



École T. M. Roberts Elementary
School

The Twister



Weekly Newsletter
Thursday, May 4, 2017

Spring Flower Fundraiser order pickup: For those families that placed orders with the TM "Spring Flower Fundraiser", the plants will be available for pickup on **Wednesday, May 10th** between the hours of 12:00 pm - 4:30pm. When picking up your order, please stop at the office for assistance.

Canadian Parents for French: The next meeting Wednesday, May 17th at 6:30 pm followed by the AGM at 7:30 - 8:00 pm.

Ready, Set, Learn: Southeast Kootenay School District will be offering an opportunity for all three and four year olds to come to their neighborhood school. Children must have turned three before May 12th, (the RSL date) and not be eligible for kindergarten in September. Parents and caregivers will receive helpful tips for supporting their preschooler's learning and development as well as being informed with services that are available in our community. "Ready, Set, Learn" for our school is on May 12th from 10:45 - 11:45.

iRide: Grade 4 students will be participating in the iRide program again this year. Our remaining dates are May 9 and 16. A schedule of times and forms has been sent home and must be signed and returned. Students will need to bring their bike and helmet; these can be dropped off ahead of the first session as we have a secured space to store them. Please let your teacher know if you are in need of either a bike or helmet as the program can support us.

TM Track and Field day: We are looking for parent volunteers for the track meet for the grades 4, 5 and 6 students May 10th at the College of the Rockies. Please let your child's teacher know if you are interested in helping out or email Carissa.hart@sd5.bc.ca. Students will be bussed to and from the track for this event.

Class Photos: Our photographer will be back again on May 11th to take whole class photos. Mark your calendars, we'd love to have all students included.

School-Wide Run: Starting this Thursday we will start up our school-wide run once again at the end of every week. We usually run or walk at 11:15, weather depending. Students will need footwear to walk or run outdoors in. Parents are welcomed to participate.

Parking Lot: Our parking lot is reserved for staff and students who require wheelchair or mobility accessibility. Please do not enter the parking lot at drop off or pick up. The loop is quick drop-off and pick up zone for students in grades 1 - 6. Students should be waiting for their parents under the covered area to be picked up by parents from the loop. There is no parking allowed in the loop. Thank you for your understanding.

PAC Hot Lunches: The next hot lunch will be May 18th - Quiznos & Booster Juice day. Orders must be in no later than May 10th through the Munch-a-lunch, under parents' tab on the TMRES website. Parents can sign up to help deliver lunches to their children's classrooms by contacting Kari Pidskalny at: tmrspac@gmail.com.

Royal Canadian Legion Track Meet in Trail: Any Track and Field enthusiasts 9 years of age and older are invited to compete in the 16th annual track meet held on Saturday May 6th. Entry for the meet is \$15.00. As this is not a school-sponsored event, parents may enter their children without a teacher-sponsor present.

Grade Four Parent Student Learning: Since 2001 we invited parents of grade 4 students to participate in an online satisfaction survey. The survey has undergone some changes and is now the Student Learning Survey. The information is valuable to the school for decision making. Letters will be coming home today with the link. Thank you in advance for participating!

School Zone: You will notice that "Little Suzy" is out in front of the school again. This is a reminder to drivers that there are children present on the road and that it is a school zone, therefore the speed limit is 30 kms/hour. There is also zone on 3rd Ave. that is also a school zone where the speed limit needs to be followed and drivers need to use extreme caution. Thanks for your help in spreading awareness.

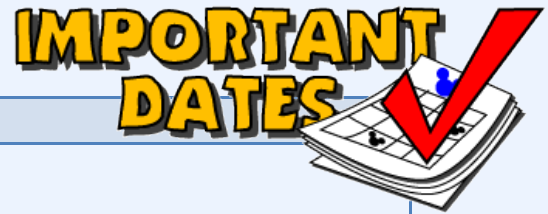
Next Year Information: If you are considering changing programs, schools, or are moving can you please contact the office. It is very important as we begin to look forward to next year. Thank you!

Twister Shout-out: Take a look at our school blog to see what's been going on in our school and who is making it happen!

<https://portal.sd5.bc.ca/public/o5sdsn24ofuwuzlcpbss4ytzofya/Blog/default.aspx#/>

Remember to check the T.M. Website for regular updates.
www.sd5.bc.ca/school/tmres

Calendar Dates to Remember:



May 4	Spring picture orders due
May 5	Pro-D Day School not in session
May 9	iRide - grade 4
May 10	Spring Flower fundraiser pickup 12 - 4 pm TM Track Day - grade 4,5,6 Held at the College of the Rockies
May 11	Class photos
May 12	Ready, Set, Learn 10:45 - 11:45 am
May 16	iRide - grade 4
May 17	CPF Meeting - 6:30 pm Library followed by the AGM at 7:30 - 8:00 pm
May 18	PAC Hot Lunch - Quiznos & Booster Juice Day
May 19	School Break School not in session
May 22	Stat Holiday School not in session
June 2	School Break School not in session
June 6	District Track Meet
June 9	Pro-D Day School not in session
June 13	Backup day for District Tract Meet
June 14	Aboriginal student Career Fair

Student Work

