

Here are a few exciting things happening for the remainder of the month at Duffield School!

Badminton, Track and Field, Soccer

Our students, staff and parents have been so involved with many extracurriculars and I wanted to take a minute to thank everyone for their support with our Track and Field Day on Friday. I also want to thank all of our volunteers in advance of Tuesday's Zone Track Meet for our Grade 7-9 students. These events are so incredible for students but would not be possible without the support of everyone who volunteers!!

Thank you!

Shrek: The Musical

Performances May 31 and June 1!!!

We are so excited to present this fantastic musical to our families and community. Please watch for ticket sales and we look forward to morning and evening performances. (9:00 and 7:00). Tickets will be \$5!

School Council/Fundraising Meeting

We are having our next School Council meeting on May 25 from 6-7 pm. The agenda will be sent out on May 25 and we look forward to a great turn out for our last meeting of the year.

PATS Grade 6 and Grade 9

Our students in Grade 6 and Grade 9 have been working hard on developing writing samples in preparation of the Provincial Achievement Tests, happening May 15 (Grade 9) and May 17 (Grade 6). In June, the Grade 6 & 9 students will also write their PATs in Reading, Math, Social Studies, and Science.

Thank you so much to the teachers and students for their commitment to these exams.

What is happening in our School?

- Volunteer Tea Monday, May 15 - 1:30-2:30
- PD Day - Friday, May 19
- Victoria Day Holiday - Monday, May 22
- Paul First Nation Pow Wow - School Field Trip June 9
- Kindergarten Celebration - Tuesday, June 27 at 1:00 in our Gym
- End of year celebration for K-9 - "Fun in the Sun" - Wednesday, June 28
- Grade 9 Farewell Wednesday, June 28 -Time to be announced (ceremony and then student dance)
- Field Trips!
- End of Year Assembly - Thursday, June 29 10:00 (All parents are invited to attend) - Grade 7-9 Awards and also Celebrations!

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Only three weeks until the 7th annual Try-Me Try-Athlon (June 2). Registration is open—be sure to reserve your spot! Event details and registration link are on our Try-Athlon page at

<https://www.psd.ca/division/student-wellness/try-me-try-athlon>



Sincerely,

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