

PARKLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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May 2021

Important Dates

May 5th - PAC meeting @ 6:30pm via zoom

May 24th - Victoria Day (No school)

May 27th – Welcome to Kindergarten

May 28th - Talent Show!

June 7th – NID (students do not attend)

June 10th, 17th, 24th – Sweetwater Blooms

flower pick up

June 21st - Aboriginal Day

June 25th – Report cards go home

June 29th - Last day of school!

Spirit Days

May 7th – Black Tie day – Dress up fancy! May 14th – Holiday day – dress in the style of your favourite holiday (Christmas, Halloween, etc.)

May 21st - 80's Day (1980s inspired style)

May 28th - Crazy hair day

June 4th – Colour Day (Wear your favourite colour)

June 11th – Vacation Day (Dress for the beach)

June 18th – Superhero day (Dress as a hero or villain – Marvel or DC)

June 25th – Tie Dye Day (Clothes, masks or hair)

Parkland PAC News

All parents with students at Parkland are invited and welcome to attend Parent Advisory Council meetings. Meetings are held the 1st Wednesday each month. The next PAC meeting is scheduled for May 5th at 6:30pm via zoom. See your email for the zoom link.



What's your wow factor?



Singing, dancing, juggling, magic, even lion taming is all welcome for Parkland's end of the year talent show. Auditions will be held on Friday, April 30th from 8:40am-9:40am. Performances should be a maximum of three minutes in length. There will be first, second and third place prizes. Students will have four weeks to rehearse their acts and the final performance will take place on Friday, May 28th. The Talent show will have a zoom link to watch live. The sign-up sheets will be on the bulletin board outside Ms. Rose's office.

The 7 Teachings at Parkland Elementary

It is said that the original elder was given gifts of knowledge that he received from the seven grandfathers when he was just a child. These gifts have since been handed down and passed on to the younger ones as they are learning. Many indigenous families follow the teachings of the seven grandfathers to help live in balance and harmony.

In May we are focusing on the Wolf which represents Humility.



Non Bus Days

You can find information on the school's website https://www.sd59.bc.ca/ on busing information to know if they're running or not. You can also create an account to get bus notifications via email or text. The school bus information line is 250-782-1061.

Bus Notes

If your child is not riding the bus home at the end of the day, it is important to send a note, call the school (leave a message) and call the bus garage to notify the bus drivers about any changes. The school bus garage number is 250-782-2106. Students who do not have notes from parents indicating a change will be sent home on their regular bus.

Office Hours

Mrs. Burres will be available in the office on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 8:30am to 2pm. Any other day please leave a message for us on the answering machine.

<u>Doorbell</u>

There is a doorbell at the main front door entrance. If you drop of a child later in the day or need to pick up a child during the day, please ring the bell and we can assist you.

<u>Munchalunch</u>

The next session will run May 4th-June 25th. This session will be Roadhouse Café on Tuesdays and Panago Fridays! Thank you so much to all the volunteers so far.