

May 2, 2025

## Next Week at a Glance May 5<sup>th</sup> - May 9<sup>th</sup>

Date	Activities and Events
Monday, May 5 <sup>th</sup>	Math Club 2:55 -4 pm
Tuesday, May 6 <sup>th</sup>	Strong Start closed Basketball 2:55 – 4 pm
Wednesday, May 7 <sup>th</sup>	Clay & Crafting 2:55-4 pm
Thursday, May 8 <sup>th</sup>	Theatrix Performance after school
Friday, May 9 <sup>th</sup>	

While Mrs. MacDonald is away, please email <u>cedardrive@sd43.bc.ca</u> to notify us of any illnesses, vacations, lates, early dismissals, or for any other office inquiries.



### Parent Appreciation!



The Cedar Drive Staff would like to thank the wonderful parent community with an afternoon event of light snacks and Cedar Drive children singing.

Where: Cedar Gym When: May 16th<sup>th</sup> Time: 1:30 p.m. Please join us!

### STEAM Challenge Day

Thank you to the students who represented Cedar Drive at the District 43 STEAM Challenge Day this past Wednesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>! These students worked hard to complete three challenges and even tied the record in a "Robo Transport Challenge". Most importantly, they displayed wonderful collaboration, critical thinking and creative thinking skills! Congratulations! -Mrs. Christiano



#### Cedar Drive Parking Lot Safety

Thank you to all the parents and caregivers who over the past two weeks have quickly learned to adapt to the parking requests from the Cedar Drive staff members. We appreciate your willingness to keep all the Cedar Drive students safe. Please note that if a staff member reminds you to slow down or to keep the flow of traffic moving in the drop-off area, it's for the safety of the students. Below are some reminders to keep the flow of traffic moving during the peak morning drop off and after school pick up times.

All drivers are asked to be mindful of the following reminders and requests:

- The lane in front of the school is a Pickup and Drop Off route. This means you are not able to park and or leave your vehicle.
- When entering the Pickup and Drop Off lane, pull all the way up to the top of the drop-off zone and have your child safely exit or enter your vehicle.
  Please do not stop and block the entrance to the Staff Only parking lot, as this prevents our staff members from entering and leaving the lot.
- In the Pickup and Drop Off lane, parents are to remain in their cars and keep the flow of traffic moving, stopping only to have their child safely and independently exit and or enter the vehicle along the curb.
- If your child requires assistance with unbuckling or buckling seatbelts, gathering a backpack/lunch kit and/or opening and closing vehicle doors, parents are to park their vehicle in the front parking lot or over at Cedar Park or at the back of Cedar Drive, and assist their child without holding up traffic in the Pickup and Drop Off Lane.
- Please do not park or drop off on the crosswalk as this creates unsafe conditions for our students entering the school property.

Hopefully every parent will take a moment to reflect on the pickup and drop off patterns that you have with your children, and make a few small changes, that together, will create a safe traffic pattern around our school site.





# Messages from the PAC



Reminder: If you placed a Kernels Popcorn order **Popcorn pick-up is TODAY Friday May 2<sup>nd</sup>** 2:30-3:15 at the front doors.



#### GLOW DANCE FRIDAY MAY 23rd 6pm-8pm.

Pease return your RSVP yellow form and make your payment, etransfer or cash by Friday May 16<sup>th</sup>- form attached with details.



Volunteers needed 9am-10am (or longer if you can (a) Friday May 23<sup>rd</sup> to help decorate the gym for our Glow dance. Please use the link to sign-up. volunteersignup.org/H8APF

