



# What's Happening at ELE

Parents/Guardians,

There has been lots of excitement at Ellison the past two weeks! Our Battle of the Books teams traveled to Helen Gorman Elementary School and brought home third place metals after some hard fought tie breaking rounds, we had our second Makerspace Adventure Day, and our grade 5 students went to Gardom Lake for three days! Things won't slow down over the next two weeks either. Track and Field begins for our grade 3-5 students, we have a number of performers coming in to the school to share their talents with us, and we are hosting our very first "Special Persons Day" celebration. Have a wonderful start to the month of May.

Sincerely, Michelle Relova



## WEEKLY PREVIEW

### Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup>

- Track & Field

### Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>

- Student Yoga in the music room 8:00am
- Track & Field
- RMS Band performance 12:30pm
- Bulldog Hockey with Mr. B after school

### Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>

- Hot lunch
- Axe Capoeira Cultural Performance 8:45 am

### Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>

- Popcorn \$2
- Track & Field
- Mrs. S. Ito & Mrs. Fletcher's class to Mulan

### Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>

- Author Visit: Brook Kerrigan Gr. 2 & 3
- Bulldog Baseball with Mr. B after school

### Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup>

- Jump Rope for Heart Kick off assembly 8:45am
- Track & Field
- Hot lunch

### Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>

- Student Yoga in the music room 8:00am
- Track & Field
- Bulldog Hockey with Mr. B after school
- PAC AGM meeting 7:00pm Library

### Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>

- **Special Persons Day!**
- Hot lunch

### Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>

- Mrs. S. Ito & Mrs. Fletcher's class Learn to Fish

### Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>

- Track & Field
- Coastal Sound Choir 1:45pm
- Bulldog Baseball with Mr. B after school

## Special Persons Day!

On Thursday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> a notice was sent home to each family inviting you to our first Special Persons Day. Please make sure you read the notice, and send your responses back to the school by Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>. Our staff have created a fun afternoon for you to enjoy and celebrate with your children. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call or email me at the school. We look forward to celebrating with the Ellison families!

## FROM THE HEART

At this time, I would like to send out a special thanks to all of our amazing members of our school PAC and all of the parents who are in weekly helping out in the school. Your generosity, enthusiasm, and care for the school make Ellison such a special place to learn and grow for all the children here at Ellison. Additionally, thank you for your support in purchasing the new sound system! We are excited to put it to good use!



## Mental Health Awareness Week

Did you know that May 6<sup>th</sup> – May 12<sup>th</sup> is Mental Health Awareness week in Canada? Check out the link below to some great resources to learn more about developing good Mental Health!

<https://mentalhealthweek.ca/>

## Ellison PAC AGM

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>

Where: Ellison Library

When: 7:00 pm

CHILD CARE AVAILABLE



The PAC will be holding their Annual General Meeting (AGM) and is welcoming all families to attend. In particular, the PAC is looking for a volunteer to take on the secretary role. If you are new to the community, or looking for a way to get involved, come and join this great group of parents!