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PAC MEETINGS

Grauer Parent Advisory Council has our next meeting on April 15th from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. online. We are always looking for new members, so please come and join us!



TRACK AND FIELD

This year's Zone Track Meet will take place on Thursday, May 7th at Minoru Track.

During the next few weeks, our grade 4 – 7 students will be practicing their track skills in their P.E. classes. This year's Track Meet will have a different format, as students will be able to participate in multiple events and can choose if they want to participate in a competitive or recreational group. The open competitive category is an option for students wishing to achieve personal bests and/or reach a performance benchmark; the open recreational category is more focused on fun, skill development, and trying an event with low pressure. Consistent with other Elementary activities, the focus is on individual active participation and we will not be ranking students as 1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc. in events this year. More information will be coming home as we near the Zone Track Meet.

RDPA SAFETY REMINDER TO PARENTS

We would like to remind all parents and guardians to carefully monitor their driving behavior during school drop-off and pick-up times. Please help keep our school communities safe by:

- Following all posted traffic and parking regulations
- Avoiding stopping in no-stopping zones or fire lanes
- Using designated drop-off and pick-up areas
- Being mindful of pedestrians, cyclists, and other vehicles

Thanks from the Richmond District Parent's Association (RDPA).



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY

Our next Professional Development Day will be on Friday, May 15th. School will be closed that day as staff engage in Pro-D activities on this Professional Development Day.



WEST COAST RECESS AND LUNCH

Just a reminder that children at Grauer will be going outside rain or shine during recess and lunch breaks. Please make sure your child has adequate

clothing for outside, even in the rain. Please provide them with a change of socks and shoes, rainproof coat with hood or hat and possibly an umbrella.

LOST AND FOUND

Please be sure to check out our Lost and Found bin in the hallway just outside of our gym. If your child has misplaced any clothing items, you may be able to reclaim them there!



NUT-FREE ZONE: Please be aware that Grauer School has many students with severe, life-threatening food allergies. All classrooms are designated nut-free in order to protect the health of our students. Please do not send nut products into the school, as the impact on a student can happen anywhere in the school.



April 14	Breakfast Club
April 15	PAC Meeting
April 17	Spirit Day (Wear Your Favourite Colour)
April 23	Student Learning Updates
April 24	Hot Lunch Day (orders due April 19)
May 5	Breakfast Club
May 7	Zone Track Meet
May 8	Hot Lunch Day
May 15	Pro-D Day – School Closed
May 18	Victoria Day – School Closed
May 21	Welcome to Kindergarten
May 22	Hot Lunch Day
May 22	Spirit Day (Wacky Hair and Hat Day)