

HAZEL TREMBATH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



REMINDERS:

September	10	PAC Meeting 6:45 p.m.
	11	Snack Day (2:45 p.m. at front of school)
	17	Student Photo Day
	18	Meet the Teacher and Welcoming Evening 7:00 – 8:00 pm
	18	Book Fair
	19	Terry Fox Run School Assembly 10:40 a.m.
	20	District Pro-D Day (No School)
	26	Terry Fox National Run
	27	Hot Lunch Day
	28/29	Family Portrait Fundraiser

Publishing House

We will again be providing all students with the opportunity to publish their own book this year in our parent supported Publishing House! The success of the Publishing House depends on parent volunteers and we ask that any interested parents who would like to help out with the arts and crafts part of the book, to contact Mike Gordon, Principal or Christina Braun at crbraun@telus.net . Thank you!!

Meet the Teacher and Welcoming Evening – Wed., Sept. 18th (7:00 p.m.)

You are invited to our school Wednesday evening to meet with your child's teacher. Cookies and coffee will be provided by our PAC. Please be sure to drop in to the Library for our Book Fair held this same evening. We look forward to seeing you!

Student Photos

Individual student photos of your child will be taken on Tuesday, Sept. 17th. Proofs of the photos will be sent home for you to preview before you buy. Please do not send any money on picture day.

Terry Fox Run



This year is the 33rd Anniversary of the Terry Fox Run. We will have a Terry Fox Run Assembly on Thursday, Sept. 19th at 10:40 a.m. and then on Thursday, September 26th we will hold our School Terry Fox Run. Students in all grade levels will participate in the run that will take place from 1:45 – 2:15 p.m. on a course set up at school. Please try to join us! Family members and/or guardians are welcome to take an active part in our run by either running or coming out and showing support and encouragement for other participants.

District Pro-D. Day

Friday, September 20th is a District Professional Development Day for all teaching staff. There will be **NO** school for students on this day.

Medical Alert

If your son or daughter has a medical concern that is of a serious or life threatening nature, please come by the office and fill out a **Medical Alert Form**. Also if your child requires that medication be kept in the school, please fill out the **Request for Administration of Medication** at the office as well. These forms must be updated annually.

Planners & Forms: Student's planners have been sent home with students. The cost for the **planner is \$10.00** – if you have not already done so, please submit this amount to your child's teacher as soon as possible. Please carefully read all of the information included in these student books as they are a key part of our communication between home and school.

We will be sending home individual **Data Verification Student Information Sheets** to confirm any changes in our students' contacts or demographics. The **Student Emergency Release Form** which is necessary for our Emergency Preparedness plan is located in your child's planner. The Emergency Release Form is also available on line, however you will need to print it out yourself – it cannot be sent electronically. Please take the time to carefully fill out these forms and return them to the school as soon as possible so we can ensure a smooth transition into the new school year.

We are again participating in a District project for online forms. You will notice that most of the usual September forms are now online rather than in your child's planner. The following forms can now be completed online at:

www.sd43.bc.ca/hazeltrembath

Click on Parents, and then Forms

School Policy & Permission Form

Read the various policies and guidelines in this online form and discuss them with your child as you complete it. This form is required for **each and every student each school year**.

Medical Alert Form

Complete this online form **ONLY** if your child suffers from a medical condition the school must be aware of. If you complete this form online, you will have to print it out and deliver it to the school office. Needs to be completed annually.

Volunteer Form

Complete this online form if you think you may be volunteering at our school (e.g. school field trips or events). This form is required **every 5 years** for all parent volunteers**.

Volunteer Driver Form

Complete this online form if you think you may be driving for school field trips or events. This form is required **each school year** for all parent drivers**.

Once you have completed the forms click on the **Green** submit button at the bottom of each form. Repeat as necessary. If you have trouble with any of the online forms, please contact the office at 604-941-0517.

The following is a list of the divisions, grade level and teacher names:

Div.	Grade	Teacher's Name
1	4/5	Ms. Jaibat
2	4/5	Mr. Gabiniewicz
3	3	Ms. Bonnet
4	2/3	Mrs. Hamilton
5	1/2	Ms. Martindale
6	1/2	Ms. Lowry
7	K	Mrs. Jask

****Please note that in order to volunteer, you must also submit a copy of a Criminal Record Check (every 5 years). If you are applying for a Criminal Record Check, please stop by the school office to pick up an application form and covering letter from the Principal. An ICBC driver's abstract is required every school year for volunteer drivers.**

DRIVER'S ABSTRACT – How to get one: You can obtain a printed copy of your **driver's abstract** free of charge by attending an ICBC point of service and presenting your driver's license or by telephoning 1-800-950-1498 (ICBC Customer Service). The document will then be faxed within minutes, or mailed to you. For your convenience, you are welcome to have ICBC fax your driver's abstract to our school at 604-941-4786.

CRIMINAL RECORD CHECK – How to get one: Complete the "*Consent for Disclosure of Criminal Record Information*" form. Take this form, the *Volunteer Letter from the Principal*, and picture I.D. to the Coquitlam RCMP detachment at 2986 Guildford Way corner of Pinetree Way (604-945-1550). You may receive the criminal record check on the spot or within a day or two.

HAZEL TREMBATH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CALENDAR 2013– 2014

September	10	PAC Meeting 6:45 p.m.
	11	Snack Day (after school)
	17	Student Photo Day
	18	Meet the Teacher and Welcoming Evening 7:00 – 8:00 pm
	18	Book Fair
	19	Terry Fox Run School Assembly
	20	District Pro-D Day (No School)
	26	Terry Fox National Run
	27	Hot Lunch Day
October	4	Activity Day
	11	First Interim Report goes home
	14	Thanksgiving Day (No School)
	17	Student Photo Retakes
	17	Early Dismissal @1:45 p.m.
	25	District/Prov. Pro-D Day (No School)
November	7	Remembrance Day Assembly
	8	School Not in Session (No School)
	11	Remembrance Day Statutory Holiday (No School)
	29	First Formal Report goes home
December	5	First Report Interviews - Early Dismissal @1:45 p.m.
	18	Christmas Concerts 9:15 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.
	20	Last Day of classes before Winter Vacation
January	6	School Reopens after Winter Vacation
	27	School Pro-D Day (No School)
February		Kindergarten Registration (<i>Dates to be determined</i>)
	6	Student Led Conferences – Early Dismissal @1:45 p.m.
	10	B.C. Family Day Stat. Holiday – No School
	21	District Pro-D Day (No School)
March	7	Second Formal Report goes home
	13	Early Dismissal @1:45 p.m.
	14	Last Day of classes before Spring Break
	17 - 28	Spring Break (March 17 – March 28)
	31	School re-opens after Spring Break
April	10	Individual/Class/Group/Team Photos
	11	District Pro-D Day (No School)
	16	Como Lake Relays
	18	Good Friday Statutory Holiday (No School)
	21	Easter Monday Statutory Holiday (No School)
	22	Earth Day – School Grounds Cleanup
	24	Litterless Lunch
May	19	Victoria Day (No School)
	20	District Track & Field Meet
June	2	School Pro. D. Day (No School)
	5	Parent Tea
	20	Grade 5 Activity Day/Grade 4 Activity Day
	24	Year-End Final Assembly
	25	Grade 5 Leaving Ceremony 1:00 p.m.
	26	Last Day of School for Students- Final Formal Report goes home
	27	Administrative Day – Schools Close

Please note that this Calendar is subject to change throughout the year

COMMUNITY NEWS

Upcoming Events at Place des Arts 1120 Brunette Avenue, Coquitlam

Place des Arts Family Open House

Saturday September 14, 2 to 4PM

Admission: Free!

Discover the world of art at Place des Arts annual Family Open House. Enjoy fun arts & crafts activities, take a tour of the centre, participate in hands-on teacher demos, win fabulous door prizes and get a discount on class registration during the event (1 per family). Programmers will be available to answer questions.

Family Day at PdA: A Canada Culture Days Event

Sunday, September 29, 1:30 – 3:30PM

Admission: FREE!

Gather up the family and celebrate Canada Culture Days at Place des Arts. Tour three exhibitions, meet the artists and participate in several all-ages workshops! These include a *Visual Language Workshop* where, under the guidance of artist Joy Kirkwood, you'll use letters, words, sentences and pages from books to translate projected images of artist Alan Maples photographic exhibition *Colors of Rajasthan* into works of art, works of literature, or both. The Van Goh Café will be open serving light snacks and beverages. Don't be intimidated by art, get engaged in it! Reserve your spot online at placedesarts.ca or by calling (604) 664-1636.

Day of the Arts Pro-D Art Camp: On the Farm

Friday, September 20, 8:45am – 3:45pm

1120 Brunette Ave., Coquitlam | 604.664.1636 | www.placedesarts.ca

Gallop like a horse! Draw and paint a duck! Make music that sounds like the noises on a farm! Kids from Kindergarten to grade 5 will discover farm life through the visual and performing arts during this fun and active Pro-D Day of the Arts. To view the full time-table and class descriptions, visit placedesarts.ca or pick up a brochure at Place des Arts. Register now online, by phone at 604.664.1636, or in person at 1120 Brunette Ave., Coquitlam.

Place des Arts Fall Classes

Place des Arts has many exciting classes this fall for creative kids! Registration is now open and may be done by phone at 604.664.1636, in person at Place des Arts, 1120 Brunette Ave., Coquitlam or online at www.placedesarts.ca where you may also view the full 2013/14 program guide.

Music: Group Guitar, Group Piano, Fiddling Ensemble, Taiko Drumming Ensemble, Mixed Wind Ensemble, Drum Set, Singing Fundamentals, plus private music lessons in a multitude of instruments;

Dance: Ballet for Children (6-7 & 8-9 years), Dance Sampler (5-7 years – held at Evergreen Cultural Centre), Tap (8-12 years - held at Evergreen Cultural Centre);

Theatre Arts: Dress-Up Drama (5-6 years), Drama I (7-10 years) & Drama II (11-13 years), and On-Camera Acting (8-12 years), Musical Theatre Basics (5-6 years), Musical Theatre I (7-9 years) Musical Theatre II (10-12 years); Speech Arts & Drama (6-8 & 9-12 years);

Visual Arts: Drawing & Painting, Cartooning, Animation & Anime, Clay Play, Mixed-media, Fibre arts, Baroque Gilding and more;

Literary Arts: Creative Writing I (9-12 years), Creative Writing II (11-14 years)