

October 9-13, 2024



# CRYSTAL VIEW WEEKLY



## WELCOME TO THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR!

We had a wonderful time welcoming both new and returning students to Crystal View last week. Excitement is building for this week as our new Kindergarten students join us. All students have had the chance to meet their new teachers and classmates. Meet the Teacher is scheduled for Tuesday, September 24th. Feel free to reach out beforehand to introduce yourself.

## THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Monday

- Kindergarten students half-day
- Cricket at lunch for grades 1-5
- Picnic table activities - Lego, art at lunch

### Tuesday

- Kindergarten half-day
- Cricket at lunch for grades 1-5
- Picnic table activities - Lego, art at lunch
- PAC meeting at 6:30 in the library

### Wednesday

- First full day of kindergarten
- Picnic table activities - Lego, art at lunch
- Cricket at lunch for grades 1-5

### Thursday

- Cricket at lunch for grades 1-5
- Picnic table activities - Lego, art at lunch

### Friday

- Cricket at lunch for grades 1-5
- Picnic table activities - Lego, art at lunch

## THE IMPORTANCE OF READING EVERYDAY

Reading to children everyday is one of the most important things parents can do for their children.



1 Builds a love of Reading

2 Daily reading helps teach fluency and helps build language.

3 Reading is a wonderful way to bond with your child.

4 Stimulates their imagination and expands their understanding of the world.

5 It helps them develop listening skills

6 Helps prepares them to understand the written word

7 An understanding of reading for pleasure



## UPCOMING DATES

- Sept. 18** - Individual School
- Sept. 19** - First fire drill
- Sept. 20** - Terry Fox run
- Sept. 23** - School Planning Day, no school
- Sept. 24** - Meet the Teacher night
- Sept. 27** - Orange Shirt Day
- Sept. 30** - Truth and Reconciliation Day - no school
- Oct. 8** - Fire Drill; PAC meeting at 6:30
- Oct. 14** - Thanksgiving Day
- Oct. 16** - Photo Retakes
- Oct 17** - Great Shake-out
- Oct. 25** - Professional Development Day, no school
- Oct. 30** - PAC Halloween Dance
- Oct. 31** - Halloween

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## FROM THE CRYSTAL VIEW PAC

Parents & Caregivers – We Want to Hear From You!

As we kick off the 2024/2025 school year, the PAC is looking to learn more about how we can continue to best support our students and families, and we need your feedback! We've put together a quick survey to gather your thoughts on what's important to you, your understanding of the PACs role, and your interest in getting more involved with the PAC.

 Take the survey here:

[Anonymous Survey Regarding Parent Advisory Committee Involvement \(google.com\)](https://www.google.com)

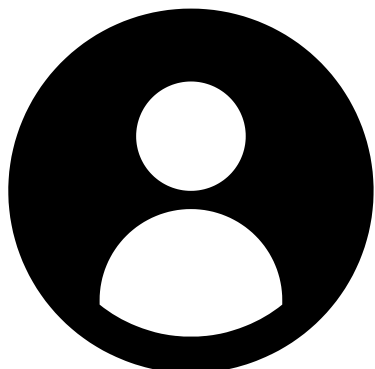


Your feedback will help guide our efforts this year. Thank you for your time and support!

Best,

Tanis and Emily - Co-Presidents

## UPDATING CONTACT AND EMERGENCY INFORMATION



Please remember to contact Ms. Roberts in the office if any of your students contact or personal information has changed. You can email her at [amroberts@sd62.bc.ca](mailto:amroberts@sd62.bc.ca); call the office 250-478-0576; or drop by the office. Medical Information and forms need to be updated yearly. Teachers will be sending home emergency release forms to be updated and sent back to school (these are separate from your MyEd information)