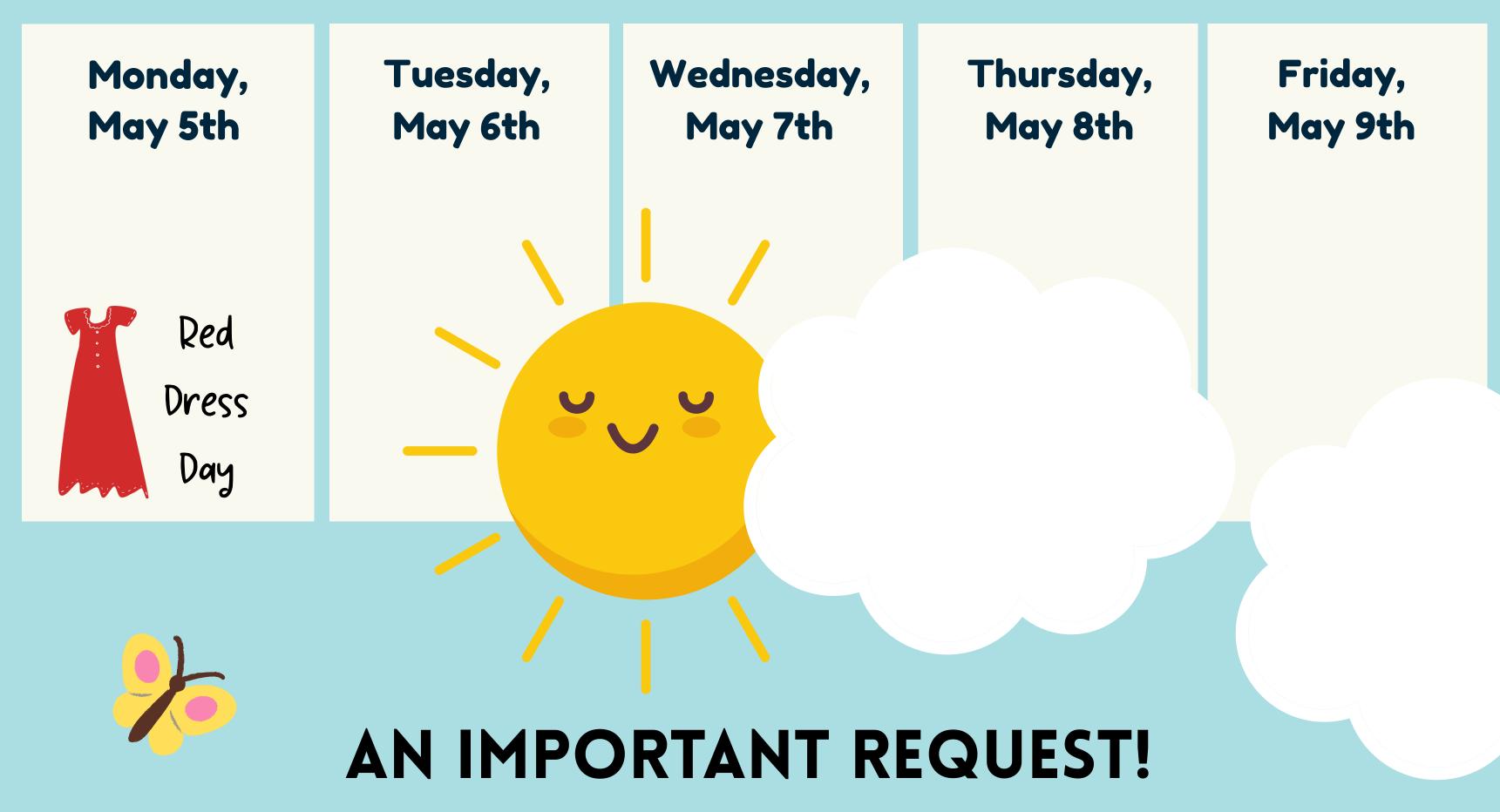
WEEK AT A GLANCE LORD BYNG ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

May 5th - 9th



Allergy season is in full swing! Because we spend so much time outside at the moment; we are seeing loads of itchy eyes and other allergy symptoms. If your child regularly takes allergy medications please make sure they either take some before school or, if they are able to self-administer, have some with them.

We are unable to provide or administer allergy medicines here at the school.

Term 2 Report Cards are available for viewing online now!

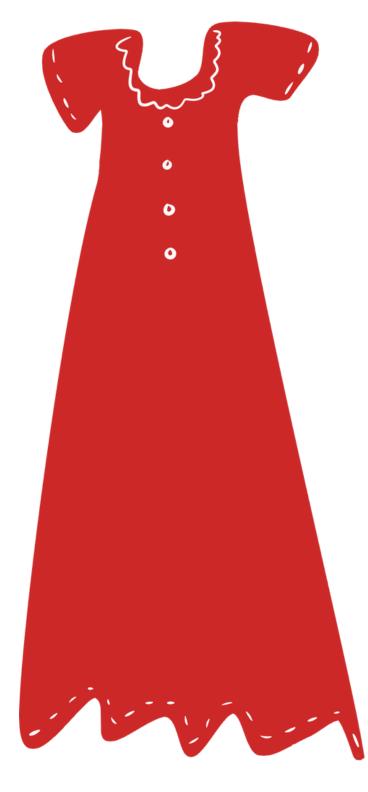


(Make sure to print and save a copy for your records!)



MAY 18TH - 24TH ANTI-RACISM AWARENESS WEEK

Anti-Racism Awareness Week; an opportunity to reflect on the ongoing legacy of racism in our society and our continued commitment to fight it.



May 5th is Red Dress Day

Red Dress Day, also known as the National Day of Awareness for Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls and Two-Spirit People, is observed on May 5th. The day honours and brings awareness to the thousands of Indigenous women, girls and two-spirit people who have been subject to disproportionate violence in Canada. Red Dress Day was inspired by Métis artist Jaime Black's "RED Dress Project" installation, in which she hung empty, red dresses to represent the missing and murdered women. Red dresses have become symbolic of the crisis as a result of her installation.



MAY 17TH IS
INTERNATIONAL DAY
AGAINST HOMOPHOBIA,
TRANSPHOBIA, AND
BIPHOBIA



PARENTS NEEDED!

Dear Grade 7 Parents,

Grade 7 Graduation fundraising and events are around the corner. In effort to ensure all the fun things are coordinated we will be creating a Grade 7 Grad Parent Committee.

The committee will be responsible for coordinating various events/activities for our Grade 7 students. If you would like to be part of this committee please email Charisma (Alina's mom) at: charismamaharaj01@gmail.com

There will be other ways to get involved such as volunteering for events. Right out of the gate we will be planning numerous Friday Freezie fundraisers as well as starting to plan for the Fun Day Bake Sale. If you can volunteer for these events in any way kindly fill out the corresponding google doc forms for each event.

For those of you who want to be part of the committee kindly let Charisma know s, she will then reach out and coordinate next steps!



ATTENTION GRADE 7 PARENTS!

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO SEND ONE BABY (OR CHILD) PHOTO TO RMANARAS@SD38.BC.CA BY MAY 16TH THEY WILL BE USED IN THE END OF YEAR SLIDE SHOW!

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AS THE SCHOOL YEAR WINDS DOWN OUR OFFICE STAFF WILL BE WORKING HARD TO FINALIZE THE ACCOUNTING FOR THE 2024/2025 SCHOOL YEAR. PLEASE ENSURE ALL OF YOUR STUDENT SCHOOL AND FIELD TRIP FEES ARE PAID VIA OUR CASHONLINE SYSTEM BY MAY 30TH AND IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE @ 604.668.6649



PAC NEWS

THE BYNG PAC WILL BE HAVING THEIR AGM ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 14 AT 7PM ON TEAMS. THE EXECUTIVE WILL BE VOTED IN AND OUR CURRENT CHAIR, TREASURER AND SECRETARY ARE WILLING TO STAY ON (BUT WE ALSO ACCEPT NEW NOMINATIONS). WE WILL, HOWEVER, BE LOOKING FOR A VICE CHAIR. THIS WOULD BE A GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR SOMEONE WHO IS CONSIDERING TAKING ON THE ROLE OF CHAIR IN THE FUTURE. THEY CAN SHADOW OUR CURRENT CHAIR AND LEARN ABOUT THE ROLE.

WE ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR A VOLUNTEER TO TAKE ON THE ROLE OF COORDINATOR FOR OUR VERY POPULAR WEDNESDAY PIZZA LUNCH. THEY WOULD COMMUNICATE WITH OUR VENDOR ON A WEEKLY BASIS AS WELL AS WORK WITH A WONDERFUL TEAM OF VOLUNTEERS WHO DISTRIBUTE THE PIZZAS.

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL LORDBYNGELEMENTARYPAC@GMAIL.COM



LORD BYNG PAC PIZZA WEDNESDAYS & HOT LUNCH

May 12: Taco Luis (May 4) Jun 13: A&W (due June 5)

- For Pizza Wednesdays: Order must be placed and paid in full the Sunday before that Wednesday.
- For Hot Lunches: Orders must be placed and paid in full 9 days prior to the scheduled lunch date as
 per our vendor requirements. Unpaid orders will be canceled. Make sure you follow the order all
 the way to the end to pay! Munchalunch automatically cancels an order that hasn't been paid
 within 1 hour.
- Munchalunch charges us a per transaction fee, so if you are able to order and pay for multiple lunches in one transaction you will be saving the PAC transaction fees.
- If your child is absent on the lunch date, you are welcome to come and pick up the order by noon, but the food cannot be kept for the following day.
- Consistent with previous years, there are NO REFUNDS.

For any questions or issues ordering, please email <u>lordbyngelementarypac@gmail.com</u>, do not approach admin or staff.



TO ORDER!!!

(and make sure get your orders in by the due dates listed above!)

FREEZIE FRIDAYS!!!

MAY 9TH

MAY 23RD

JUNE 6TH

JUNE 20TH





Looking ahead....

May 12th - Hot Lunch ~ Taco Luis

May 14th - PAC AGM via Teams

May 16th - National Day of Indigenous Learning ~ No School for Students

May 19th- Victoria Day ~ No School

May 20th - District Track Meet ~ Grades 4-7 Students

May 23rd - Class Photo Day

