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Upcoming Events

Monday, September 19: **NO SCHOOL**

Tuesday, September 20:

PERMISSION SLIPS DUE - Festival

Thursday, September 22:

PERMISSION SLIPS DUE - Food Bank

Friday, September 23:

K-3 FIELD TRIP Arts & Culture Festival

Tuesday, September 27: 5:30-7:30

(NEW DATE!!)

Welcome Back Picnic/Potluck

Bring your favorite picnic food item

Tuesday, September 27: 1:00-3:00 Food Bank Drive—DRIVERS NEEDED

Thursday, September 29: 1:00-3:00 Food Bank Drive—DRIVERS NEEDED

Next Newsletter

Friday, September 30:

NO SCHOOL

Truth & Reconciliation Day

Monday, October 3:

ATTENDANCE AWARDS

(For Perfect Attendance in September)

Wise Words

'Being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus."

Philippians 1:6 (NIV)

Upcoming Birthdays







NO SCHOOL **MONDAY**

The Queen's funeral is on Monday. We will not be in school Monday to honour the royal family. And to view the funeral if we can. See you Tuesday.

K-3 Field Trip Friday, September 23

We just found out today that we have an amazing opportunity!! On Friday, September 23, Vernon will be hosting an (text 250-833-2127) Arts & Culture Festival in Polson Park. (See attached poster) The morning is geared to Kindergarten - Grade 3 students. The afternoon is geared to Grade 4 and older. Mrs. Barrett and Mrs. Bogan have decided to have their classes meet at Polson Park and then spend the morning attending the various events throughout the morning. Parents, you are welcome to join! A letter and permission slip will also be attached to this newsletter. (for Grades K-3)

If the older students want to participate, their events are after school is out. They will have to convince their parents to take them.

Welcome Back Picnic (Date Change)

Our Welcome Back Picnic and Meet & Greet has been moved to September 27th @ 5:30-7:30. We encourage all of our families to be there. We ask that each family bring a meatless salad or dish, as well as lawn chairs or blankets to sit on. The school will provide tables to

place your items, juice, plates, and cutlery. (If it gets too cold or wet outside, we will meet in the gymnasium.)

We will introduce you to our PAC leader-team. (We have arranged for a Bouncy Castle for the kids and supervised play on the playground.) If you are able to help with clean up, please let Mrs. Fischer know ASAP.

Food Bank Drive

We are looking forward to our annual Food Bank Drive. On Tuesday, September 27 Grades 4-8 will drop off empty bags to homes in our neighbourhood and on Thursday, September 29 they will pick up those same bags-filled. It is an awesome opportunity to get out in our immediate community and to be a visible presence. Of course, with this event comes a **very real need** for parent volunteers to help with the driving. Permission forms need to be returned by September 22nd.

DRIVERS NEEDED

We are having our annual Food Bank Drive. Can you help? We need drivers. The Grades 4-8 will be needing drivers to take them to their destinations and to drive along their route. Maps will be provided. Please let Mrs. Fischer know if you can help!! (text 250-833-2127)

Newsletter Link

http://www.pleasantvalleychristian.com/

FUNDRAISING at the Bottle Depot

Thank you, Michelle!! Our school now has an account at Chaser Bottle Depot, 4702
31 St here in Vernon. This means that if families choose to participate, they can let the attendant know that they would like their bottle return refund to be applied to the PVCA account. We can 'cash out' whenever we need to and find out what we have raised. (Probably in June)

There are 2 ways to participate:

- Take in PRESORTED recyclables for a full refund amount.
- Drop off a mix of unsorted recyclables and Chasers will apply an 'estimate' of what the amount would be.

Uniforms & Casual Friday

All students are expected to come to school in **uniform - Monday to Thursday**. So far, most of our students are looking awesome! We are well aware that this is a new adjustment for our new families and so we are planning to work with you to make this a smooth process.

Every Friday is 'Casual Friday'. This is a nice break from uniforms and allows our Moms a day to do all the laundry! (he-he). On these days, your child can wear non-uniform/casual clothes. We do request the clothing choices be tasteful, modest and appropriate.

Thank you!

PRINCIPAL'S HOURS

(That's the plan anyways) 8:00 Am - 4:00 PM

CALL IF YOU NEED TO MEET
OUTSIDE THESE HOURS

Tuesday & Thursday, September 20 & 22

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday September 26, 27, & 29

Fees & Forms

Parents, please be sure to see Mrs. Bell to settle any outstanding fees in regards to **registration fees** that were due the first day of school **or logos**.

Day Planners

Parents, when your Grade K-5 child brings their day planner home, please look it over and **sign it**. This is where your child's teacher will communicate with you regarding any notes or homework assignments.

Fall Approaches

The weather is changing quickly. Be sure to send your child to school with appropriate attire for this unpredictable season. Rain jackets and boots are a wise choice and can prevent unfortunate runins with puddles and mud. Layers are also helpful.



TREAT DAY October 3

Did you have PERFECT ATTENDANCE in September? That means you were never absent or late. If so, we will have a treat for you to celebrate!!

We hope you enjoy your treat!!







Work & play