



Sept. 4, 2026

Dear Parents,

We are excited to let you know that the **Grade 1-5 students** have the opportunity to participate in the City of Calgary **Swim To Survive** program at **Sir Winston Churchill Aquatic Centre**. In groups of 10, students will participate in 40-minute lessons instructed by a certified Swim To Survive instructor. Parent Council has generously offered to cover the complete cost of the trip for all students (lessons and bus).

Through this opportunity, students will:

- Develop physical literacy through new experiences.
- Participate in an activity that encourages active living.
- Learn and practice safety skills in and around water.

October 13-16, 2026

8:30-10:30 Room 1, 2 & 3

9:10-11:10 Room 4 & 5

9:50-11:50 Room 6 & 8

(These are the expected groupings, but are subject to change)

We will be travelling to and from the pool by bus.

Please be sure to bring a clean dry swimsuit and towel each day.

Ensure all bags and items are labelled clearly.

We will need **5 male volunteers and 5 female volunteers each day**. Volunteers will help in the changerooms and will **not** be getting in the water (no swimsuit needed!) If you have a current CBE Police Clearance and would like to volunteer, please sign up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0D4BA5AA28A3FE3-51417602-swimming>

Volunteers are welcome to sign up for more than one day. If you would like to volunteer, but do not yet have a police clearance, or are not sure, please contact Heather Wolfe in the office to begin the application process.

Please carefully review the following information and return all forms by **Sept. 9, 2026**.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Jill Lockerbie at jalockerbie@cbe.ab.ca.

Best Regards,

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