

Feb 14, 2025

## Next Week at a Glance

February 17 - 21

| Date                            | Activities and Events  |
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| Monday, Feb 17 <sup>th</sup>    | Family Day - No School   |
| Tuesday, Feb 18 <sup>th</sup>   | <u>Basketball 2:55- 4</u>  |
| Wednesday, Feb 19 <sup>th</sup> | Orangearama 1pm assembly (parents welcome)<br><u>Choir 2:45-4:15</u>                             |
| Thursday, Feb 20 <sup>th</sup>  | Feeding Futures 8:40am<br><u>Crafting 2:45-4:15</u><br>Grade 5 Basketball Game at Cedar 2:50-4pm |
| Friday, Feb 21 <sup>st</sup>    | Hot Lunch - Subway (if you ordered)  |

## New Information



Cedar Drive has started their <u>"Orangearama</u>" fundraising event for B.C. Children's Hospital Oncology Department. We do this event every year in honour of Mr. McNally's son Graedon, (his favourite colour was orange) who passed away in 2011 after a long battle with leukemia. Our fundraiser will once again be online this year. Last year's event was an overwhelming success. Over \$20,000 has been raised over the years by your generosity! Students are encouraged to wear orange on Wednesday, February 19<sup>th</sup>, Graedon's birthday, which is <u>"Orangearama</u>" Day. We will be having a special Assembly in the gym at 1pm.

We know that so many in our Cedar Drive community have been touched by different kinds of cancers with family and friends. We appreciate your support. If you would like to make a donation this year, it can be done online at Graedon's Tribute page

Graedon's Tribute Page - Donate Here



Feb 17<sup>th</sup> Family Day (no school) Feb 27<sup>th</sup> Student Led (Early Dismissal 1:45) Feb 28<sup>th</sup> - Pro-D Day (no school) March 17 - 28 - Spring Break (no school)



#### Cedar Drive Community Assemblies

We are excited to announce the start of our monthly community assemblies. These assemblies will feature important school and community announcements, upcoming events, and a variety of presentations, songs, and school-wide movement activities.

Please mark your calendars and join us in the gym at 9:00 AM on the following Mondays:

#### Feb 24, March 31, April 28, June 9

Our first assembly will take place on February 24 and will also serve as the kickoff for our Jump Rope for Heart campaign.

Additionally, February is special as we will have an extra assembly on Wednesday, February 26 at 1:00 PM to celebrate Pink Shirt Day. Our goal is to promote kindness and inclusivity within our school community.



#### CEDAR DRIVE ELEMENTARY FUNDRAISER – buy tickets <u>here</u>

New games have been added.

Here is the link to get tickets: https://fevo-enterprise.com/group/Cedardrive

## Messages from the PAC and Grade 5 Committee



#### PARENTS NIGHT OUT @ Momentum

Friday Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 5:30-9:30pm Enjoy a nice night out, child free! Reserve your spot to leave your kids at Momentum, they will be entertained

with games/skills/activities, pizza and drinks! Get your spot here.



Address 2640 Shaughnessy St, Port Coquitlam Phone (604) 941 - 6131 Fundraiser Restaurant Night- SUSHI FU

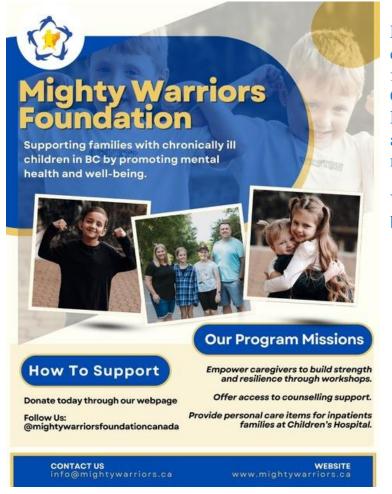
Mention Cedar when placing your order for dinner Wednesday Feb 26<sup>th</sup>. 20% of Cedar Sales will be kicked back to the school.



# Whoohooo, we raised \$2500 for our school

at the Book Fair, to be spent on books for our library and classroom resources. Thanks everyone for coming by the gym to shop the fair last Friday! An extra special thank-you to the 20 parents who came out and volunteered, Erica, Jessie, Kara, Liat, Rachel, Katie, Cloe,

Cindy, Eva, Nick, Bonnie, Tara, Kate, Jane, Amy, Kaitlin, May, John, Erin and Kirsten- thankyou!



Friday March 7<sup>th</sup> we will be collecting Loonies and Toonies for this year's Charity of Choice- The Might Warriors Foundation! There is a letter attached to the newsletter for more information.

Wear your PJ's to school and bring some change if you can!

#### Have a wonderful weekend!



