

ÉCOLE QUARTERWAY

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Dear Quarterway families,

I hope this email finds you and your loved ones well.

Parents Corner

NLPS Community Supports Fair: All families/caregivers are invited to an informal opportunity to learn about some of the Nanaimo area community agencies that support children and youth. Come to find out about agencies' services, ask questions, and build community connections face to face. **November 29, 2023, 2:30-4:30.** *1111 Dufferin Crescent* (in Dufferin School Gym)

<u>ADHD Education Day:</u> On Monday, December 11, 2023 from 9am until 3pm, the Provincial ADHD Clinic at BC Children's Hospital is holding their annual ADHD Education Day for parents and professionals. This event is accessible in person as well as via Zoom. Registration is free; however you must register to attend in-person or virtually. Should you have any questions, please contact Joerg Taylor-Philippin at <u>adhdc@cw.bc.ca</u> or call 604-875-2345 (Ext. 2081).

Music Update.

As you are aware Aleks, our music teacher is on leave, therefore there will be no winter concert. Stay tuned for a Spring concert.

STAFF PARKING:

We ask that parent do not use the parking designated for staff. During the day, staff are sometime out of the building for meetings. Therefore, Staff parking spot must be available at anytime during the day from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM. Thank you for your collaboration on this matter.

DRESS FOR THE WEATHER:

Rain or shine, we will be having recesses outside. Please ensure that your children are dressed appropriately to be outside every day. A pair of indoor shoes is also a necessity as the weather becomes rainy. Changing out of our wet and muddy boots helps keep our school clean for everyone.

ABSENCES

If your child is absent from school or you know of dates your child will be away, we would ask you to please send the school an email <u>info.QW@sd68.bc.ca</u> or give the school a call by 8:35 am at 250-754 -

6845. If we are unavailable to take your call, please leave a detailed message on our answering machine. Your child's safety is of the utmost importance to us.

DROP OFF AND PICK UP

The school provides supervision 15 minutes before school and after school. Students should not arrive at school prior to 8:30 am. Similarly, please ensure that your child(ren) is picked up at the end of the day by **2:26** pm. If you know you will be late, please contact the office a minimum of 15 minutes before the end of the day, so that the office staff can locate your child and relay the message.

We would ask parents, as well as students, to walk their bikes when on school property as a safety for everyone.

Thank you!

GRADE 7 FUNDRAISING

<u>School Spirit Wear:</u> and Grade 7 Grads hoodies are available for purchase on school cash online. Last day to purchase is November 24th. Here is the link : <u>https://nlps.schoolcashonline.com/</u> Sizing charts are available here <u>https://qw.schools.sd68.bc.ca/students-parents/spirit-wear/</u>

Grade 7 Purdy's Fundraising Below is the Here is the link for our first grade 7 Purdy's fundraising. Thanks for your continued support 😊

https://fundraising.purdys.com/1179244-108478

VOLLEYBALL SEASON:

Practices started the week of Oct 23rd. Our grade 7 league is running from Nov 14 to Jan 12. Playoffs are from Jan 8 to 19th. thanks for our amazing parent volunteers and teachers sponsors.

Bantam (Grade 7) Boys Volleyball

Practices are Mondays from2:30-4:00 pm. Games are Wednesdays afternoons beginning the week of November 14; Teacher sponsor: Lisa Brockley; Coaches: Lisa Brockley and Kevin Trotter

Bantam (Grade 7) Girls Volleyball -

Practices are Mondays from2:30-4:00 pm. Games are Thursdays afternoons beginning the week of November 14; Teacher sponsor: Leigh Richardson; Coaches: Patty Hill, Gillian Fox **Volleyball Practices for Grade 6's girls**

Sponsor and coach by Tracy Hoff. Practices on Fridays from 2:30 to 4:00PM

Thank you to our parent volunteers.

Volleyball Practices for Grade 6's boys

Sponsor by Mme Kaké and coaches by Laurie and Steve Stacey. Practices on Fridays from 2:30 to 4:00PM Thank you to our parent volunteers.

UPCOMING NOVEMBER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Monday/lundi	27	
Tuesday/mardi	28	
Wednesday/mercredi	29	
Thursday/jeudi	30	Grade 3 Fire Safety
Friday/vendredi	1 st	 Hot Lunch – Edo
Weekend		
Monday/lundi	4	
Tuesday/mardi	5	
Wednesday/mercredi	6	
Thursday/jeudi	7	
Friday/vendredi	8	

For monthly school activities and field trips, please visit Quarterway school website.

For all questions, comments and \ or feedback, please email us at <u>info.QW@sd68.bc.ca.</u> or call the school at (250) 754 -6845.

Again, to all our new and returning families we welcome you to school this year. 😊

Sincerely, Quarterway School Administration

