

MAY/JUNE 2019

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The staff at FG LEARY would like to thank you for your support, encouragement, and involvement in your child's education. Our partnership is vital in the success of students and we encourage you to come into the school and talk with us and to get involved.

Dates to Remember

- May 8- Cross Country- @ Cultus Lake Elementary- starting at 3:15
- May 8- Grade 5 Parent Evening @ Chilliwack Middle School @ 7:00pm
- May 10, 24, 31- COPS FOR CANCER- hosted by Mrs. Lakowski, Mrs. Istace and Mrs. Ngieng
- May 16- Talent Show @ 12:45
- May 16- PAC Mtg. @ 1:00- elections will take place
- May 17 and May 20th- School in not in Session.
- May 22 & 23- Dancers in Residence-
- May 22- Hot Lunch- Royal Café
- May 30- First People Celebration @ FGL
- May 31- Pride Assembly
- June 7- Break the Rules Day- COPS FOR CANCER- fundraiser
- June 10- HOT Lunch- Costco -Hot Dogs
- June 13- CAMP CHARIS- Grade 5 Field Trip- 8:30-2:30
- June 13- Volunteer Tea- @ 12:00
- June 13- PAC Mtg @ 1:00
- June 14- Grade 5 Luncheon- 12:00-@ 1:00- PAC sponsoring in the gym
- June 20- District Track Meet- all day @ Sardis Secondary School
- June 24- Waterslides- grade 3-6- permission forms out on Monday June 10- returned by 18th
- June 25- Sports Day @ FGL for all students & Hot Lunch-Pizza By the Slice
- June 26- Grade 5- all students visit CMS- 9:00-10:00am
- June 27- Last day for students- PRIDE ASSEMBLY- 10:30-11:20

- Report Cards Issued- 11:30- with parent permission students may

leave school for the day. Students who are staying will be doing activities in the afternoon.

• Fri. June 28- Administration Day Office open from 10:00 – 3:00

Division 9 News

Ms. Brooks is returning on Wednesday, May 8th. The school and her class are excited to welcome her back. We would like to thank Mrs. Vanderhelm for doing such a wonderful job in her absence.

Cross Country Event @ Cultus Lake Community School @ May 8th @ 3:15pm

This is an open invitation for any student in Grade1 to Grade 5 who would like to participate. There is no permission forms as parents are required to drive to and from the event. The run will start at 3:30pm with the Grade 1 girls and will progress from there until Grade 5 boys.

There will be FREE parking at the Main Beach lot and at the waterslides (we will have an on-site attendant to help direct drivers to what is available)

National Indigenous Peoples Day



May 30th is our celebration for National Indigenous Peoples Day. Our school will be hosting this community event. A week before the event, we will have dancers in residency teaching all of our students two traditional dances that the students will perform on May 30th. We are very honoured and proud to be hosting this event.



Grade 5 Field Trip- CAMP CHARIS

On June 13th all of the grade 5 students will be going to Camp Charis for the day where they will participate in a number of fun outdoor activities. The bus will leave FGL at 8:30 and return at 2:30. More information on this day will be coming soon. The cost is \$40.00 and this includes transportation, lunch, and activities.

Parent Advisory Council (PAC)

Every parent and guardian of a FG Leary student is automatically a member of the FG Leary PAC. We encourage you to get involved as they are a very important part of our school.

The next meeting is on **Thursday**, May 16th at 1:00. Nominations will occur for executive positions for the 2019-2020 school year. You are invited. Hope to see you there.

Warmer Weather is here! F G Leary Dress Code

We are a place of learning, and in that environment, it is important that the students present themselves accordingly. We want our children to be aware of what their fashions say about themselves and dress in a way that demonstrates self-respect. Below are some guidelines to keep in mind when thinking about what is appropriate in our learning environment.



- ✓ Clothing should be appropriate for children in an elementary school setting
- ✓ NO make up
- ✓ We do not want to see undergarments of any kind
- ✓ The midriff area is to be covered at all times
- ✓ Shorts and skirts should be a respectable length and style
- ✓ Clothing is to have no reference to inappropriate comments or bad language

Students that are dressed inappropriately will be asked to change, cover up or be provided with clothing. Our goal is not to embarrass anyone. We would handle this with care.

LOST AND FOUND -

Please come by the school and claim and lost items.

LIBRARY NEWS

Just a reminder to check under beds and in the back of closets for any overdue library books. If books are lost, they must be paid for so that a replacement book can be purchased. Thank you for your support.

If any parents secretly like to alphabetize their spice bottles and ensure all of their clothes hangers are hung going the same direction, Mrs. Knodel has a job for you! ③ Inventory will be happening in June, and Mrs. Knodel is looking for a few volunteers to help on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please contact her if this might work for you.