

# HAWKS NEWS

# Week at a Glance



Mon. Oct. 13

• Thanksgiving - no school

Tues. Oct. 14

- Halq'emeylem Language lessons (Oct. 14-16)
- Boys' soccer game 2:30

Wed. Oct. 15

• Girls' soccer game 2:30

Thurs. Oct. 16

 Earthquake drill - Great BC Shakeout

Fri. Oct. 17

- Macdonald and Rogers-Stadnyk's classes to Fort Langley
- Spirit Day wear your Hawk's gear!
- PAC movie night



### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Ey Swayel East Chilliwack Families,



For those families who celebrate Thanksgiving, happy Thanksgiving to you this weekend!

We are thankful to our ECE community for your amazing support of our students! ECE is a wonderful place to grow together in our learning!

Special thanks to the Chilliwack Fire Department for coming to ECE on Monday to do fire safety demonstrations for our Kindergarten to Grade 3 classes to recognize Fire Prevention Week. At home, review with your child what to do if they smell smoke or if the smoke detector has been activated. Ensure your family has a designated meeting place if you need to evacuate your home.

Our students are participating in Halq'emeylem Language lessons Oct. 6-16. We appreciate Emerald John, who is providing these opportunities for our ECE Hawks to learn about the Sto:lo language and its significance to the First Peoples of this territory, which is woven into of our BC Curriculum.

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Oct. 20-21 - Diwali

Oct. 21 - PAC meeting

Oct. 22 - Student/Parent/Teacher conferences 2:30 - 5:30

Oct. 23 - Early dismissal day 11:05

Oct. 24 - Provincial Pro-D Day (no school)

Oct. 27 - 31 - Scholastic Book Fair

Oct. 31 - Halloween / Pumpkin Cut and Carve



Our lost and found has grown a lot since the start of the school year. With cooler mornings and warm afternoons, many hoodies and coats are being left outside. Please ask your child to check the lost and found if you are missing some clothing. Families can also check the Lost and Found during conferences on Oct. 22. Please label your child's outerwear so we can return these items to their owners.





# **Student Verification Forms**

Your child brougt home their Student Verification Form.

Please read over the information carefully for accuracy.

Please make any changes in pen.

Please enter their Personal Health Number if it is missing.

Please sign and date the back the form and have your child return it to their teacher no later than Tuesday, October 14.



# Parking Lot Pick Up

The drive-through lanes in the middle of the parking lot are for pickup/drop off only.

Do not leave your car unattended in these lanes. If you need to leave your vehicle, please park in a perimeter parking stalls.

All is Bright is an initiative run by Southside Church that provides Christmas gifts and Food boxes to families before the holiday season. Volunteers will deliver the items to your home on November 29<sup>th</sup>.

The deadline to apply is **October 15**<sup>th</sup> or when they reach capacity. If you would like to register or get more information about the program, please email our Child and Youth Care Worker, Shaelyn Quickfall at shaelyn\_quickfall@sd33.bc.ca





Please see the attached flyer for the Chilliwack Family Resource Fair on Wednesday, October 15, at Chilliwack Secondary School.



### CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to the grade 3, 4, and 5 cross-country team! During practices and races there were smiles, wonderful cheers, great effort, and fantastic running! Well done, team!

### **Dogs on School Property**

If you know anyone who enjoys bringing their dogs to ECE in the evenings or on the weekends, please remind them to pick up after their dog.

Unfortunately, we are experiencing a lot of problems of dog waste on our playgrounds and fields.



















