receive credit for a course and count toward credit totals for graduation. In order to have an S grade recorded students must achieve at least a C- in the course."

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WWW.BURMANU.CA/ACADEMICCALENDAR

DID YOU KNOW?



An antelope can jump higher than a house. That is due to its powerful hind legs and the fact that a house cannot jump at all.

Writing Centre

APPOINTMENTS AVAILABLE

MON

1:30 - 5:00 PM

WED

3:00 - 5:00 PM

FRI

12:30 - 2:30 PM

As needed appointments available
Sunday-Tuesday, Thursday-Friday

Book now at <https://appt.link/WritingCentre/WritingCentre>

For inquiries or virtual meetings email
wcdirector@burmanu.ca

Don't be afraid to ask for help

Drop-in Counselling
Wednesday
11:00am- 1:00pm
Sakala Success Centre



AMATEUR HOUR



Have you ever wanted to show off a cool talent in front of all your friends and classmates? Are you interested in a chance to win an awesome prize? If so, sign up to perform at Amateur Hour!

Our guidelines for performances are as follows:

- No profane language/obscene performance
- Performance must not exceed 10 minutes
- Performance must be memorized for your audition
- Failure to attend audition or dress rehearsal will result in the removal of your performance from our list

Please note that auditions will be happening on **Friday, October 24th, 2025**, between 1:00-4:00 PM. Applications will close the night before auditions (October 23rd, 2025 at 11:59 PM). The audition sign-up sheet with specific times will be sent out to the email address provided. Information on Dress Rehearsals will be provided at a later date. Sign Up [HERE](#)

Truth and Reconciliation September 2025

Join the Lacombe and Area Coalition for ReconciliAction for facilitated viewings of the Center for Truth and Reconciliation's broadcasts on the topic of Truth and Reconciliation.

Five viewings will run every Tuesday starting September 30th from 6:30-7:30.

September 30th at St. Andrews Church

Surviving the Residential School System

October 7th at LMC

Uncovering the Truth: Ground Searches

October 14th at LMC

The Ongoing Legacy of the Residential School System through Child Welfare

October 21st at LMC

Reflecting on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada Calls to Action 10 Years Later

October 28th at LMC

Confronting Residential School Denialism

 6:30pm - 7:30pm

 September 30th to October 28th

 St. Andrews Church

Kinsmen room - LMC



Truth and Reconciliation
Commission of Canada

Designed to help viewers unlearn the myths of colonialism. If you want to watch these live September 22-26, or the recordings on your own, register here: <https://trw-svr.nctr.ca/lunch-and-learns/>. Thanks to the Library, Museum, and St. Andrew's for making this happen

Would you like to



and get  credit?

Learn French, Korean, German, and MORE!
Open to ANY MAJOR!

Come to **McKibbin 117** at
11:00am on **October 9**
to learn more!



Presenter: Juan Antonio Lopez
Director of Adventist Colleges
Abroad (ACA)



Jean Ouro
ACA Brazil

Special Guests

Haroldo Brouchy
ACA Argentina



Adventist Colleges Abroad
Explore. Learn. Grow.

Free Pie!

Thursday, October 10
11:30 - 1:30 pm

at the Sundial or Admin Lobby

FREE PUMPKIN or **APPLE PIE**

To all Burman University students, faculty and staff
(PLEASE NOTE, ONE PIECE PER PERSON)

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

from Student Services



SSC AND ROC RESENTS...

ART ATTACK

THURSDAY, OCT. 16TH
11:00 TO 1:00

WHERE: SOCIAL EYEZ

HEAR THE STORY

See the Ripples

Feel the IMPACT

Hear a powerful personal testimony from someone with a lived experience of addictions, then help create a visual representation of the impact of addictions and recovery.

All supplies will be provided
Including lunch!



pas·sion

verb _____ an immersive easter experience

Love on Earth

April 3, 2026

This year Campus Ministries will be coordinating an immersive theatrical Passion Play experience, recapturing and retelling the final days of the life of Jesus using various art forms (music, drama/ theatre, visual art & more).

The date for this event will be April 3, 2026 and will bring together several entities on the hilltop to create this epic.

Do you see yourself being a member of the cast, or supporting the staging of this event? There will be several ways in which you could contribute.

Feel free to attach your name to the [SIGN UP SHEET](#) and Denora, our student assistant coordinator will follow up with more details.



BURMAN
UNIVERSITY

Small Business Week 2025

POWER YOUR BUSINESS WITH
Ai

Join local business owners and industry experts to learn how to implement AI into your operations in simple, practical ways.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2025

7:30 AM - NOON • LACOMBE MEMORIAL CENTRE

Breakfast included • Keynote Speaker
Practical workshops • Expert Panel Discussion

More information and sign up at

www.yoursmallbusiness.ca/events





ALL ABOUT ADDICTIONS

POSTER PRESENTATION COMPETITION

The SSC and ROC invite students to participate in our poster presentation competition focused on Addictions. Get creative and design a bold, eye-catching poster that informs, inspires, and educates others on addictions.

WHEN?

Nov. 20th
11:00 – 1:00
Science Cntr

Four \$100 Prizes

Most Informative
Most Creative Design
Best Message or Theme
People's Choice

If you love to express your ideas through art and like the idea of winning \$100, this contest is for you. Scan for full details

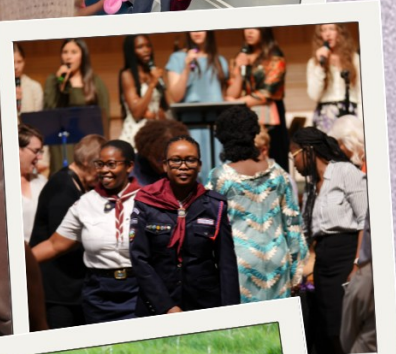




COLLEGE HEIGHTS
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

VOLUNTEER

with us!





SUMMER 2026

**GEAR UP,
SAVE LIVES,
MAKE A
DIFFERENCE.**

Are you ready for an exciting and rewarding summer job with the Canadian Coast Guard? Apply now for an opportunity to be a crew member for the **2026 Inshore Rescue Boat student program!**

Explore maritime Search and Rescue where every day brings new adventures and challenges. Whether it's day or night, rain or shine, you'll play a crucial role in responding to mariners in distress, tackling situations like:

- Disabled vessels
- Capsized vessels
- Lost or disoriented vessels
- Persons overboard
- Medical emergencies

**Applications
are open until
November 24, 2025.**

Don't miss your chance to make a real impact!

Your summer contract will run from **April or May 2026 to September 2026**, with paid training provided by the Canadian Coast Guard.

SCAN ME




**APPLY NOW
for Summer 2026.**

Contact us:
DFO.CCGStudentRecruitProgram-ProgrammederecrutdetudiantsGCC.MPO@dfo-mpo.gc.ca



Canadian
Coast Guard

Garde côtière
canadienne



Applications for Summer 2026 are now open! The deadline to apply is **November 24, 2025**.

Who we're looking for:

We're seeking students who hold the following certifications:

Standard First Aid with CPR-C and AED

Pleasure Craft Operator Card ([or equivalent](#))

Restricted Radio Operator Certificate – Maritime ([ROC-M](#)) with VHF DSC endorsement

A valid, unrestricted Canadian driver's licence (*Note: graduated licences with restrictions are not accepted*)

Join a Virtual Info Session

Want to learn more? We're hosting online information sessions about the IRB Program:

[English session: Wednesday, October 22, 2025 @7:00 EST](#)

[French session: Wednesday, October 28, 2025 @ 7:00 pm EST](#)