École Martha Currie Elementary



Week at a Glance -June 21 - June 25, 2021

Upcoming Events Monday



Wednesday

Grade 7 Ceremony

<u>Thursday</u>

- Last Day of school
- Early Dismissal @ 1:20 pm
- Summative Reports #3
- <u>Friday</u>

Important Dates

Sept.7

First day of school - please check your local paper to find out start time.

Just a reminder

If your child will be absent from school or late, please call the office at:

ph 604-576-8551



5811 - 184 St Surrey, BC V3S 4N2 PH: 604-576-8551

Principal: Mr. B. Samra Acting Vice-Principal: Mme. S. Chrismas

Message from the Admin

We have another addition to our Martha Currie family. Congratulations to Ms. S. Banjac on the birth of Baby Malcolm. He was born on June 12^{th} \odot

Our staff typically would like to do an in-person Parent Appreciation because we really do appreciate the parent community at MC. With COVID restrictions, the staff decided to at least put together a video as a thank you. It is on Mme Chrismas's private YouTube Channel, and you can access it here:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1KxTGKT3o9s

Sports Day was so much fun. The team managed to make it work well despite the COVID restrictions. Thanks to the grade 7's for the fabulous leadership in running the stations and, especially, for coming to school early to set up and leaving late for cleanup. Thank you to Ms. D. Ariello and Mr. M. Shortridge for their leadership in organizing the event and to the grade 7 teaching team for guiding the students.

Without visitors allowed, you won't have seen some fantastic new Indigenous art in the Library Learning Commons, so we have attached a link with a video to showcase it. We are proud to continue moving forward with our school goal of increased diversity: <u>https://youtu.be/Olwu0SuXkGg</u>

Mr. B. Samra and Mme S. Chrismas (Principal) (Acting Vice-Principal)

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As we get closer to the end of the year, we want to acknowledge and thank the staff who will be leaving next year for all their work:

<u>Classroom teachers:</u> Mme K. Green Ms. R. Mondair Ms. J. Mittlestead Mme J. Brooks Ms. A. Van Garderen *Ms. K. Epp (RETIRING!) Supporting Teachers: Mr. J. Rauw (Band) Mme M. Brennan (LST) Ms. P. Gill (LST) Ms. L. Fasse (LST) Ms. J. Ainscow (Int. Prep) Mr. A. Randhawa (Int. Prep) Ms. K. Nicol (IST) <u>Support Staff:</u> Ms. B. Davis (EA) Ms. J. Buckle (EA) Ms. K. Aryal (CYCW) Mr. G. McKenna (Psych't) Mr. K. Kim (Head Custodian)

We hope to get some of them back next year, but we wish all of them the absolute best in their new adventures! Our school was fortunate to have each of them bring their expertise to Martha Currie.

We would also like to give a big welcome To our incoming staff members:

Lori Ciammaichella - Primary English Raylyn Geary - Primary French Sasha Campbell-Mongeon - Job-Share with Mme Haviland Kirsten Kimmel - Job-Share with Ms Correia (Ms. Kimmel will join us after her Maternity Leave) Katelyn McCloy - LST

We look forward to adding these Wolves to our team!

Library News

All library books are now OVERDUE. Please return books to the office or to your child's classroom teacher.

We still want students to keep reading during the summer. Register for the Summer Reading Club with your local public library. <u>https://www.surreylibraries.ca/services/kids-families/summer-readingclub</u>

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Div. 4 - Scribble Water Colours



School Supplies

You are now able to order school supplies for the coming year. If you would like to buy your own, you can do that as well. Please print out the supply list on the school website and purchase it wherever supplies are being sold. If you like the convenience of buying school supplies via EDU-PAC you can do that as well. Please see their website and the password is 3630.

Lost and Found Items

We have numerous items in our lost and found box. Please encourage your child to have a look if anything is theirs. We will be donating anything remaining to charity.

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Division 8 & 9 honouring the 215 indigenous children found buried at the Kamloops residential school. We cut out and used 215 hearts. One heart to represent each child that was found.





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Free Celebration & Wellness, Virtual Event

MONDAY

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🛞 CULTURAL DANCING AND SINGING 🍪 TRADITIONAL SHARING & TEACHING 🍪 CULTURAL ART DISPLAYS 🛞 MÉTIS JIGGING \ominus STORYTELLING 😌 DRUMMING 😔 THE WILD MOCCASIN DANCERS 😂 STARS OF THE NORTH DRUM GROUP 🚭 CANDACE "BROWN BEAR WOMAN" HILL TREVENA 🏶 SALISH THUNDERBIRD 🏶 JB THE FIRST LADY 🏶 AND MORE!

Hosted by:





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