Belgo Weekly eNews



Orange Shirt Day

The National Day for Truth and Reconciliation is on September 30 and schools will be closed that day so we will be recognizing Orange Shirt Day on Monday, September 29 at school.



National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Understanding the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Homepage- Orange Shirt Society

Event Calendar

October 8 & 9: Early Dismissal days at 12:00 pm for Teacher/Parent Conferences October 10: Implementation Day (no school for students)

October 13: Thanksgiving (no school)



Weekly Snapshot

Lundi, le 29 septembre: Orange Shirt Day

Mardi, le 30 septembre: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (schools closed)

Mercredi, le 1 octobre:

Jeudi, le 2 octobre:

Vendredi, le 3 octobre: Wear your Belgo shirt or wear blue and yellow



Truth and Reconciliation Day - September 30 in B.C.

In March of 2023, the Province of B.C. recognized September 30th as the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, declaring it a statutory holiday. This day creates time and space for all families and communities in British Columbia to reflect on Canada's history and to engage in Indigenous community events.

The day honours the children in Canada who attended residential schools, the survivors, and their families. It is also an opportunity for all British Columbians to learn about this part of our shared history and to reflect on a path forward towards reconciliation.

This statutory day responds to Call to Action #80 of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, chaired by the Honourable Justice Murray Sinclair, which called on the federal government to establish a National Day for Truth and Reconciliation to ensure public honouring of the history and legacy of residential schools is held up as a important part of the reconciliation process.

On September 30, we encourage families to wear orange, take part in local events, read Indigenous authored stories, learn more about the local syllx territory, and spend time learning and talking together about truth and reconciliation. Walking this path is a journey we share, hand in hand, as British Columbians.







































Could you volunteer?

We are in need of helping hands. **To run our hot lunch program we depend on volunteers** to sort and distribute the orders. Must have criminal record check (available for free at the office)

Tuesday and Fridays:

2-3 volunteers to sort orders at 11:105-6 volunteers to deliver the orders to each classroom at 11:30 till 11:50

Sign up to volunteer when you can in link below: https://signup.com/go/rSwjbCN or under "volunteer" tab in munchalunch.

We greatly appreciate your support to keep this program going and ensuring warm lunches on time



Munchalunch is **open** for **Hot Lunch** orders!! Order weekly or multiple weeks at a time. **Deadline** is 8 days before delivery: Pizza-> Monday of prior week Hot Lunch-> Thursday of prior week.

Important Dates:

October 3:

First Hot Lunch Friday.

October 7

FIRST Pizza Tuesday!!

October 8-9:

Scholastic Book Fair!!!! Open to everyone after school Wednesday and Thursday, 12-4pm Cash preferred, card machine available. Volunteers will be needed.

October 15:

Happy Farmer Fundraiser: Apples

Orders pickup @ school

October 16:

PAC meeting @6:30pm in school's library. All are welcomed. Baby-sitting avaiblein gym.

October 30:

HalloweenDance 6-8pm

November 1:

BasilCooperFamily Photos fundraiser.

10 min sessions-\$25 receive 1 8x10 print of your choice with option to buy more. **Book your spot before they run out.**



PAC positions needing to be filled:

We have a great group of moms working hard to keep PAC going smoothly and coming up with new fun ideas for fundraisers and events.

There's still some positions that need to be filled:

Secretary Vice President

We all work together as a team and understand that lives get busy. We cooperate and support each person in every position. If you feel you'd like to join us and would like to take on one of these roles, please talk to any PAC member or join us at our next PAC meeting on **Thursday**Oct 16th @6:30pm (baby-sitters available at each meeting)

Our incredible Event Coordinator of 4 years Laura Bensler, is looking for volunteers to form a **Fun Committee** to assist her in planning/organizing Movie Nights, Dances and the Fun Fair. If you would like to be part of the Fun Committee, email her at laurabensler@gmail.com

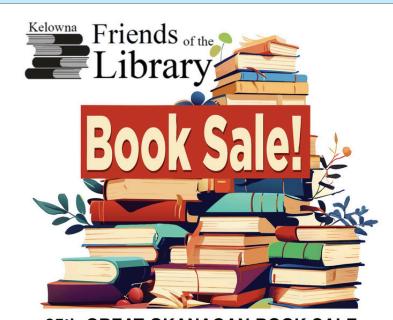


Fundraisers: Happy Farmers Fundraiser

Support local farmers and our school while feeding your family healthy delicious apples. *Order through Munchalunch.*Pick Up orders at the school on Oct 15th.

Basil Cooper Family Photos Sessions \$25 booking fee for 10min session receive 1 8x10 print of you choice. Options to upgrade to higher photo packages \$25 fee donated back to our PAC Book time slot through this website: www.basilcooper.com/book





35th GREAT OKANAGAN BOOK SALE SUPPORTING ALL BRANCHES OF OKANAGAN REGIONAL LIBRARY

Wednesday October 15 2:00pm to 8pm Thursday October 16 9:30am to 8pm Friday October 17 9:30am to 8pm Saturday October 18 9:30am to 2pm

Location: Immaculate Conception Parish Hall 839 Sutherland Avenue, Kelowna

Church Parking: New One-Way System
Enter: West Alley (by Church) Exit: East Alley (by Hall)

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- 10 week program
- Starting early January, choose Saturdays or Sundays
- An introduction to skiracing
- For skiers aged 6-11 (not a learn to ski program)







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