

LAKWOOD ELEMENTARY

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Tuesday, May 4, 2021

Jump Rope for Heart

This year, our school community raised \$6490 for the Heart and Stroke Foundation. And while our skip-a-thon "looked different", it was an exciting day for both staff and students. Thanks for your support. A quick note regarding gift cards earned by fundraisers. These cards will be mailed to students' home by the Foundation. As well the three \$500 gift cards draws will be done by the National Heart and Stroke Foundation at the end of June.

Indigenous Celebration Day

Lakewood will be celebrating Canada's National Indigenous Day one month early on **Wednesday, May 12th**. We are delighted to welcomed Elder Earl Claxton Jr., Brother Rick Peter, and Ren Louie to our school to share their local knowledge with our community.

2021-2022 Student Placement

Previous to the pandemic, Mr. Johnson would invite interested parents/guardians to book an appointment to discuss their child's class placement in the upcoming year. We have now moved to class placement letters, in which parents/guardians can share with the school important information to consider when placing their child. Our school has a reputation for nurturing all students and providing a strong learning environment for each student. For parents/guardians wishing to share information for staff to consider when placing their child next year, please submit the attached

information form to Ms. McFarlane by **Monday, May 17th**.

Kindergarten Orientation and Grade 5 Transition

Transition activities look different this year, however the staff have been working hard to ensure a smooth transition to middle school for our Grade 5 students and to Lakewood for our Kindergarten students. Information will continue to be emailed to families with children in these grades as dates and activities are set.

Student Drop-Off and Pick-up

Thank-you to all the families who are dropping their children off close to the bell and then also picking them up and leaving school property right away. We have been reminding students of the importance of going to their classroom area when they arrive in the morning and leaving the school grounds right away after school, in order to maintain our cohorts. We look forward to the future when we will be able to invite students and families to stay and play in our playground before and after school.

PAC AGM Meeting Link

[Please click here to join the AGM](#)

[TONIGHT at 6:30.](#)

Dates to Remember

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| ➤ | Tues. May 4 th | PAC Meeting (AGM)6:30PM |
| ➤ | Tues. May 11 th | Fire Drill 8:45AM |
| ➤ | Wed. May 12 th | Lakewood's National Indigenous Celebration Day |
| ➤ | Fri. May 14 th | Pro D Day - No School |
| ➤ | Mon. May 24 th | Victoria Day - No School |
| ➤ | Tues. June 29 th | Last Day of School |
| ➤ | Wed. June 30 th | Year-end Administrative Day |