

EM Update:
**Upcoming Events for
September**

Tues, Sept 21	PAC Meeting Zoom 7pm
Fri, Sept 24	Pro-D Day – No School
Mon-Fri 27-31	Spirit Week
Monday:	Blue/Green Day
Tuesday:	Jersey Day
Wednesday:	Orange Shirt
Friday:	PJ/Wacky Hair
Wed, Sept 29	Truth and Reconciliation
Thurs, Sept 30	Truth and Reconciliation Day – no school

Reminders / Info:

SAFETY: We spent time Friday really reminding students and staff about safety protocols including mask wearing, hand washing and maintaining distance where possible. I know everyone is settling into the school year, but we don't want to become complacent when it comes to safety.

PAC MEETING: See Kirsten's email sent Thursday with more information. Join Zoom Meeting:
<https://sd43-bc-ca.zoom.us/j/65795946367?pwd=cnFBY1FmYXlhSElzd3JkcWt1eGJ4QT09>

STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS CHANGE OF PLANS: Each morning we read announcements to the students letting them know about events and activities (and sometimes providing reminders!) they can get involved with. Our attempt to use student login info (for you to access from home) has been challenged by new security procedures. **To by-pass this for now, we are tweeting out our morning announcements. Follow us on Twitter @43EagleMountain.**

STUDENT ABSENCES / EARLY DISMISSALS: You have several ways to let the school know your child will be away or needs to go home early: phone call (604-469-1133), absence report from website ([click here to access](#)) or email the school. When emailing the school please send email to eaglemountainsecretary@sd43.bc.ca and copy the classroom teacher. If you only email the teacher and they are away, or don't get to their email, then we end up spending time searching for students!

FORMS AND FEES: Our Forms and Fees letter was emailed home last week. Please let me know if there are challenges in paying the fees.

BAND / CHOIR: Mrs. Ipe has created a band survey for those interested in joining band this year. Band will run in the mornings before school – schedule to come! [Please fill out the survey if you have not had a chance to yet!](#) Also, over 35 students showed up to our Choir information session! Choir will be running Wednesday mornings 7:45-8:30. It is not too late to get involved!

CLUBS: Our Eagle Mountain Ambassadors had their first meeting on Thursday. Our Ambassadors are our leadership group in the school – every student can be a leader and is invited to participate! Ambassador meetings happen every Thursday at lunch and are always open to new students.

LOCKERS: We will be meeting with team leaders early next week to discuss the possibility of lockers. I appreciate how heavy backpacks in the rain are a challenge and we will share more info when we have it.