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Dear Parents and Guardians,

September 22, 2015

We have planned an afternoon of running in Terry Fox's honour for next Thursday, October 1st (rain or shine). ALL classes will be called down to the gym for a presentation and warm up at 1:30 p.m. Parents are certainly welcome to stay and run.

This year we will be again be doing an Irvine schoolyard run. Grade 1 to 5 students will be encouraged to run this course several times. Kindergarten students will be running a course on the school grounds.

Fundraising: Tuesday September 29 - Toonie Tape Challenge - We invite your child to bring a toonie to help us test the Law of Gravity. For a toonie, your child will receive an arm-length piece of tape that they will place over a teacher to help stick them to the wall in the gymnasium. Once the final piece of tape has been placed, we will test our tape job against gravity. All proceeds will be forwarded to the Terry Fox Foundation.

Today students will be bringing home pledge forms for our Terry Fox Run campaign. Please allow your children to ask family members and friends for donations to help fund cancer research! Donations can be made online by going to terryfoxrun.org, and clicking on 'donate to student/school', or by cash or cheque.

We would like to take this time to thank Terry Fox Secondary Leadership students for volunteering their time to help direct Irvine students to remain on the outlined route.

Lastly, everyone is encouraged to wear Canada colours that day. Show your pride with flags, striped socks, vintage Marathon of Hope t-shirts or anything red or white!

We look forward to this event every year as it holds a special place in our hearts. Thank you for taking part and making it a success.

Sincerely,

Irvine School's Terry Fox Run Team

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