Cloverdale Traditional School Weekly News

1 WEEK LOOK AHEAD:

April 5 – Easter Monday (School Closed)

For a further look ahead, please browse the calendar section of our website here: https://cloverdale.sd61.bc.ca/calendar/

SCHOOL UPDATES:

Principal's Message

Happy Spring everyone, and welcome back to the third and final term of this school year! We are all excited to be back and have hit the ground running; with outdoor learning activities, projects and situations that are energizing the school community and many, many smiles. We are off to an interesting start with new health and safety guidelines, but like everything else we have accomplished this year, the community of *Cloverdale Traditional School* is facing the new changes with grace and respectful caring of one another.

We look forward to parent conferences later this month. They will be 10 minute zoom sessions, similar to those that took place in the fall. Your teacher will inform you of specifics and expectations for each class. Please take advantage of this opportunity to investigate your child's academic progress. You will receive instructions for booking appointments in the coming weeks.

Please be reminded, it is important that students arrive in the morning ready to head straight to their line up and leave as soon after school as possible, in order that we are maintaining our cohort limits and boundaries. We have been asked to remind adults who are on the school grounds during pick up and drop off to please keep masks in place. As covid numbers rise, we all have a part to play in helping keep our community safe.

I would like to send a shout out to Judy Kitts and her son Greyson who are working together to raise awareness and funds for Callinish, an organization that supports those living with cancer. In true *Cloverdale Traditional School* commitment and spirit, they will be biking in May, with Greyson riding 30 km and Judy riding 84km. Please reach out directly to them if you would like to support them. Way to go Judy and Greyson!

Have a super long weekend!

Grade 5 Bottle Drive

As part of our Leadership program at Cloverdale Traditional School, our grade 5 students raise funds through bottle drives to purchase a legacy gift for the school. In the past, our grade 5 students have gifted CTS with the bike racks, metal picnic tables, and basketball hoops from the funds raised. Last year the grade 5's raised funds to help with the purchase of our Gaga Ball Pit. This year, due to Covid guidelines we are not able to host a bottle drive, but you can still help support the Leadership students by donating your bottle returns to CTS. All you have to do is let the Bottle Depot know you are donating to Cloverdale Traditional School. All funds collected will go towards a legacy gift chosen by the students based on the funds raised. Thank you for your support.

DISTRICT & COMMUNITY UPDATES & INFORMATION:

Quadratic Sound Summer Camps

See more info here on some coding camps for summer: https://quadraticsound.com/education/