

## **History Hunt 2016**

“That school is named after ...”

History Hunt 2016 challenges participants to learn about some lesser-known school namesakes in Calgary.

In each group match the names to the bios for that group.

Mail completed forms to the CCHS office postmarked by August 15, 2016 to be eligible for the prize draw.

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### **Group 1**

**1. Keeler School (Forest Heights) named for Albert George Keeler \_\_\_\_\_**

**2. Ernest Morrow School (Forest Lawn) \_\_\_\_\_**

**3. Chris Akkerman School (Marlborough) \_\_\_\_\_**

**4. Patrick Airlie School (Forest Lawn) \_\_\_\_\_**

### **Group 2**

**5. Annie Foote School (Temple) \_\_\_\_\_**

**6. Annie Gale School (Whitehorn) \_\_\_\_\_**

**7. Catherine Nichols Gunn School (Huntington Hills) \_\_\_\_\_**

**8. Ethel M Johnson School (Southwood) \_\_\_\_\_**

### **Group 3**

**9. Monsignor Neville Anderson School (Sandstone) \_\_\_\_\_**

**10. Monsignor E L Doyle School (Scenic Acres) \_\_\_\_\_**

**11. Father James Whelihan School (Sundance) \_\_\_\_\_**

**Group 4**

**12. H D Cartwright School (Dalhousie) \_\_\_\_\_**

**13. Harold Panabaker School (Southwood) \_\_\_\_\_**

**14. Le Roi Daniels School (Fairview) \_\_\_\_\_**

**15. William Reid School (Mount Royal) \_\_\_\_\_**

**Group 5**

**16. Janet Johnstone School (Shawnessy) \_\_\_\_\_**

**17. Jennie Elliott School (Lakeview) \_\_\_\_\_**

**18. Marion Carson School (Varsity Acres) \_\_\_\_\_**

**19. Wilma Hansen School (Queensland) \_\_\_\_\_**

**Group 6**

**20. Dr Oakley School (Altadore) \_\_\_\_\_**

**21. Dr Gladys McKelvie Egbert School (Marlborough) \_\_\_\_\_**

**Group 7**

**22 Buchanan School (Highland Park) \_\_\_\_\_**

**23. Clarence Sansom School (Pineridge) \_\_\_\_\_**

**24. Alex Munro School (Huntington Hills) \_\_\_\_\_**

**25. Alex Ferguson School (Shaganappi) \_\_\_\_\_**

### **Bios for Group 1**

A) arrived in Canada from Holland in 1920, owned a trailer manufacturing plant, elected to Forest Lawn town council in 1954, resigned in protest of Forest Lawn's annexation by The City of Calgary.

B) a carpenter by trade, served on the Bow River School District Board for 37 years, helped organize the community association and the first library in Forest Lawn.

C) born in the family home in Forest Lawn in 1913, when Forest Lawn was incorporated in 1940 he was elected to the village's first council and school board, the school is located on land where he farmed.

D) served in the navy during World War I, came to Forest Lawn from England in 1919, was a town councillor and member of the Bow River School Board for many years.

### **Bios for Group 2**

A) a nurse who came to Calgary in 1913, during World War I joined the nursing staff at a hospital in France, in 1922 joined Calgary health department as a school nurse in north Calgary.

B) born in Ontario in 1855, taught at South Ward and Haultain Schools between 1893 and 1911, first female school trustee in Calgary.

c) came to Calgary from Ontario in 1918, on the public school board for 12 years, active in politics serving as president of Alberta Women's Liberal Association and president of United Church Women.

d) came to Canada from England with her husband in 1912, became an active social reformer, elected to city council in 1918 becoming the first female alderman in Calgary and the British Commonwealth.

### **Bios for Group 3**

a) as a young child emigrated with his family from Ireland, was priest in the Diocese of Calgary for 63 years.

b) came to Calgary as a teacher in 1917, taught at St Mary's Boys' School from 1919 to 1938, was the first elected president of the Calgary Separate School Local of the Alberta Teachers Association.

c) well-known for his football coaching skill, coached junior football for 37 years, in 1954 named Calgary Booster Club's Sportsman of the Year, inducted in the Order of Canada in 1985.

### **Bios for Group 4**

a) became principal of Glengarry School in 1940, appointed supervisor of elementary instruction in 1942, became assistant superintendent of elementary schools in 1955.

b) decorated for bravery at Vimy Ridge, appointed principal of James Short School in 1941, in 1946 became supervisor of guidance, later became assistant superintendent of schools.

c) came to Calgary from Ontario in 1906, worked for three years as a school inspector, principal at Rideau, Balmoral and Crescent Heights Schools.

d) came to Calgary from Scotland in 1913, chairman of the Calgary public school board from 1946 to 1950, campaigned to establish a Calgary branch of the University of Alberta.

### **Bios for Group 5**

- a) active for many years in the Home and School Association, president of Alberta Federation of Home and School Associations, executive member of the Canadian Federation of Home and Schools.
- b) came west from Ontario in 1900, taught in Olds and High River before teaching at Central High School, served three terms as a school board trustee.
- c) taught at five Calgary schools, became primary supervisor for public schools, promoted to assistant superintendent of elementary schools.
- d) worked to establish the first tuberculosis sanitarium in Alberta in 1910, a school board trustee from 1920 to 1924, received King's Medal in 1938 for her work with tuberculosis, named Calgary's Citizen of the Year in 1946.

### **Bios for Group 6**

- a) at the age of 12 became first Canadian to win a three-year scholarship to the Royal Academy of Music in London, a pianist who might have had a concert career but chose to teach, regarded as one of the world's best music teachers.
- b) born in Ontario, received her medical training at University of Toronto, in 1917 appointed medical health officer for Calgary schools, became assistant medical officer in charge of schools when the school clinics merged with the city health department.

### **Bios for Group 7**

- a) came to Calgary from New Brunswick in 1907, principal of Central School later re-named James Short School, was a principal, inspector and superintendent in various school districts before joining the staff of Calgary Normal School in 1919.
- b) born in Scotland and served with the British military in India and South Africa, joined the Calgary Board of Education as a physical education instructor in 1910, a promoter of all sports in schools, instructor of rifle shooting.
- c) born in Scotland, began his gardening career as an apprentice gardener on several large Scottish estates, became head gardener in Calgary in 1929, appointed superintendent of the parks department in 1949.
- d) a provincial inspector of schools and served as assistant superintendent and later superintendent of Calgary schools, junior high schools and composite high schools were introduced during his term as superintendent.

### **Bibliography**

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