

Weekly Newsletter #37

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At Nakusp Elementary Learning Is In Our Nature

Wednesday, June 15, 2011



Dates:
PAC Meeting

3rd Wednesday

Next meeting:

PAC meeting tonight

Wednesday, June 15th in the NES Library 7:00pm.
Extra short year-end meeting- less than an hour.

Baby sitting is provided by PAC. The gym or Bonnington will be open and certified baby sitters will be providing this service.

Food Bank Friday
We have collected 354 food items so far for the Food Bank. Thank you for your support.

Assembly
Each Monday morning 9:00
If there is no school am
Monday there is no Assembly that week

Next Year's Kindergarten Students Orientation

The second day of orientation for group two will be tomorrow, June 16th

Intermediate Track Meet Tomorrow, June 16th

Sprints are from 9:00-10:00

Other events run from 10:00-2:00 (200/400 meters); Long Jump; Triple Jump; and Ball Throw

Come out and cheers us on!

Hot Dog sales begin at 12:00 noon.

Hot dog and juice \$2.00

Hot dog \$1.00

Freezies \$.50 and \$1.00

Band Concert Monday, June 27th

There will be a band concert for our 6/7 band students on Monday, June 27th at 7:00 p.m. at the Bonnington. Come out and see and hear what our band students have accomplished this year.

Nakusp Public Library Summer Reading Program

The theme is **Savour Each Word**. Drop by the library to register for the program. Registration started on June 1st and is continuing. There are great prizes and regular reading over the summer will help keep your child's reading skills up.

Class Configurations for Next Year

We are in the process of organizing our classes for next year. We will be having a Full-day Kindergarten class, a Full-day Kindergarten/Grade 1 class, a Grade 2 class, a Grade 2/3 class, a Grade 3/4 class, a Grade 4/5 class, a Grade 5/6 class, a Grade 6/7 class, and a Grade 7 class. Our present records show that we will have 192 students next year. Our present enrolment is 202. Teachers have not been assigned to these classes at this time.

Aboriginal Day Activities on Saturday See back for details

Community News

NES and Nakusp Hot Springs Tile Project There is a discount pool fee for parents and families of NES students. Check out the tile display schedule. The tiles will be on display in a rotating basis and then put together to make a mural at the Nakusp Hot Springs. The schedule is:

Week of May 16- Ms. McLean's and Mrs. Koochin's classes;
 Week of May 23- Mrs. Hall's and Ms. Roberts' classes;
 Week of May 30- Mrs. McQuair's and Mrs. Zeleznik's classes;
 Week of June 6- Ms. Buckman's and Mrs. Grout's classes; and
Week of June 13- Mrs. Leitch's and Miss Jenkins' classes.

Try to make a trip to the Hot Springs over the next few weeks, see your child's tile and take a dip in the pools.

Aboriginal Day Schedule Saturday, June 18th

11:30 Tipi raising and blessing
 11:45 Native Drumming in the Gazebo
 12:00 Opening Ceremonies
 George Harding MC
 Marilyn James Sinixt Welcome
 Mayor Karen Hamiling
 RDCK Paul Peterson
 Walter Posnikoff SD10
 The Aboriginal Collective - Ganishka
 Mark Brunton Nakusp Food Bank

12:15-1:00 Lunch at Food Bank Concession
 1:00 Sinixt Story Telling in the big Tipi
 1:00-3:00 Voyageur Canoe rides
 1:00-2:00 Medicine Card Reading in small Tipi
 1:30-1:45 Native Drumming in the Gazebo
 2:00-2:15 The African Drummers
 2:00-3:00 Sinixt Story Telling in the big Tipi
 3:00-3:30 Taking down the small Tipi

There will also be the native clown, face painters, and vendors who will display and work on their crafts.

Welcome everyone.

School Calendar Please keep this calendar for your records 2010-2011

June 18 (Saturday) Aboriginal Day
 11:30-3:00 at the park
 June 28 or 29 Report Cards go home
 June 29 Last Day of Classes
 June 30 Admin Day Summer holidays begin
 for students
 June 30 Administrative Day for staff

Fieldtrips:

June 20-23 Mrs. Leitch's class on camp-

ing trip

June 21 Mrs. Grout's and Ms. Buckman's classes on fieldtrip

June 22 Ms. Roberts' class and Mrs. McQuair's class on fieldtrip

June 22-24 Miss Jenkins' class on camping trip

June 24 Mrs. McQuair's class on fieldtrip

June 28 Mrs. Hall class

June 29 Mrs. Koochin's class on fieldtrip

Recognition Schedule:

June 24 Mrs. Koochin and Mrs. Hall's classes recognition assembly 1:30

June 27 Mrs. Zeleznik 1:00-2:00

June 28 Grade 7 Awards Ceremony—Bonnington 11:00 a.m.

June 28 Mrs. Grout 10:00-10:40

June 28 Mrs. McQuair 1:00-2:30 Bonnington