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Hello Evans Parents,

Only two weeks left in our school year. Here are some of the events happening at Evans during that time:

- June 13<sup>th</sup> PAC Beef Jerky Fundraiser Ends
- June 13<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am School Panorama & Grade 5 Photos Taken
- June 15<sup>th</sup> 9:00am Mrs. TeBrinke Main Beach Trip
- June 15<sup>th</sup> Grade 5 Camp Charis Trip
- June 16<sup>th</sup> District Track Meet
- June 17<sup>th</sup> PAC Beef Jerky Pick-Up
- June 17<sup>th</sup> Mrs. Buchanan's Glow Party
- June 17<sup>th</sup> AM Cottonwood Theaters Trip (Lodders/Bridge/White/Dehnke)
- June 19th Father's Day
- June 20<sup>th</sup> Sports Day (parents can attend outdoor events)
- June 21<sup>st</sup> National Indigenous People's Day (Evans Event TBA)
- June 21<sup>st</sup> 10:30 Roots of Empathy (Kindergarten Program)
- June 22<sup>nd</sup> Grade 5 Year End Celebration (5 5:30ish Start exact time TBA shortly)
- June 23<sup>rd</sup> Last Day for Students
- June 23<sup>rd</sup> 11:05 am Early Dismissal & Term 3 Report Cards sent home
- June 24<sup>th</sup> School Closes for the Summer

<u>Updated Sports Day Plan (June 20<sup>th</sup>)</u> – I wanted to give parents an update on Sports Day this year which will take place June 20<sup>th</sup>. *This year parents will be able to join us for this event outdoors*. As we are still working on the details our <u>TENTATIVE</u> plan for the days is as follows:

- 8:30ish Opening
- 9ish 10:15 Stations (Cooperative)
- Recess
- 10:30ish Running Races
- 11:50 Lunch (Hot Lunch PAC Pizza)
- 12:35ish Relay Races

We will include further details on our Sports Day shortly (by email and in the final WAG) as we finished planning these events. We will have an "inside" activity day for students in the event of rain or inclement weather *however, our inside capacity limits will likely not allow us to include parents should events need to be moved indoors due to weather.* The decision on an indoor or outdoor event will take place by 7:30 am on June 20<sup>th</sup> and will be communicated to parents by email.

<u>Daily Health Checks</u> – All families <u>MUST</u> still complete a daily health check with their child BEFORE sending them to school each day. Children who show any symptoms of illness <u>MUST</u> remain home until they are symptom free. The BC Ministry of Education has a site that you can <u>access here</u> to complete the health check:

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

*Rapid test kits are available from the school at no cost by contacting the office by phone (604-858-3057) or email.* 

(Repeat) Checking in at the Office – Just a friendly reminder that ALL parents MUST check in at the office even if they are only entering the school briefly. We value the safety of the children very much and this will help ensure this at all times during the school day. Thanks for your help with this.

(Repeat) Are You Moving? – We are currently planning for the 2022—23 school year. If you are planning on moving or believe your child may not be at Evans next year, we would appreciate you letting the office (annette\_morelli@sd33.bc.ca) know. While this does not need to be a firm commitment, it will help us in planning for next year.

(Repeat) Kindergarten Registration - If you have a child who turns 5 years old in 2022 (or know someone who does) it is time to register them for Kindergarten at Evans. Our classes are starting to fill up and we want to ensure students have a space. Our Kindergarten program offers:

- A play-based learning approach where we "learn to play and play to learn"
- Time in outdoor play, exploration and discovery that allows children to use all of their senses
- ABC Bootcamp: full immersion of the alphabet to build / create a strong literacy foundation
- Oral language development through literature, games and music
- Strong relationships with families and excellent communication between the school and home

Registration is done online and parents can complete their <u>registration here</u>. Should you have any questions about our kindergarten program please do not hesitate to get in touch with the school (604 858-3057).

(Repeat) Summer Learning Programs – Please find attached information of Summer Learning programs. Registration will open on Monday, April 25th and will be completed online at: <u>https://sd33.bc.ca/summer-learning-registration</u>. Registration closes on Friday, June 17th.