



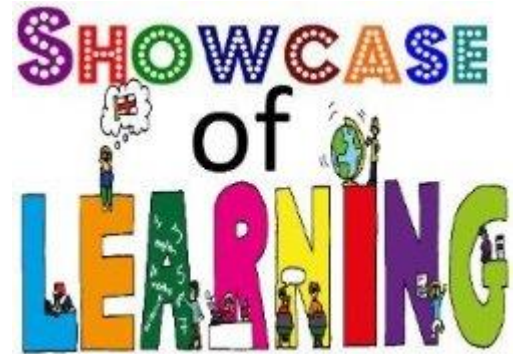
From the Raven's Nest...

for Friday, April 28, 2023

Let's Celebrate...

It is amazing that next week is May and it feels like warmer weather might be with us for a bit! The start of May is also a time to check in on how your child is progressing this term. To do that we will have our *Showcase of Learning*, which are our student led conferences, next week on Wednesday May 3 from 1pm until 4pm here at the school.

This afternoon will be a chance for parents to come into the school and be toured around by your child so they can share some of the learning they have been working on this term/year. It will be an open-house style where parents can pop in in the afternoon and be guided around the school by your child. The events will run from 1pm until 4pm and parents will be able to visit your child's class, have them take you on a student-guided tour of the school, and share some of the learning progress that they have made this year.



Sincerely, Mr Maxwell

What's happening next week at Rockheights:

Monday, May 1st -

Tuesday, May 2nd

- Dungeons and Dragons Club at Lunch
- Pizza day – please preorder on www.schoolcashonline.com

Wednesday, May 3rd

- 1pm- 4pm Showcase of Learning
- No Raven's Club this week due to Showcase of Learning

Thursday, May 4th

- Grade 6 Beginning Band Festival at Spectrum Community School
- Spongebob Musical for those that have tickets

Friday, May 5th

- Div 3 field trip to the public library

Looking Further Ahead:

May 16 – Evening First Aid Training

May 24 – Human Library

LAST CALL TO REGISTER! - RMS PAC EDUCATION EVENT - May 16 – Evening First Aid Training

The RMS PAC will be offering a chance for basic first aid training for students (with a parent/guardian) on the evening of Wednesday May 16 from 6pm until 9pm at the school. All students must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. The course description is as follows:

Basic First-Aid with CPR C for Youth & Parents (11-14 yrs.) (no AED) - This fun and interactive 3 hour session trains people how to react and improvise when dealing with time priority, life threatening emergencies. This course includes initial assessment, disease prevention, airway obstruction, adult/child/infant (Level C). This course will also cover recognition and first-aid treatment for head and spine injuries, shock, bleeding, seizures, anaphylaxis (epi-pens/epinephrine auto-injectors), and broken bones. Participants spend the majority of the course doing hands on first-aid, and participating in first-aid scenarios. By practicing with scenarios students gain confidence, learn to improvise, and react in emergency situations.

This course usually costs participants \$30 but due to the PAC sponsorship, we are able to offer this at only \$20 per participant. It is a great thing for your child to know for their safety and the safety of the people around them

Spaces are limited (WE ONLY HAVE 7 SPOTS LEFT) and registration can be done at <https://forms.gle/Sox4qCu3123n66wa9> . If there is more demand than we can accommodate, then we will have a lottery system and potentially look at the potential of adding another evening.



Pizza reminder! – If you are interested in ordering Pizza for your child please do so using SchoolCash Online **before Sunday at midnight**. All pizzas are on whole wheat crust and pre-orders are required.

Code of Conduct Review–

One of the steps that we take every year is a review of our student Code of Conduct. Our current Code of Conduct document is attached to this update or can be found on our school website by clicking [Code of Conduct 2022-23](#). If you are interested please have a look and if there are any questions or suggestions for updates please send them to me by email at amaxwell@sd61.bc.ca

Once again, we look forward to welcoming families back into the school next Wednesday for our *Showcase of Learning*. We hope that you can join us for this important chance to hear from your child about their progress. We are also looking forward to the improving weather as many of the classes will be heading off into community for various activities. Please watch for updates from your child's Advisory teacher about the various activities that they may have planned.

As always, we really appreciate your support with helping students ensure they are dressed for the weather and as the temperatures warm up that hopefully can include a hat and water bottle/container of some kind.

Have a great weekend,
Aaron

p.s. The Boys and Girls Club contacted us because they still have a few spaces available in their spring parenting groups. If you, or someone you know, may be interested, check out the link at <https://bgcvi.org/programs/parenting/> Parents can register for a group by filling out an online registration form.