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"Helping students from all walks of life find a mentally healthy and happy balance"; that is Larissa's platform during this election.

Having been in Red Deer for the past twelve years, Larissa is proud to call Central Alberta home. While most of those years were spent in a corporate position, the future looks vastly different as she takes on the role of a full-time student.

Currently, Larissa is enrolled in the Administrative Professionals program and has recently been accepted into the Bachelor of Arts- Psychology program. In the past, Larissa was a student at NAIT, where she achieved her Health and Safety diploma. At the time, she was newly out of high school and faced the challenges of transitioning to college. This time around she is a mature student and faces the challenges of having a family and working while attending school. Having been in post-secondary school during various stages of her life, Larissa has a greater insight into the types of students

attending RDP, ultimately allowing her to better understand whose voice she will be representing.

Mental health has been an essential aspect of Larissa's life, and this election is no exception. To say that Larissa is passionate about mental health would be an understatement. She feels that mental health has always been an important topic that deserves more attention from those in seats of authority, and she aims to influence the council to continue to support students' mental health.

Beyond being a student, Larissa is a mother to a four-year-old little girl, a volunteer at Bethany CollegeSide, a novelist, and a small business owner. Combined, all these things can make for a busy recipe, but Larissa has never shied away from a challenge, including running for Student Council.

What can she offer: Larissa has over a decade of experience working in the corporate world, where she spent her time working on committees, assembling task teams, and navigating the complex world of an organization. These skills will translate well into the political world of the Student Council. Additionally, she has experience with mental health challenges that make her sympathetic to those that may be suffering. Her goal is to represent those that value their mental health and to bring us out of the pandemic with happy hearts and minds. Larissa has so much to offer in representation for the people. She is well-spoken, intelligent, creative, and courageous.

While actively pursuing her Bachelor of Arts-Psychology, Larissa aims to lend her voice on behalf of the student body. Having a say in our political world is essential, and Larissa believes that every student has that right, and she hopes to be the conduit for that voice.

Vote Larissa Soehn for Student Council.



LARISSA SOEHN
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