# Will your child be absent from school, arriving late OR leaving early?

PLEASE BE SURE TO LET THE SCHOOL OFFICE KNOW! You can report this via:

~ the Parent Portal ~email to

hh reception@sd42.ca

~by calling 604-463-0866 and leaving a message.

All of these options are available 24hrs/day!
Thank you!

We would like to
welcome
Ms. Amanda Puchalski
to HHE! She is joining
Ms. Goodwin in the
office!
Welcome back Ms.
Olivia Grosso to our EA
team!



### "WEEK AT A GLANCE" Sept. 29-Oct.3

#### Monday, September 29

- Please see volleyball schedule below!
- Gym, Library and Haven Club all students welcome! 8:00am
- Assembly 9:00am Orange Shirt Day, wear your orange shirts!

#### Tuesday, September 30

National Day of Truth and Reconciliation: no school

#### Wednesday, October 1

- Gym, Library and Haven Club 8:00am
- Terry Fox Kick off assembly 9am
- Stable Harvest Farm Div. 15 8:30-12

#### **Thursday, October 2**

Library and Haven Club 8:00am

#### Friday, October 3

Gym, Library and Haven Club 8:00am

#### Volleyball this week!

After a successful first week of Tripleball (Volleyball), we are diving into week 2! Here is the week ahead:

Monday: Coed Rec AM practice (7:45am) | Boys Comp lunchtime practice | Rec and Comp Girls PM practice | Coed Rec GAME @ Laity View Elementary

Wednesday: Boys Comp lunchtime practice | Boys Comp GAME vs Albion

<u>Thursday</u>: Girls Rec, Coed Rec, and Girls Comp combined AM practice | Rec Girls GAME @ c'usqunela | Comp Girls GAME vs Davie Jones Elementary

Friday: Boys Comp lunchtime practice

# Harry Hooge Terry Fox Run: Parent Volunteers Needed

Our Terry Fox Run at Harry Hooge will take place on the afternoon of Thursday October 9th. As we will be running a course throughout our community, we will require parent volunteers to ensure our students are safe and remain on course. If you are available from 12:30-1:30 on Thursday October 9th and would like to volunteer, please email Ms. Cortina (natasha\_cortina@sd42.ca). She will be providing more details closer to the date!

More information in regard to our fundraising goal for our Terry Fox Run will be coming out soon. Stay tuned!

# October Calendar of Events!

Sun. Oct. 5: World Teachers' Day

Wed. Oct. 8, 14, 22: Alouette Addictions Presentations for Gr. 6 and 7 students

PAC Hot Lunch: Little Caesars

Thurs. Oct. 9: Terry Fox Run 1:00

Friday Oct. 10: School Growth Planning Day: No school for students

Mon. Oct. 13: Thanksgiving No School

Tues. Oct. 14: Last day to order DFS fundraiser

Wed. Oct. 15, 16, 17, 20, 21: Hub Cycling Div. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

Wed. Oct. 15: Fire Drill 1:45

Thurs. Oct.16: Earthquake Drill

Fri. Oct.17: Photo Retakes

Pumpkin Patch: Murdock/Smith

Dan General Recycling K and K/1 classes 8:45-12

Mon. Oct. 20: PAC meeting 7pm

Tues. Oct. 21: Pumpkin Patch 9am Div. 22, 23, 24, 25

Wed. Oct. 22: PAC Subway
Hot Lunch

#### Thurs. Oct. 23:

Diwali Assembly 9am

Bowling at Revs 11:15-1:45 Div. 1-5

Halloween Dance 6-8pm

(ALL STUDENTS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED AND SUPERVISED BY AN ADULT)

Fri. Oct. 24: Non Instructional Day: No school for students

Fri. Oct. 31: Halloween

Parade 9am

#### **National Day for Truth and Reconciliation**

Each year, September 30 marks the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

The day honours the children who never returned home and Survivors of residential schools, as well as their families and communities. Public commemoration of the tragic and painful history and ongoing impacts of residential schools is a vital component of the reconciliation process.

This federal statutory holiday was created through <u>legislative amendments</u> made by Parliament.

Wear orange



Both the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation and Orange Shirt Day take place on September 30.

Orange Shirt Day is an Indigenous-led grassroots commemorative day intended to raise awareness of the individual, family and community inter-generational impacts of residential schools, and to promote the concept of "Every Child Matters". The orange shirt is a symbol of the stripping away of culture, freedom and self-esteem experienced by Indigenous children over generations.

On September 30, we encourage all Canadians to wear orange to honour the thousands of Survivors of residential schools.

We invite everyone to wear orange on Monday September 29th

#### **Sports Grants**

Jumpstart. https://jumpstart.canadiantire.ca/

Jumpstart provides financial support to qualifying applicants to aid in the costs of sports and physical activities for children aged 4-18. The website identifies criteria for eligibility and information on the application process.

**KidSport Canada.** <a href="https://kidsportcanada.ca/">https://kidsportcanada.ca/</a>

KidSport offers grants to qualifying families, to assist with sports registration fees up to \$400 for children under the age of 18. The website clarifies eligibility as well as the application process.

## Life Threatening Allergies at Harry Hooge

In several classes, we have sent letters home to that indicate that there is a student(s) with life threatening allergies. At Harry Hooge, one type of allergy we see is to a variety of nuts. We appreciate your help as we try to keep Harry Hooge Elementary as safe as possible for these students. Although we cannot guarantee that Harry Hooge is "Nut Free", we do our best to be as sensitive to these health risks as possible and to do what we can to minimize the threat of exposure to anything that might be harmful to a student.

