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Hello Evans Parents,

Some of the events happening this week and in the next little while at Evans include:

Oct 18th – Lockdown Drill @ the School

Oct 19th – Individual Photo Day

Oct 20th – 6:30 pm Chilliwack Virtual Family Math Games Night

Oct 21st – PAC Hot Lunch Order DUE (Subway)

Oct 22nd – Non Instructional Day (No School for Students)

Oct 29th – Black & Orange Theme Day

Oct 29th – Hot Lunch Day (Subway)

<u>Lockdown Drill</u> – On Monday, October 18th Evans Elementary School will be conducting a lockdown drill. The purpose of this drill is to practice with staff and students the lockdown procedures in the event we need to perform a lockdown to secure the school in the future. The procedures we will use were developed by the RCMP and the school district. We will discuss this in each of the classrooms in advance of the drill, but wanted to make parents aware this was happening and was only a precautionary practice

Student Photo Day – We will have our student photo day on the morning of October 19th.

<u>Non Instructional Day</u> – Just a reminder that this Friday (October 22nd) is a Non Instructional Day with no school for students

<u>PAC Hot Lunches</u> - PAC wants to let you know that we have officially launched our Munchalunch Online Ordering Portal. Munchalunch is an online service that allows us to collect hot lunch and fundraising orders online. The idea is no more digging for change or lost forms at the bottom of backpacks!

Of course this means some changes to the way you pay now. Munchalunch allows you to pay via credit card and Visa debit. The PAC will still accept payment via cash and check, if you need to. But orders must be submitted through Munchalunch regardless. We will no longer be handing out paper forms for hot lunches, and most fundraisers. Please note that if you do plan on handing in a cash or check payment, to the office, it is IMPERATIVE that the payment include a note stating: Student Name, Teacher Name, and which lunches are being paid for. We will use this information to cross reference with Munchalunch. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Hot lunch orders and payments are now due **seven days** before the hot lunch date. PAC will send home a reference sheet at the beginning of each hot lunch session with these dates for you to keep at home. You may submit multiple orders at once but don't need to pay for them all at once, unless you want to. But please ensure payment is in on time, for each lunch, in order to avoid cancellation of the order.

Before ordering on Munchalunch you will need to set up a profile. Each profile can have more than one child if you have multiple in the school. Please follow the appropriate link below to set up your profile:



NEW PARENTS, CAREGIVERS & STAFF https://munchalunch.com/schools/Evans

EXISTING PARENTS, CAREGIVERS & STAFF https://munchalunch.com/schools/Evans

If you have any questions or issues please reach out to PAC via email at evans.elem.pac@gmail.com and we will sort it out! At first this seems overwhelming but we assure you that it's about to change your hot lunch game! The first five lunches are ready to order. These will be the rest of the lunches for 2021.

We have included the first reference schedule below. Take note of the extra information on the first hot lunch in November from SinAmen Bun Co.

MCDONALDS

LUNCH DATE: October 15

ORDERS & PAYMENT DUE: October 8

SUBWAY

LUNCH DATE: October 29

ORDERS & PAYMENT DUE: October 22

SINAMEN BUN CO. #1

LUNCH DATE: November 10

PAYMENT & ORDERS DUE: November 3

****please note this lunch also includes an option for take home cinnamon buns. Buns are a 6 pack and will be sent home with your student after school**

SINAMEN BUN CO. #2 LUNCH DATE: November 25

PAYMENTS & ORDERS DUE: November 18

WHITE SPOT

LUNCH DATE: December 17

PAYMENTS & ORDERS DUE: December 10

<u>Daily Health Check Reminder</u> – Just a reminder that all parents should be completing a daily health check on their child BEFORE sending them to school each day. Children who are sick should remain home until they are well. The BC Ministry of Education has a site that you can access here to help with this:

Website: https://www.k12dailycheck.gov.bc.ca/healthcheck?execution=e1s1

Thanks for your help in completing these daily health checks with your family.