May 2018



NEWSLETTER

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Class, Grade 5 and whole school photos will be taken on Wednesday, May 9, 2018

Principal's Message

Dear Eagle View Families,

May is the month of transition and the month to celebrate the community we so much cherish at Eagle View.

First, we begin our official welcome of new students to Eagle View for the 2018/19 school year: our new 4 and 5 years olds will join us, along with their parents, for an afternoon session at Kindergarten Orientation on Friday, May 11. Families will have received an invitation to attend one of two sessions. As new students come in, we also seek to provide a successful transition for those students leaving Eagle View. Grade 5 students participate in an Orientation afternoon on Thursday, May 17. Students going to our family school, Colquitz, will go by bus from Eagle View. Parents of grade 5 students going to middle schools other than Colquitz, should make personal arrangements. Please contact the school if you have any questions about transition!

We are so fortunate to have such a supportive school community at Eagle View. Parents help in so many ways: assisting on field trips; contributing to special classroom tasks and presentations; organizing special lunches each week; fundraising and contributing to fundraising through purchases! This May, we have the big event! Thursday, May 17 is the Hawaiian Spring Fair! Don your wildly colored floral shirts. Put on your sunglasses! Wristband Presales continue until May 11 (\$20) and then are available at the door (\$25.) Our PAC and, specifically, the small, but efficient Spring Fair Organizing Committee, have put together a wonderful list of fun activities. Please watch out for upcoming information on how to volunteer for the Spring Fair!

Just to keep things moving swiftly ... the running continues at Eagle View! Grades 3, 4, and 5 students are rounding up another season of Cross Country Running just in time to start track! The Zone Track Meet is at Centennial Stadium on Tuesday, May 29. Thank you to Ms. Houldsworth and Mr. Nast for coaching. The City Finals, for those that qualify, are scheduled for Thursday, May 31 from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. at UVIC's Centennial Stadium..

Sincerely, Ms. Lois Bender



Professional Development Days for the 2018 - 2019 School Year

Monday, September 17, 2018 Friday, November 23, 2018 Friday, February 15, 2019 Friday, April 12, 2019 - Curriculum Implementation Day

Friday, October 19, 2018 Monday, January 28, 2019 Friday, May 17, 2019

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View the full school calendar at:				
-	www.sd61.bc.ca/school/eagleview			
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 Div. 1 - 3 Fieldtrip Goldstream 8:30 am - 2:30 pm	2	3	4 Div. 1 Fieldtrip Royal Roads 9:00 - 11:40 am Subway Lunch
7 Assembly 10:40 am Cross Country @ Clover Point 3:45 pm	8 Popcorn Recess	9 Class and Whole School Photos 9:00 a.m. PAC Mtg 6:30 pm	10	11 Div. 1 - 3 Fieldtrip Commonwealth Pool 9:00 - 11:30 am Pizza Hut Lunch Kindergarten Orientation 1:00 - 2:30 pm
14 Metis Presentation Div. 1 8:30 - 10:00 am Div. 4 10:30 - 11:40 am	15 Metis Presentation Div. 2 8:30 - 10:00 am Div. 5 10:30 - 11:40 am Science Venture Div. 7, 8 & 11 9:00 - 11:20 am Div. 6, 9 & 10 12:40 - 2:38 pm	16 Metis Presentation Div. 3 8:30 - 10:00 am	17 Subway Lunch Transition Day (Grade 5 students) 12:15 - 2:45 pm Spring Fair 6:00 - 8:00 pm	18 Professional Development Day Classes are NOT In Session
21 Victoria Day Stat Holiday	22	23 Div. 1 Fieldtrip Legacy Art Gallery 9:30 - 11:30 am Reunification Parent Meeting 6:30 pm	24 Maturation Talks Gr. 5 9:00 - 10:00 am Gr. 4 1:00 - 2:00 pm DARE Divs. 1 - 3 Gr. 5 12:40 - 2:38 pm	25 Boston Pizza & Pasta Lunch Div. 2 Fieldtrip Legacy Art Gallery 9:30 - 11:30 am Reunification Drill
28	29 Zone Track Meet @ UVic 10:00 am - 2:00 pm	30 Div. 3 Fieldtrip Legacy Art Gallery 9:30 - 11:30 am	31 Track City Finals @ UVic 5:00 pm DARE Divs. 1 - 3 Gr. 5 12:40 - 2:38 pm	
May Birthdays				
Ava V, Arvin S, Grady K, Abbie D, Reace R, Emmett H, Leighton R, Sabrina J, Lilly J				
Reece B, Emmett H, Leighton B, Sabrina J, Lilly L, Leland B, Sierra N, Thor H, Brandon J, Reese S, Ruby E & Ben C.				
Happy Birthday!!				
View the school calendar for May June at				

View the school calendar for May - June at www.sd61.bc.ca/school/eagleview

Important June Dates

Friday, June 22 - Recognition & Year End Assembly , 1:00 pm Monday, June 25 - Grade 5 Year End 8:30 am - 2:38 pm Tuesday, June 26 - Fun Day

Kindergarten Orientation

Friday, May 11 from 1:00 - 1:40 pm and 1:50 - 2:30 pm.

We will be welcoming new Kindergarten students into our school next Fall and we will be having two orientation sessions giving our new students the opportunity to visit the school and experience a Kindergarten classroom with both Ms. Rossato and Mrs. Coleman. Parents will meet in the Library for an information session with the Principal, assorted staff, and PAC executive members.

Class Photos

Class, Grade 5 and whole school photos will be taken on Wednesday, May 9. All students will get a class photo. We will begin at 9:00 am with the class photos, followed by grade 5 and whole school.

Eagle View Library Book Exchange

The Eagle View library will once again be hosting its annual summer book exchange this June. For new families to our school this is an opportunity for students to choose a "new" book to start their summer reading. If each student, who is able, brings in one (or two) books that they are willing to part with at approximately their reading/age level, in good used condition before June 8th we should have a great selection for students to choose a "new" book from. Books can be brought to the library between June 1st – June 8th. On June 13th and 14th each student will get to choose (and keep) one "new" book during their regular library period. Any extra books will either be added to our school library collection or the classroom libraries.

Thank you for your continued support with this project.

Dagmar Restell

Eagle View Sports ~

Zone Track Meet

This year students from Grades 3, 4 & 5 will participate in the Zone Track Meet on Tuesday, May 29. Students will be participating in the 100 m, 4x100 m & 800 m. You are welcome to join us at the UVIC Centennial Stadium to help cheer our runners on. The meet is from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm.

Cross Country

Our Cross Country team had a great season. The last race is Monday, May 7 at Clover Point. Thank you to Mrs. Rimek and Ms. Bender for coaching our team and all our parents and staff members who support the team by cheering them on at races or helping them out at practices.









Before and After School Care at Eagle View

AnkleByters Child Care (on site) - Owner Brenda Garrett 250-216-2756

West Shore Rec Centre - 250-474-8608 will do pick up for afterschool care



1000X5

1000 Books by Age Five



Have you found the pink bin in the in the front foyer of the school? Every Wednesday 1000X5 sort over 500 books donated by you – the wonderful families at over 35 Greater Victoria pubic and independent schools. Check out the 2 minute CHEK TV Vital People clip profiling 1000X5 (see link below). We so appreciate (and need!) your gently used picture books.

https://www.cheknews.ca/1000x5-childrens-literacy-project-is-helping-little-ones-learn-to-read-441641/

Eileen Eby 1000X5 Children's Book Recycling Project

Eagle View Elementary Code of Conduct

Every year, schools in Greater Victoria review their school "Code of Conduct." Parents, students and staff are given this opportunity to reflect. When finalized, we post the "Code of Conduct" in our school and on our website www.sd61.bc.ca/school/eagleview.

At Eagle View, we have two versions. One is the "child friendly" version you see below. This is a great time of year to review appropriate and responsible actions with your child; you may wish to read through this with your child. Also, you may wish to take a moment to review the "adult version" which is posted on our website. If you have any questions or comments about it, please either send them to Ms. Bender <u>lbender@sd61.bc.ca</u>, to request a meeting with her or bring them to the next PAC meeting: Wednesday, May 9, 6:30, Eagle View School Library.

At Eagle View Elementary we believe in being Respectful, Responsible, Safe and having Fun.

Respectful



Looks like...

Being thoughtful, helpful, polite, fair, timely, doing the right thing, being a good listener



Sounds like...

Using kind words, polite words (thank you, please, you're welcome, sorry), using words that are friendly

Feels like ...

Glad, happy, comfortable, confident



Responsible



Looks like...

Doing your job, helping others, being honest, walking in the hall, putting garbage away, recycle when you can, trying your best, fixing your mistake(s)

Sounds like...

Using kind words, polite words (thank you, please, oops...sorry), only using words that are friendly, using our inside voice in the school



Feels like ...

Rewarding, right, good, a sense of community

SAFE





Walking in the halls, keeping our hands to ourselves, respecting personal space (our space bubble), using playground equipment & toys safely, seated when eating lunch



Sounds like...

Laughter, friendly talk in the classes, hallways & playground

Feels like ... Happy, fun, a safe place to be

