

Around Town



Don't forget!

- **August 7 Civic Holiday**
Office Closed
- **August 8 BCIS Youth Trip**
- **August 31** First day of classes for Christ the Redeemer Schools
- **September 5** First day of classes for Grasslands Schools, Newell Christian School, École Le Ruisseau

Volunteer News



Thank you to all who have volunteered in July for BCIS and the community.



New Staff Member

Fartun Mohamud



My name is Fartun Mohamud, I am the new settlement councilor at BCIS. I am super excited and happy to be part of the BCIS family. I look forward to bringing my expertise in working with newcomers in Brooks and helping the youth in my community. I was very much active in university and hoping to bring some of that energy back to Brooks. I look forward to meeting new people and new faces. I am happy to help everyone that steps into BCIS.

Celebrate Our Seventh Year



Join us on August 23 from noon –3pm as we celebrate seven years serving residents of the City of Brooks and County of Newell!

We will observe this day with a barbecue, office tours, music, fun and friendship.

We appreciate the support of the community, the contributions of our volunteers and value our clients. Join us on this celebratory occasion as we observe our success and our future in the community.

Removal from Canada

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If you receive a Removal Order you cannot legally remain in Canada and must leave the country. Depending on your situation, your removal order may be effective immediately, or after a negative decision if you had made an appeal.

There are three types of Removal Orders issued by Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) or the Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA). These are Departure Orders, Exclusion Orders and Deportation Orders. The form number on the Removal Order indicates what type of order you received.

- With a **Departure Order**, you must leave Canada within 30 days after the order takes effect.
 - You must also confirm your departure with the CBSA at your port of exit. If you leave Canada and follow these procedures, you may return to Canada in the future provided you meet the entry requirements at that time.
 - If you leave Canada after 30 days or do not confirm your

departure with the CBSA, your Departure Order will automatically become a Deportation Order. In order to return to Canada in the future, you must obtain an **Authorization to Return (ARC)**.

- With an **Exclusion Order**, you cannot return to Canada for one year.
 - If you do wish to return before the 12 months have passed, you must apply for an ARC.
 - If an exclusion order has been issued for misrepresentation, you cannot return to Canada for five years.
 - If the CBSA paid for your removal from Canada, you must repay that cost.
- With a **Deportation Order**, you are permanently barred from returning to Canada and cannot return unless you apply for an ARC.

If the CBSA paid for your removal from Canada, you must also repay that cost before you are eligible to return.
If you need more information, contact BCIS at 403-362-0404

WHAT'S GOING ON!



Civic Holiday

BCIS will be closed
August 7

Preparing your Child for School

Make sure you have the information you need before your children head off to school this year.

Sunday, August 20 1-3 pm

BCIS Open House

Join us as we celebrate our 7th year of service in Brooks and the County of Newell

Wednesday August 23
12-3 pm

Newcomers Workshop

Important information for newcomers to the community.

Wednesday, August 23

TWO Sessions
12 -1pm or 5-6pm

Lunch & Learn Series

Held on the last Wednesday of each month.

Wednesday, August 30
12-1 pm



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Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 8.30am-4.30pm
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Friday 8.30am -2.00pm

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