September 7th, 2017

T.M. Roberts Elementary School

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"Together we can give our children the roots to grow and the wings to fly"

Terry Fox Fundraiser

Our school is participating in the annual Terry Fox Run on September 29th.

If you would like to fundraise for the organization there will be paper copies of the forms in the office to pick up. Alternatively you can follow this link to fundraise online:

http://www.terryfox.ca/TMRobertsElementary

Contact Information

Please let the office and your child's teacher know if any of your contact information changes throughout the course of the year (phone number, email, physical address).

Paarlauf

Our school is hosting a relay race on September 19th, 21st, 26th, and 28th. Some of our grade 4, 5 and 6 students will be participating in the races. The event will take place after school at 3:30 and students must have transportation home right after the race. All parents and students are welcome to attend and cheer on all of our home and visiting participants.

What is PAC?

PAC stands for Parent Advisory Council. Our PAC hosts fun events for our school and raises funds for school-wide purchases. Last year PAC purchased a couch and cushions for the students in the



Upcoming Events

September 13

PAC (parent advisory council) meeting – all welcome! 6:30 pm. AGM to follow

September 15

Kindergarten Tea 9:00 – 10:00

CHEQ for K Parents 9:30 - 1:00

September 22

Professional Development, students do not attend.

September 27

Open House for parents 6:00 – 7:00

Book Fair: 5:00 - 8:00 in the gym

September 29

PAC Welcome Back Pancake Breakfast 8:00 am

Terry Fox Walk (3 km), Parents welcome! 9:30 am

PAC is always looking for new members at any time of the year. library, mulch for our school garden and much more You will notice that your child will come home with a new item of clothing on Friday. Thanks to PAC for the gift!

Parking at TM

TMRES is a large school, and we are growing! We have close to 385 students registered for 2017-2018 school year. As many families come from all over town, we have a lot of cars doing morning drop-off and after school pick-up. To reduce congestion and to **keep our students safe** we have the following parking rules:

Loop:

- 30 sec Maximum stopping time;
- No parking;
- Do not leave your vehicle.
- Do not block entrance/exit to staff parking lot.

Staff Lot: No parent vehicles in staff parking lot, along back fence, or beside covered area.

No Parking at the old Masonic Hall: In previous years many parents used the old Masonic Hall at the end of the road for parking. This is now a private residence so please be respectful of our new neighbours.

Kindergarten Pickup: We ask that Kindergarten parents not use the drop-off loop as Kindergarten students are dismissed from their classroom and you must leave your car to pick them up.

Bus Lane: The front of the school is reserved for busses during school hours. Staff and parents cannot park in that area.

Thank you for helping us keep our students' safety a priority during this busy time.

Absence from School

If your child is going to be absent from school, we would greatly appreciate a call to the office to let us know why they are not here. 250-489-4575

School Website

Our school website is http://www.sd5.bc.ca/school/tmres/ Take a look for school calendars, bell schedules and much more.

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Month at a Glance

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	Book Fair – 5 to 8 pm in the gym
Sept. 28	Paarlauf – 3:30 pm
Sept. 29	Welcome back pancake breakfast – 8 am
	Terry Fox Walk – 9:30 am
Oct. 5	Student photos