# **Tremblay Elementary School**

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# For the latest updates, check us out on:

# facebook



#### **IT'S GETTING COLDER OUT THERE!**

While we have been blessed with amazing fall weather, students are reminded to dress for colder temperatures. Bring a jacket, some mitts, a pair of boots and a toque!

## Mme Lauzé's library corner...

I am excited to announce that our school will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair on November 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> (Early Dismissal Days). Please see the attached documents for more information and to learn how you can contribute to this exciting event that benefits our school. Feel free to contact me with your library-related questions. The easiest way to reach me is by email at by <a href="mailto:mlauze@sd59.bc.ca">mlauze@sd59.bc.ca</a>. Have a wonderful November!

#### **IMPORTANT DATES IN NOVEMBER**

Nov. 8- PAC meeting 6pm

Nov. 10- Remembrance Day Ceremony – 11am

Nov.13- Remembrance Day Stat (No school this day)

Nov. 15- Picture Retake Day

Nov. 15/16-Early Dismissal Days- Parent Teacher Interviews

Students dismissed at 1:38 on BOTH days.

Nov. 27- Non-Instructional Day (No school)

# LEST WE FORGET ...

The Tremblay Remembrance Day Ceremony will take place on November 10<sup>th</sup> @ 11pm.



#### **Parent/Teacher Interviews**

November 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> will be early dismissal days **(1:38 pm)** for Parent/Teacher interviews. Teachers will be connecting with parents to set up meetings soon. Stay tuned.

## **Tremblay PAC Reading Program**

The Tremblay Reading Program is Back! Students can earn **Book Bucks** by reading for *15 minutes a day*, filling out the Reading Program sheet and submitting it to your teacher, who will bring it during library time to Mme Lauze. Book Bucks can be redeemed at any time for items in the Scholastic Flyers or at Book Fairs. Sheets are available in the Library or at the office. Book Bucks from previous years are still valid and can be redeemed at any time. If you have any questions please reach out to the PAC by visiting their Facebook Page "Tremblay Elementary PAC".

Happy Reading!

#### **Tremblay Elementary P.A.C.**

The Tremblay PAC meets once a month. Parents' voices are a tremendous value to their school. They offer a wealth of ideas and support in the challenges that face all public schools. PACs strive to represent the diversity within their communities and contribute to the benefit of all students by providing opportunities to educate and inform parents about the school. PACs involve parents in volunteer activities, and openly discuss parents' concerns and aspirations for their schools. There are PAC positions available for Tremblay Elementary. Please contact Durinda Hawkins, PAC President for more info.

#### **BC New Reporting Standards**

Report cards are changing this year to align with the curriculum and to help ensure that every student in the province is set up for success in their learning. Today we know that learning doesn't stop when students hand in an assignment or complete a test. That's why students in Kindergarten to Grade 9 will receive marks on a four-point proficiency scale, instead of receiving letter grades starting this school year. Students in Grades 10-12 will still receive a letter grade and percentage to support their entry into post-secondary education. Report cards for all students will now also include self-reflection and goal setting, as well as descriptive feedback. Students will or have already brought home a pamphlet outlining these changes. Contact the school if any questions.



#### **FUNDRAISER!**

#### Help us make this our most successful fundraiser yet!

### Win some great prizes!!

For the <u>CLASS</u> that sells the most: a pizza party!
For <u>ALL</u> students that participate: a chance to win a box of chocolates!

#### **Online ordering:**

- 1. Go to fundraising.purdys.com
- 2. Click "Join a Campaign" or "Login"
- 3. Join our group by typing in: 30804
- 4. Invite your friends and family to join our group and Shop Online!

#### Order form:

Please fill out the order form in the middle of the catalogue and return to the school with cash or a cheque (made payable to Tremblay Elementary PAC) in an envelope. Order forms will be handed out on **November 6<sup>th</sup>**.

#### **ALL ORDERS MUST BE IN BY:**

## November 21st

\*Please make sure to note if you DO NOT want the order sent home with your child. Thank you!