



Kirkbride Elementary School

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Mission Statement: *The staff of Kirkbride Elementary School are committed to fostering positive, supportive relationships between students, parents and school personnel.*

June 24, 2019

Dates to Remember:

June 25	Divisions 1 to 4, 11, 12 and 13 to Annieville Kindergarten Grad at 1:30 pm
June 26	Awards Ceremony 1:00 pm in gym Last call for Lost and Found items
June 27	Grade 7 Farewell Assembly 9:15 in gym Report Cards (term 3) sent home Early Dismissal at 1:30 PM
June 28	Administration Day – no school for students
September 3	First Day Back to School – 10:00 to 11:00 am

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:

The 2018-2019 year is quickly ending. June has been a very busy month for everyone at Kirkbride Elementary.

This is also the time of year where we have to say goodbye to a number of our staff due to retirement and term positions. We wish the teachers and EAS a fond farewell and a sincere "thank you" for helping to make Kirkbride Elementary such a wonderful school. Below is a list of those who are leaving us.

*We have 3 very important assemblies coming up: The 1st one is our **Kindergarten Grad** at 1:30 pm on June 25 for Kindergarten students and the second is our **Year End Awards Ceremony**. It begins at **1:00 p.m.** and is on **Wednesday, June 26th**. The gym doors will be opened at 12:35 p.m. for those who plan to join us. At this assembly, we recognize and present awards to students who have been involved in Student Leadership, Citizenship, School Services (Attendance Helpers, Recycling...) as well as recognizing students who have identified for academic achievement and sports. Classroom awards for Grades 4 -7 will be presented in the following areas; Good work habits, Citizenship, Significant Improvement, and Academic Achievement. On **Thursday, June 27th**, beginning at **9:00 a.m.**, we are having a **Grade 7 Celebration Assembly**, at which time we will recognize those grade 7 students leaving us for bigger and better things (High School). A number of grade 7 awards as well, will also be presented at this time.*

On behalf of the entire staff and student body, I would like to say THANK YOU to our PAC members. Your continued dedication and service to Kirkbride does not go unnoticed. We wish all our parents and students a safe and fun-filled summer!

M. Bobik, Principal

Track and Field

Congratulations to all the Track and Field participants that attended Bear Creek Park. All participants performed very well and it was a great day!

STAFF WHO ARE LEAVING KIRKBRIDE:

There are staff changes for the next school year. We have valued their work, their professionalism, and their contributions to our school.

We wish them well in their future endeavors: Ms. Panah, Teacher; Ms. Sandhawaliala, LST Teacher; Ms. Dhaliwal, LST Teacher; Ms. Sinclair – Counsellor; Ms. Stewart – Early Literacy Teacher; Ms. H. Gill, Childcare Worker; Ms. Erwin – EA; Ms. Birk -EA; Ms. Kaiser – EA. Mr. Bauman, who is retiring – he will be greatly missed!



STAFF COMING TO KIRBRIDE FOR NEXT SCHOOL YEAR:

Until our numbers are finalized, we are not certain which teachers will be teaching which grades. Please join me in welcoming our new staff members for next year: Ms. Ayles – Teacher; Ms. Martin – Teacher, Ms. Nanda – LST Teacher, Ms. Kidds – Childcare Worker, and Ms. Dosanjh – IST Teacher.

PARENT APPRECIATION TEA

Our Parent Appreciation Tea was on Thursday, June 13. Once again, thank you, parents for your support and efforts to assist your child and participate in events and discussions. It is all about our students, your children, and you are most definitely appreciated. On behalf of Kirkbride staff, thank you for the driving, the treats, attending conferences, communicating through phone calls, emails, planners, etc. And thank you for your support!



ROCKIN' READERS: Our Rockin's Reader winners for May are: Gurshan S. – Div. 2; Sukhman T. – Div. 6; Phuong-Vy P. – Div. 7; Avneet S. – Div. 8; Dua F. – Div. 9; Shylah N. – Div. 10; Kulraj D. – Div. 11; Arjit G. – Div. 12; Rysha K. – Div. 13; Ishmeet B. – Div. 14; Hridayansh – Div. 16; Gurveen B. – Div. 17; Kimee G. – Div. 18. Keep up the great reading!



SUPER KIDS AWARD

Congratulations to the following students! Karmen – Div. 14; Chloe – Div. 15; Crishti – Div. 13; Ashar – Div. 9; Sukhman – Div. 14; Lily – Div. 12; Mary – Div. 9; Arunjot – Div. 11; Katelyn – Div. 9; Sana – Div. 3.



TO OUR STUDENTS:

Kirkbride has a reputation for having students who are polite and respectful. People always enjoy visiting our school. You are the BEST!! It is always a pleasure to teach students who are willing to learn and who are trying hard to play safely and be polite. All staff are very proud of your efforts and proud to be at Kirkbride. Students, your participation and willingness in the many learning and leadership activities are appreciated. You are Kirkbride and are all very good representatives of our school. Thank you!! We hope that you have all had opportunity to achieve success, to challenge yourselves, and to look at something in a different, more positive way.

TO OUR PARENTS:

Your support of your child(ren), and you working with your child(ren)'s teachers to support them have enabled your child(ren) to have as positive and productive a year as they could. Your willingness to work together with teachers, to talk about issues, and to continue to volunteer in whichever ways you could, are greatly appreciated. It is our hope that we can continue to work together to nurture the very important bond between home and school in positive and fruitful ways.

TO OUR STAFF:

Your care and respect for your students is commendable as is your professionalism and skills at teaching. This is, in part, what makes Kirkbride a very good school. It is a pleasure to work with such hard working professionals. Thank you!

HAPPY SUMMER! SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER!

