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MISSION STATEMENT

To create a safe, accepting and challenging learning environment that provides all students with opportunities to build self- confidence to reach their potential and to value learning.

2017 May 12

Friday, May 19th – SPORT'S DAY and 2:00 pm dismissal

Monday, May 22nd – Victoria Day Holiday

Sport's Day

Sports Day is coming up on May 19. As usual, you are welcome to come and join us and cheer on your child(ren). **Please note that it is early dismissal at 2pm.**

CALENDAR

Friday, May 19th – Sport's Day – Early Dismissal – 2:00 pm

Monday, May 22nd – Victoria Day – NO SCHOOL

Thursday, May 25th – PAC Hot Lunch (for those who ordered)

Friday, May 26th – Keep Vancouver Spectacular (Clean-up) – weather permitting

Thursday, June 1st – Swangard Track & Field Meet

Monday, June 5th & 6th - Gr. 7 Camp

Thursday, June 8th – Scholastic Book Fair in the GYM

Tuesday, June 13th – PAC Hot Lunch (for those who ordered)

Wednesday, June 14th – 6:30 pm - June Concert (more information will be coming home with the classes taking part)

Thursday, June 22nd – Grad Ceremony – 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 29th – Last Day of School for Students

Grade 7 Photo & Panorama Photo

There has been a change in how Grad photos and Panorama photos are ordered. **BUT** for this year we are offering 2 options.

Option 1 – Order Online with Lifetouch National School Studios.

Orders must be placed at www.lifetouchevents.com

The password is: drgeorgemweir2017

You can go to the website to preview the photos. Orders will be shipped directly to your house but please note that there is a \$7 shipping charge and a handling fee added to the cost.

Option 2 – Get a form from the office, Fill it out and Return it to the office with payment before Thursday, May 18th. We will put one order in and it will be returned to Weir with no shipping charges.

Thank you,

PEANUT ALLERGIES

Please be aware that our school is nut and scent free. Some individuals have severe allergic reactions to scents and various nuts and in order to ensure their safety we must observe these protocols. Thank you.

Information for Summer School Programs is now available and can be found in front of the library. If you are requesting your child's PEN number, please ask them to ask their teacher to put it in their agenda.

Sun & Fieldtrips

Be prepared for the sun with sunscreen, hat, water bottles and sensible shoes.

Track and Field

Our Track and Field Team this season has been very hard at work preparing for the Big Meet at Swangard on June 1st. The Weir Coaches, Mr. Lind, Mr. Dodds, Ms. Hsu, Ms. Kuban, Ms. Behrenz, Ms. Adrian, and Mr. Prasad, were pleasantly surprised to see 140 students come out and join this year. It has been wonderful to see the kids show up to our early morning practices on time and work so hard. "Practice makes perfect," so it is very important to be at all of them.

Unfortunately, our Grades 4/5 Mini Meet this week was cancelled due to heavy rain. This will be made up. Here is the updated Mini Meet Track and Field schedule for the rest of our season:

Thursday, May 18 afterschool – Grades 4 and 5 at the Killarney Oval

Thursday, May 25 afterschool – Grades 4, 5, 6, and 7 at the Killarney Oval

Thursday, June 1 all day – Grades 4, 5, 6, and 7 at Swangard Stadium