



# Monthly Newsletter



## Upcoming Events



Sept 25th - Meet the Teacher  
(4:30 - 5:30 p.m.)

Community Centre Open House  
(4:00 -7:00 p.m.)

Hot Dogs Available

Sept 27th - Orange Shirt Day

Sept 30th - National Day for  
Truth and Reconciliation

## Upcoming!

Morning of Oct 4th -

Individual School Photos

Oct 14th - Thanksgiving

No School!

Oct 23rd, 3:00-5:30 p.m.

Oct 24th, 1:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Parent/Teacher  
Interviews



## Coats for Kids

The Victoria Coats for Kids Association supports kids and families in the Greater Victoria area who are in need of a warm winter coat for their child and don't have the resources to obtain one themselves. The Association will be distributing coats for those who need them during the week of October 14th.

Please contact our Youth and Family Counselors to order a coat for your child. We are, Al Reid ([areid@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:areid@sd61.bc.ca)) and Leila Durzi ([ldurzi@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:ldurzi@sd61.bc.ca)). You can also reach Leila or Al by calling the school during the week.



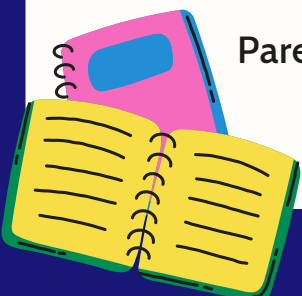
## Reminders

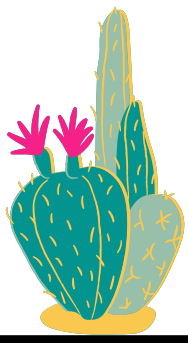
If your child is going to be absent or late please email [jamesbay@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:jamesbay@sd61.bc.ca)

or give us a call at 250-383-7152

If you are dropping your child off late please make sure they come by the office to check in!

This information is also on our school website.





# MEALS and more!



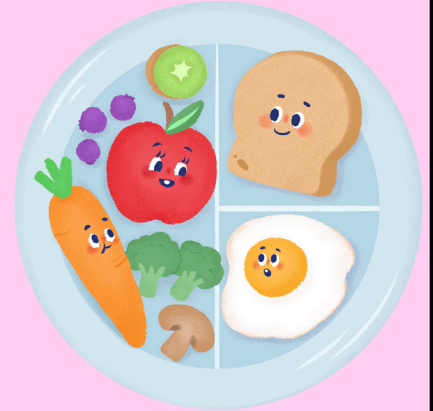
## SCHOOL MEAL PROGRAM

Our School Meal Program is up and running. We will be sending out new forms monthly, but you can sign up anytime, see the office for forms.

Please still send a morning snack!

The program is accessible to all our families. If your family needs assistance with paying please contact Tracey at 250.384.7184.

**No child will go hungry.**



# 1000X5

## Looking for Gently Used Books

1000X5 has sent 338,000 of your gently used books for babies and preschoolers into homes where books may be few. This is Year 14 of sending gift bags each with 3 books. Over the year, children may receive 30 books – transforming learning. Please take your gently used books for wee ones to your school and ask for the pink bin.

Check out our website for more information: [www.1000X5.ca](http://www.1000X5.ca)



## Backpack Buddies

We are working with Backpack Buddies again this year to provide a bag of food over the weekend. If you could use assistance and are interested in this free program please contact Tracey at 250.384.7184

