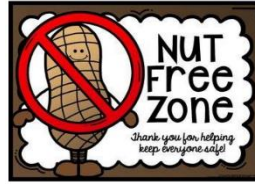


Cherry Hill Elementary School Newsletter



November 14, 2022

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Acknowledgement: We are honoured to work, learn and play on the traditional, ancestral, unceded and shared lands of the Stó:lō people, which includes Sq'ewlets, Leq'ámel, Sema:th, Matheqwi and Qwó:ltl'el First Nations.

Principal's Message

November was a busy month with report cards, parent conferences, Remembrance Day and school activities such as Spirit Week. Our Farm to School salad bar was such a success that we are having another one this month. Please have your order in by Friday Nov 18th. The lunch will be on Thursday Nov 24th. You can purchase a small or large dinner plate on School Cash Online.

Looking forward to our December activities as well, class sing-alongs and PAC is putting on a pancake breakfast with Santa photos too. With winter fundraisers, breakfast club and daily support, our parent community is helpful and engaged and it is much appreciated.

Please continue to read daily with your child and connect with the school if you have any questions about their progress.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to email me at Hardeep.grewal@mpsd.ca.

Sincerely,

Hardeep Grewal
Principal



UPCOMING DATES:

Tues Nov 22	Reports sent home with students; staff meeting
Thurs Nov 24	Farm-to-school lunch Assembly at 1:30pm
Fri Nov 25	Non-instructional day; in lieu of parent conferences
Mon Nov 28	Deadline for poinsettias
Mon Dec 5	Santa Photos and Pancake breakfast 50/50 and raffle ticket orders due
Thurs Dec 1	TCBY treat sale
Fri Dec 9	50/50 and Raffle draw Winter coloring contest sheets due Earth Rangers Assembly 1:15-2:15pm
Mon Dec 12	Poinsettia delivery
Thurs Dec 15	Music concert
Fri Dec 16	Winter Sing-along
Mon Dec 19	First day of Winter holidays
Mon Jan 2	Last day of Winter holidays
Tues Jan 3	First day back to school

Scholastic Book Fair:

Our book fair was very successful with the support of parents, staff, student volunteers and, of course, Mr. Wong and Kelly Ketchen, our librarian. It had both an online and in-person component where kids could order their favourite books.

Seven Sacred Teachings:

For the month of November, we recognized the Seven Sacred Teaching of Courage and celebrated some students from each class that demonstrated courage in their own way. It is represented by the Bear. Certificates were presented during our monthly assembly. Congratulations to all our recipients!

Basketball Team:

Our two basketball teams have practiced over the last few weeks together and developed skills sets, teamwork and sportsmanship. They have a lot to be proud of! During the week of November 28, they will hopefully play in the playoffs and try to make it to the Final Four tournament. Good luck teams!



Volleyball Team:

We are looking for community coaches for our volleyball team. If you are interested in sharing your talents, please connect with Mrs. Grewal. **If we don't have any volunteer coaches, it is possible that we won't have a volleyball team in January.**

Students Dressed for the Weather:

With the weather changes recently, please have your child prepared for both wet weather and cold weather. Having warm clothing and an umbrella, rain jacket and boots will help ensure they are ready for recess and lunch outside. A change of clothing to be kept at school is also helpful, especially extra socks.

Having said that, if your student is in need of these items, connect with Hardeep or Shawna at the office. We will do our best to help support you. There have been donations of mittens and toques that we have been distributing to students already. Please don't hesitate!

PAC Corner:

Pancake breakfast and visit/photos with Santa more info to come.

The 2022/2023 PAC is:

President: Michelle Hall

President-Elect (VP, Social Media Rep): Kaylee Sortwell

Treasurer: Jen Andrews

Co-Treasurer: Chelsea Harman

Secretary: Marcie Sutherland

Fundraiser: Laura Selvaraja

Hot Lunch: Danielle Nipius

DPAC: Bunny Cocar

If you are interested in joining PAC, please connect with them at cherryhillpacs75@gmail.com

Mission Library Information and Events:

For more details, go to www.fvrl.bc.ca > Events.

Mission Ukulele Circle

Thursdays, 3 pm – 4 pm

Chess Club

Sundays, December 4-18, January 9-30, 2 pm – 4 pm

LEGO Club

Tuesdays, December 6-13, January 4-25, 3 pm – 4:15 pm

Fun with Ozobots (Registration required.)

Wednesday, December 7, 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

Between the Pages Tween Book Club (Registration required)

Wednesdays, December 14 & January 11, 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm
For ages 9-12.

Holiday Crafternoon

Tuesday, December 20, 1:30 pm – 3 pm

Festive Cheer Puppet Show

Wednesday, December 21, 6:45 pm – 7:30 pm

Holiday Craftermorn

Thursday, December 22, 10 am – 11:30 am

Paws 4 Stories (Registration required.)

Thursday, January 20, 3 pm – 4 pm

Thanks,

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Covid-19 Health and Safety Reminders for Parents:

Flu season is upon us and many students have been sick recently. If kids become sick at school, we will call home to have them picked up until they are feeling better. Here are some resources that may help you in case you think it is Covid.

Parents/caregivers and students can use the [K to 12 Health Check App](#)

Staff and other adults can refer to BCCDC's [When to get tested for COVID-19](#)

Staff, students and parents/caregivers can also use the BCCDC online [Self-Assessment Tool](#), call 8-1-1 or their health care provider