



APRIL 21 - APRIL 25, 2025

# HAWKS NEWS

## Week at a Glance

- Mon. Apr. 21
- **Easter Monday - no school**
- Tues. Apr. 22
- **Earth Day - wear green and/or blue**
  - **Cross Country practice at recess**
- Wed. Apr. 23
- **Girls basketball game**
- Thurs. Apr. 24
- **Natural Resources (Gr.3) presentations**
  - **Cross country practice**
  - **Girls BB game**
- Fri. Apr. 25
- **Pro-D Day (no school for students)**



### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Ey Swayel East Chilliwack Families,

Today we had our April assembly! Our focus was on being Responsible. Our students learned that being responsible means, making good choices and "doing what you should do, when you should do it." Our hawks also practiced that they are responsible for themselves ~ at school, at home and in their community.

Tomorrow is Good Friday and Monday is Easter Monday. If your family celebrates Easter, we wish you a very happy Easter. If not, we hope you have a wonderful long weekend.



### Kindergarten Registration is Open!

If you have a child starting Kindergarten in September 2025, please register [here](#).



We are excited to meet our incoming Kindergarten students at our Kinderfair event on **May 12!** Stay tuned for more information!

# Upcoming Dates

Apr. 22 - Earth Day! Wear blue and/or green

Apr. 25 - Pro-D Day (no school for students)

Apr. 28 - Simpson and Ratzlaff FT to Greendale Acres

May 1 - Cross Country Meet @ Cultus Lake (Gr. 1-5)/ K/1 and Ks to Greendale Acres FT

May 2 - PAC movie night

May 5-9 -Scholastic Book Fair



## Cross-Country Race for Grades 1-5!



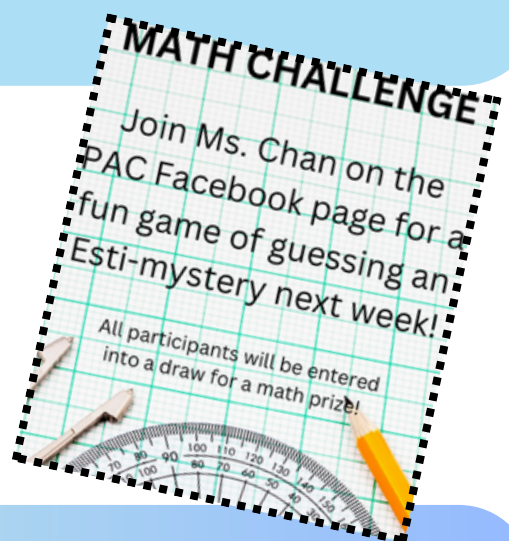
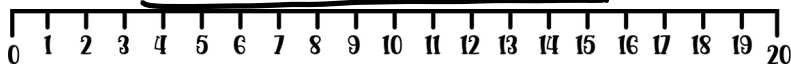
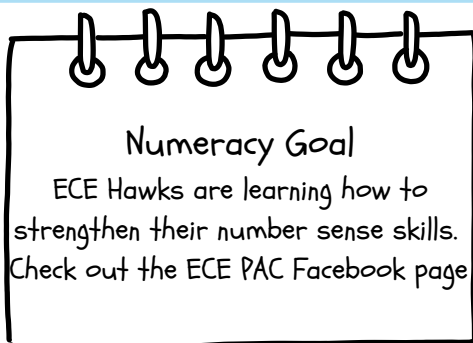
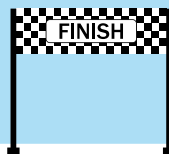
Long distance running is back for its yearly finale for Grades 1-5 students! Practices will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays at recess time.

The race will be on **Thursday, May 1st** at Cultus Lake Elementary. Parents/Guardians need to be present while their child is racing. The race starts at 3:30 with grade 1 girls, then grade 1 boys start when the grade 1 girls return, etc. The race will be 1.1km for grade 1-4, and 1.4km for grade 5's.

More details will be given on the permission slips, which will be handed out closer to the race day. There will be free parking at Lot B (by Adventure Park) and the Waterslides. The race starts at 3:30, and is usually done by 5.

It is recommended that runners attend all practices. If you have any questions, please contact me at [sarah\\_lyon@sd33.bc.ca](mailto:sarah_lyon@sd33.bc.ca)

-Ms.Lyon



## Dogs on School Property

We are requesting that families do not bring dogs onto school grounds. Dogs are an important part of life for many ECE families, and as such, are often included in day-to-day activities such as coming in the vehicle to and from school. The school appreciates this inclusion and values pet ownership as an educational experience. Our school also acknowledges that other families and, particularly some children, can find contact with dogs stressful, and even frightening. We ask that families please respect our request to keep dogs off the school property during drop off and pick up. This is in place for the health and safety of all of our students. Thank you for your cooperation.

