



Week Ahead for October 5th to October 9th

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Will's Jams 1 – 2 PM (performance for French Immersion students)		Photo Day Individual Cross Country Run 3:30 PM	

Today's Fall Beach Day

We had a fantastic time at Esquimalt Lagoon today. Students played, built, and discovered in the natural surroundings of the beach. Staff were able to get to know their students in an informal setting and build relationships that will make learning and academic/social growth easier this coming school year. Thanks to everyone for their enthusiasm!

Emergency Forms

It is that time of year again where we need updated emergency forms to be completed for each family. Yesterday, a yellow form was sent home with each child. Please check your child's backpack if you have not seen it yet. Each family must fill out **one** form with **all** children at Millstream on the same form. Please take some time this weekend to complete the form and send it back to school early next week. The information included in this form is what we use if there is an emergency, and we do not have access to our online information. We will only release your child(ren) to people indicated on the form, so please make sure that you include those that might be in that position if there is an emergency where it might be hard for you to get to the school if you work out of the area.

Missing sports jerseys

As we prepare our runners for the October 8th cross country run, we recently took an inventory of all our sports jerseys. They are yellow and blue. Please have a look around your home to see if you have any that need to be returned to the school. They can be dropped off with Ms. Kerry in the office.

Terry Fox Donations

Thank you to everyone who donated, we reached a whopping \$1724.55!!!!

Volunteering at school?

Please be sure to check in and sign in at the school office if you are a parent volunteer for an event or activity at Millstream. If you are volunteering at several or on-going events, you will need to complete a Criminal Record Check (CRC). Please contact Niki Golmer or Ash Senini (PAC Co-Presidents) for more information,

Upcoming Foundation Skills Assessments (FSA) for Grade 4 Students

Grade 4 FSA assessments will begin on Monday, October 5th. Classroom teachers will administer the assessments with support from the Principal and Vice Principal team as requested..

Important: Only school principals have the authority to determine whether a student may be exempted from the FSA, based on the exemption criteria established by the Ministry of Education and Childcare

Medical Alerts

Please let us know if your child has any medical conditions, we should be aware of. Families of students with anaphylaxis, diabetes, or medication needs during school hours should contact the school as soon as possible to update medical plans and paperwork for the new school year.

To inform us of any medical conditions, please contact Ms. Poole at jpoole@sd62.bc.ca.

If your child requires medication during school hours, please email Kerry in the office at khueston@sd62.bc.ca for next steps.

Consent Portal for Parents/Guardians

Please visit the online consent portal at <https://consent.sd62.bc.ca> to provide and/or review consents for your child(ren).

These consents are crucial to make sure that we know what permissions you are granting for your child(ren).

Consents include:

- Indigenous Self-Identification
- General Consent for local/walking field trips
- Google Apps for Education (G Suite)
- Internet Access
- Media release
- KEV School Cash Online



KEV Cash Online Steps to Complete to Sign-Up

1. Complete the Online Consent Form by copying and pasting the following link into your web browser <https://consent.sd62.bc.ca/apps/OnlineConsent>
Once you have completed the Online consent form for Cash Online it will take 24-48 hours before you can move to Step # 3 and attach your student(s) to your account.
2. Register for a School Cash Online account <https://www.sd62.bc.ca/parents/school-fees>
3. Attach your students at School Cash Online. When attaching your students to your account you will need their PEN number.

With thanks,

Frances Krusekopf – Principal

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**Please note that Mrs. Krusekopf will be working at the board office on Wednesdays (AM) and Thursdays (PM) on an ongoing basis.*

Jen Poole – Vice-Principal

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