

# Cougar Chronicles ~ September/septembre 2nd - 14th

# **WELCOME BACK:**

Wishing everyone a wonderful year ahead. There are so many exciting things happening at ÉCPS.

# X-COUNTRY FOR GRADES 4 - 6:

This will start on Sept. 5th @ 8:00 am on Tuesdays and Thursdays for those students that are interested.

#### SCHOOL FEES DUE SEPTEMBER 30TH:

This is just a reminder that all school fees are due on September 30th; these are paid through your Parent Portal in PowerSchool. We would like to thank those that have already paid. Should you need to make payment arrangements, please contact the School office.

# ÉCPS COUGAR CLOTHING:

Welcome to the official online shopping portal for École Corinthia Park School. Enjoy browsing a wide selection of products from a variety of brands that you can then customize with the approved logos and graphics found on the site. Display your pride in fantastic apparel customized entirely by you. The site lets students, parents & staff choose from approved merchandise to fit their needs 24/7 with no minimum order quantities. Ordering is open now until May. Click this <u>link</u> to begin your order.

## THANK YOU TO OUR PARENTS ASSOCIATION:

We would like to send a huge thank you to our Parents Association for organizing the Family BBQ on our Meet the Teacher night. Thank you so much! Your hard work is greatly appreciated.

#### **ORANGE SHIRT DAY:**

Orange Shirt Day **acknowledges that residential schools are a part of our history**. Wearing an **Orange** shirt is a national movement to recognize the experience of those who went to a residential school. To honour them, and show a collective commitment to ensure that Every Child Matters, our students will recognize Orange Shirt Day on Thursday, September 26th. There will be No School on Monday, September 30 for National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

#### **TERRY FOX WALK:**

We will be having our Annual Terry Fox Walk on September 27th @ 1:30 p.m. We will be collecting Toonies for Terry starting on September 6th.

#### STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE:

Students are covered with Accident Insurance during the school day and on all school-based activities. Parents have the option to purchase a Student Accident Plan for coverage outside of school hours. Please click on this <u>link</u> for more information.

### HOT LUNCH/HOT DOG: To Be Announced

#### ITEM DROP-OFF:

If you are bringing lunch, homework, water bottles, etc. for your child, please leave it in the bin outside the door with your child's name on it and our helpers will come and get it and deliver it to your child.

# **BUS LOOP/ STAFF PARKING LOT REMINDERS:**

To prevent injury to members of our school family, <u>vehicles are not be permitted in the loop between 8:00 a.m. – 8:30a.m. and 3:00 p.m. – 3:30p.m.</u> If you are parked on the south side of Corinthia Drive when picking up your child after school, please ensure that he/she uses the main crosswalk to cross the street. There is absolutely <u>NO STOPPING</u> on Corinthia Drive to pick up your child. Also, the Staff parking lot is strictly for staff parking. Parents are not permitted to park and drop off children in this area.

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# **Upcoming Dates:**

Sept. 2nd - NO SCHOOL - Labour Day

Sept. 3rd - Grade 1's Safely on Board - pm

Sept. 6th - Start Collecting Toonies for Terry

Sept. 19th - Cross Country Meet @ Coloniale after school

Sept. 18th - Individual Pictures - Pre-K Chernenkoff - AM & PM, ECS Weatherby - AM &

Weatherby Pre-K PM, Gr. 1, 2 & 3's

Sept. 19th - Individual Pictures - Pre-K Underschultz - AM & PM, ECS Shipley - AM, Gr. 4, 5 & 6's

Sept. 19th - Hot Dog Day - for those who ordered once Healthy Hunger opens up

Sept. 20th - NO SCHOOL - PD Day

Sept. 26th - Orange Shirt Day

Sept. 26th - CPO School Safety Presentation

Sept. 27th - Terry Fox Walk @ 1:30 pm

Sept. 30th - NO SCHOOL - National Day for Truth and Reconciliation