



# École Banting Middle School

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Here is your official invitation to two upcoming events- both on the same day, Thursday, September 29

1) Terry Fox assembly Our Terry Fox Assembly is on Thursday, September 29 at 10:30 in the gym followed by our Terry Fox run at 11:10. You and any member of your family are welcome to sit in on our assembly and take part in our Terry Fox walk/run following the assembly. Our guest speaker was Terry's basketball coach, Mr. Bob McGill – an amazing and inspiring talk!

2) Meet the teacher night is Thursday, September 29 from 6:30 – 7:40. Here is the shape of the evening:

- We meet in the gymnasium at 6:30 sharp for two presentations and staff introduction
- At 7:00 we send you off to tour the school and “meet the teacher” It is our hope that your son or daughter will give you a full tour of the school, for example, the exploration rooms, computer room and where they eat lunch. All teachers will be in their classes at this time. You will definitely want to make it to your son or daughter's actual class(es) and team. The tour and “meet the teacher” will last for 30 minutes.

3) Communication and involvement - Please keep connected to the school. Do not wait for special invitations or a parent - teacher interview day if you want to talk with your child's teacher.

If there is a concern or a question, please e-mail us or give us a call to chat or arrange a meeting. All parents and guardians are encouraged to attend and are welcome to any PAC meeting. You are always invited to our presentations and assemblies.

We always need help on field trips and with our breakfast program. If you have a skill, vocation, or specialty, check with your child's teacher or the principal – we would love to have you present to our students.

Keep abreast of what is happening at the school by reading the newsletter; we e-mail it out and it is always posted on our website. The announcements the students hear daily can be accessed at home on the school's website, you will be receiving up-to-date information; real time. Visit our Website frequently for information, sports, activity and calendar updates. <http://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/banting/Pages/default.aspx>

– Sporting seasons have started (swim, volleyball and cross country), along with band and drama. Hopefully your son or daughter is involved in one or all of these. After Christmas basketball, wrestling and badminton begin.

4) Forms Reminder – all the forms we sent home are now due- (Student Information, emergency release) - all these and payments for athletics can be done on-line. Student fees of \$35 are also due. Thank you in advance.

5) PAC Pizza day. Our PAC sponsored pizza day is this Friday, September 30 at noon. Pizza is \$3.00 per slice or two pieces for \$5.00. Drinks are \$1.00

Newsletter coming out in the next few days.

See you Thursday Night

*Bill*

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