

Peterson Road Elementary School

'To Create Hope and Learning for All'

Newsletter

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March 8, 2013

Important Dates to Remember

Mar. 9	Clocks ahead 1 hour
Mar. 13/14	Parent/Tchr Interviews 1 hour early dismissal
Mar. 14	Purdy's Pick-Up - 1 - 2 pm
Mar. 18-Apr.1	Spring Break
Apr. 2	School Reopens
Apr. 2	Anti-Bullying presentation
Apr. 3	Parent mtg re Anti-Bullying
Apr. 2-25	Cash 4 Clothes
Apr. 25	Ready, Set, Learn 9 - 10:30
May 3	**Pro-D Day - no school
May 20	**Victoria Day - no school
June 27	Final Day for students



Peterson Road Basketball:

Congratulations to all boys' and girls' basketball team members. All the hard work and early morning practices have really paid off. Both teams had terrific seasons and were wonderful representatives of our school community. I would also like to thank **Ms. Dary** who was instrumental in running our basketball teams this year.



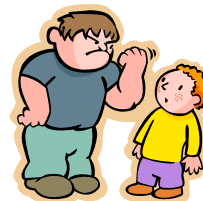
Spring Ahead:

It's that time of year again! Remember to set your clocks ahead before you go to sleep this Saturday.



Report Cards / Early Dismissal:

Students will be receiving their report cards today, Friday, March 8th. In addition, Peterson Road will have **early dismissal next week**, at 2 pm on both Wednesday, March 13th and Thursday, March 14th to facilitate parent/teacher interviews.



Bullying Prevention Presentation:

Thanks to the hard work of our PAC, Peterson Road is able and excited to have **Jim Jordan** present to our staff,

students and parents. Jim Jordan is a well-known motivational speaker who will speak about bullying prevention, community and character. Jim will provide tools that students, staff, and parents can use to help students confidently deal with bullying. Please be sure to read the attached bulletin that outlines all the information, and has a **registration 'tear away'** for the parents' night.



Whistler Trip a Success!

The Peterson Road Community trip to Whistler on Feb 23 was a great success!! The kids were all well behaved, and had a blast on the mountain - it was very busy up there, so they had a great advantage of being in the Ride Tribe and being able to skip the line ups and go straight on the lift!

Thanks to all the parents who attended - and we hope to organize this again next year - watch for notices in early September 2013. **A big thanks goes out to Teresa Johnson for organizing this for the community!**



Purdy's Pick Up

If you ordered Purdy's Chocolates from the Gr. 7 fundraiser, the orders will be ready for pick up on **Thursday, March 14 between 1:00 – 3:00 pm**. If you are unable to make it to the school at that time, please call the office at 604-534-7904. Thank you.

Cash 4 Clothes

Grade 7's

DDA

Need to do a little Spring cleaning? Looking for an easy and convenient way to get rid of all the clutter of household small items/clothing? *Let us help!* During the month of **April**, the Grade 7's at Peterson Road will be hosting a **Clothing Drive**. This event will help support our students to go to camp. The Grade 7's have been working hard to earn their way towards Camp Jubilee 2013. Plus, it also helps provide support for individuals with Developmental Disabilities.

The Developmental Disabilities Association (DDA) provides over 50 community-based programs and services for children, youths, and adults. The Developmental Disabilities Association not only strives to enable people with developmental disabilities to achieve their full potential, but also is one of the largest daycare providers in the Lower Mainland. The fundraiser will run from **April 2nd** through to **April 25th**. Bags for items can be picked up at the office. Small items and clothing can be dropped off at the school, outside the gym in the hallway.

Thank you for your support!

Communities supporting Communities

