

# Cloverdale Traditional School Weekly News

## **1 WEEK LOOK AHEAD:**

September 30 – Orange Shirt Day

October 2 – Parent Teacher Interviews – Students Dismissed at 11:54 a.m.

October 3 – Parent Teacher Interviews – Students Dismissed at 11:54 a.m.

For a further look ahead, please browse the calendar section of our website here:

<https://cloverdale.sd61.bc.ca/calendar/>

## **SCHOOL UPDATES:**

### *Principal's Blog*

This week, students in grade 3-5 were given the opportunity to sign up for choir. Yesterday, students saw a demonstration of the sport of fencing. There is a community programme for ages 5 -12.

At today's assembly, we recognized the students that participated in the Summer Reading Programme. Congratulations to all students that continued to read and write over the summer months. Thank you to Grace and Audrina for being our MC's for our monthly assembly and to Trustee Hentze for joining us.

This afternoon we will be walking and running on the back field in support and memory of Terry Fox and the incredible legacy he left behind. If you are available from 2:00 - 2:30, please come join us.

I look forward to seeing parents next week at our parent teacher interviews. If you are unable to make the available times, please arrange for a phone conference or schedule an alternate date. These interviews are a valuable component for your child's learning.

Today is Carolyn Jones's (EA) last day before she begins retirement. We wish her all the best and hope that she will come back to visit.

To stay up-to-date on messages from Mrs. Jost, follow her blog here:

<https://cloverdale.sd61.bc.ca/news-events/principal-blog/>

### *Help Make a Better Future: September 30 is Orange Shirt Day*

On September 30 we invite our students to wear orange shirts to school to help raise awareness of the residential school experience and ensure that every child matters.

Students that wish to participate can wear a plain orange shirt or a shirt that has been designed for Orange Shirt Day. Those who would prefer not to participate can wear their regular uniform tops. Regular uniform bottoms are required for everyone. TO see the school district press release, click the link here: <https://www.sd61.bc.ca/news-events/media-releases/title/every-child-matters-greater-victoria-schools-participate-in-orange-shirt-day/>

### *Parent Teacher Interviews*

Parent Teacher Interviews are coming up on October 2 and October 3. Students will be dismissed at 11:54 a.m. both days. If you have not yet booked your interview please do so by using the online booking system at <https://cloverdale.schoolappointments.com>

### *Swim Club*

Registration for Swim Club is still open! Click the link to register:

<https://cloverdale.sd61.bc.ca/programs-clubs/swim-club/>

## **DISTRICT AND COMMUNITY UPDATES & INFORMATION:**

For information on upcoming community events, news from the school district, weekend and after school activities, and pro-d day camps, see our website here:

<https://cloverdale.sd61.bc.ca/news-events/district-and-community-updates-information/>