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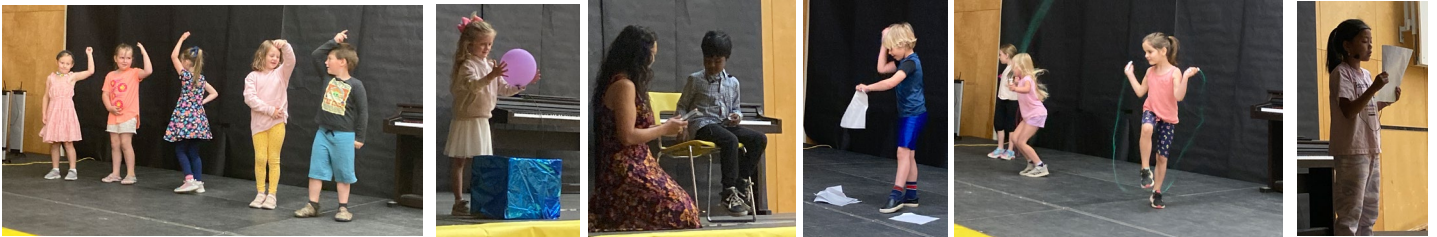
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June 16, 2023

syuwéñct HAS TALENT

After a 3-year hiatus, our Talent Shows returned this week with outstanding results. On Tuesday, our Kindergarten and Grade 1 students took to the stage, entertaining the crowd with singing, dancing, magic, gymnastics, and more! Today, students in grades 2-7 had the opportunity to perform. We were wowed with piano playing, singing, dancing, and much more! Ms. Pakulak's class (plus a few extras) were tasked with organizing today's show, working off a wild west theme. Enjoy some photos of the various acts:





The staff joined the fun at the end of today's show with our own version of the western classic, "The Gambler" called, "The Teacher"

Here are the words to the chorus:

*We gotta know when to scold you, know when to hold you
Know when to walk away, know when to run
We never count you students until you're sitting at your tables
But summer is a lifeline, as our work is done!*

CALENDAR UPDATES! (The end is in site!)

Visit our website for the most up to date calendar updates! <https://ct.schools.sd68.bc.ca/>

June 20	Div 12 to Kin Pool and Disc Golf
June 20	Div 3 & 4 to Departure Bay Waterpark
June 21	Indigenous Peoples of Canada Day
June 23	Grade 7s to Wildplay
June 23	Fun Day, Hot Dog lunch (free) from PAC
June 26	Rathtrevor Beach Day – full school
June 27	Grade 7 Assembly (9:15) and Bowen Park trip
June 28	Final Assembly (10:40)
June 29	Last Day for students, water fight, report cards emailed home!
June 30	Enjoy your summer vacation!



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INDIGENOUS PEOPLES OF CANADA DAY – JUNE 21

We have finalized our plans to celebrate and honour those who have been on this land for time immemorial, June 21 – Indigenous Peoples of Canada Day. We have three distinct goals for the day:

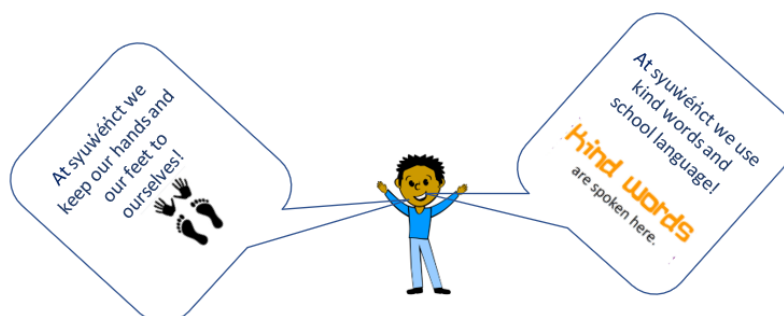
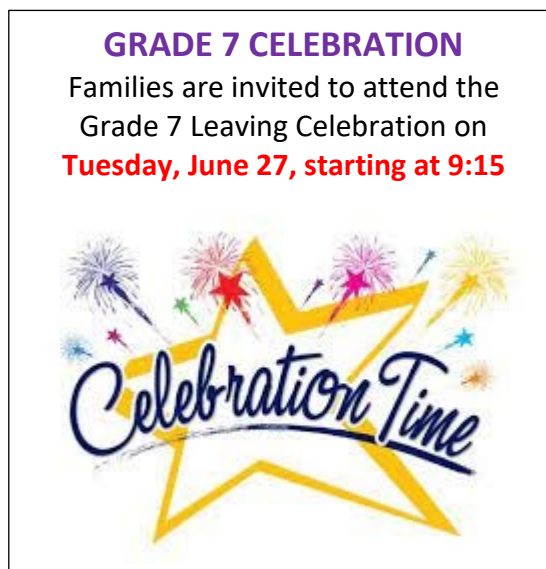
1. Connect with Mother Earth by spending time outside
2. Connect with the display of baskets from the museum through learning about weaving, and creating friendship bracelets
3. Continue to learn about the impact of colonization on Indigenous Peoples through the baking of Bannock, learning the history of how this came to be a staple food for indigenous people.

If there are family members interested in helping on this day, either with the weaving with buddy classes, or the making of the Bannock (both baked and fried), please let me know.

RATHTREVOR SCHOOL TRIP JUNE 26

Permission slips for our Rathtrevor year-end adventure have been sent home. Please note the following:

- Family members are more than welcome to join us at the beach; however, you will need to arrange your own transportation to and from the park
- Students need to be dressed to play on the beach for the day – please send sunscreen, hats, water shoes, towels, sand toys, balls, frisbees, and lots of food and drink – please label your children's stuff so we can return it to them!
- This is a **NO SWIMMING** field trip – **no exceptions**, even for children whose parents are at the beach. There will be plenty of tide pools to explore, but students must remain within the boundaries set by the school.





Time is ticking ... please take me home before they donate me to a good cause at the end of the year-
June 28th!

CHILD GOING TO BE AWAY?

Email info.CT@sd68.bc.ca or call us at 250-729-0450.

Our new name populates in the email message ☺



Join the Facebook Group!

Family and Friends of syuWén'ct Elementary School
stay in touch with all that is going on.

Did you know that the PAC gets 1% of all till tapes collected from Country Grocer? \$1000=\$10 gift card that comes right back to the school to support families! Save your tapes - drop them at the office - you'd be surprised how quickly these add up!