

**Eagle Ridge Elementary
Principal's Report
PAC Meeting: February 2022**



1. Action Plan for Learning (APL) 2021-2022

- *Action Plan for Learning Goal Update: Literacy is the current goal*
- *New APL: Aligned with Directions 2025 (January 2022)*
 - i. *Intellectual Development:*
 - *Numeracy: Number Sense/Counting*
 - ii. *Human and Social Development:*
 - *SEL (Social Emotional Learning): Sense of Belonging and Connectedness*
 - iii. *Indigenous Learners and Indigenous Ways of Learning*
 - *Embedding Indigenous content in all classrooms*

2. February in Review

- *Valentine's Day*
- *Twin Day*
- *Interim Reports being sent home*
- *Grade 5 MDI Surveys completed*

3. Parent Communication:

- *Paperless Newsletter: Weekly "What's New on the Ridge"*
- *Classroom: Weekly/Monthly newsletter, FreshGrade, TEAMS*
- *FreshGrade discontinued end of June; 4 Eagle Ridge teachers on district committee to evaluate possible replacements for September 2022, Spaces and See Saw*

4. Reporting and Early Dismissal Dates:

- *Term Reports:*
 - i. *First Term Report: December 3rd*
 - ii. *Second Term Report: March 9th via Parent Portal*
 - iii. *Third Term Report: June 29th via Parent Portal*
- *Interim Reports:*
 - i. *February 18th*
- *Early Dismissal:*
 - i. *December 8th*
 - ii. *February 24th*
 - iii. *June 29th*

5. Programs on Hold:

- *Agriculture in the Classroom Fruit and Veggie Program*
- *Student Leadership*

6. Extracurricular Activities:

- **Grade 5 Basketball and Volleyball:** when covid safety restrictions allow
- **Como Lake Relay/Track and Field Update:** District wide events have been cancelled again this year. Eagle Ridge Staff will be offering distance training for grade 4/5 students, followed by an at-school running event.

7. Upcoming Events: See Calendar Below

- **Dance Program:** February 28th -March 11th
- **Indigenous Art Visitor:** March 30th -April 1st
- **Planetarium Visit (Rescheduled):** April 4 & 5
- **House Post Fieldtrip:** April 7th and 8th
- **ArtStarts Turtle Island Presentation:** May 4th
- **Indigenous Hoop Dancer:** TBD

8. School Grounds and Facility Update:

- New Fencing:** Safety fencing has been installed between the top of the two staircases
- Emergency Backup Lighting:** has been replaced throughout the facility
- Red/Blue Playground:** Existing wood chips removed, new drainage system installed, and new wood chips installed
- Library Roof:** Replacement was completed over the summer
- Sensory Pathway:** New sensory pathway has been installed in the hallway to the gym. Previous pathway was removed as the hallway flooring was replaced
- Heating and Ventilation:** Since summer 2021 we have a new boiler system serving the building, including new air handling unit for the multi-purpose room. Installation was completed over the summer. All other HAVC systems have been assessed and meet all safety specifications and requirements. We are using Merv 9A Dual filters.
- Traffic System:** Please note the new traffic system (lanes and lights) at the Falcon/Guildford intersection
- Hepa Filters:** Have been placed in the modulars and portable 1

9. Other Information:

- **Family Portal for Report Cards:** Eagle Ridge is moving to the provincial online Family Portal for parent/guardian report card access. This will happen for 2nd term report cards, to be published on March 9th. Formal report cards will no longer be printed and sent home – parents/guardians will access them online. Please watch for a separate email coming to you soon, titled “Family Portal,” for more information. *Note – this does not apply to Feb 18th Interim Reports.
- **Grade 5 Year-End Activities:**
 - **Sasamat Outdoor Mobile Education Program-On-site Monday, May 9th**
- **Saleema Noon Presentation: Follow-Up**

February-March Calendar of Events

Date	Event
<i>Thursday, February 17th</i>	<i>PAC Meeting 6:45 - Zoom</i>
<i>Friday, February 18th</i>	<i>Interim Reports Sent Home</i>
<i>Monday, February 21st</i>	<i>Family Day Holiday</i>
<i>Wednesday, February 23rd</i>	<i>Pink Shirt Day</i>
<i>Thursday, February 24th</i>	<i>Early Dismissal 1:40pm</i>
<i>Friday, February 25th</i>	<i>District Pro-D Day-School Not in Session</i>
<i>February 28th -March 11th</i>	<i>Dance Program</i>
<i>Friday, March 4th</i>	<i>PAC Hot Lunch</i>
<i>Wednesday, March 9th</i>	<i>Term Two Reports Published on Family Portal</i>
<i>Friday, March 11th</i>	<i>St. Patrick's/Green Theme Day</i>
<i>March 12th – 27th</i>	<i>Spring Break</i>
<i>Monday, March 28th</i>	<i>First Day back from Spring Break</i>
<i>Thursday, March 31st</i>	<i>PAC Meeting 6:45 Zoom</i>
<i>March 30th -April 1st</i>	<i>Indigenous Artist Visit</i>