



Peden Hill Elementary

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Dates to Remember

Sept 10-13

- PAC hosted Scholastic Book Fair

Sept 13

- Open House

Sept 26

- Terry Fox Run

Sept 28

- Non-Instructional Day, no school for students

Oct 1

- Orange Shirt Day

Oct 10

- Student Photo Day



Principal's Message

Welcome to a new year!!!

I am excited to be part of the Peden Hill staff. It has been a busy but productive start-up. Thank you to our parents for patience as we built classes and worked on settling into another school year.

My goal for the month is to learn all the new names and get a feel for the school and classroom communities. My door is open if you are wanting to stop in and introduce yourself.

I am looking forward to a great year, filled with wonderful learning opportunities and being part of a great elementary school experience.

Please take some time to review the Student Handbook and Emergency Procedures.

On behalf of myself and the staff, we look forward to seeing you at the Open House

Bell Schedule & Supervision

Supervision begins at 8:18 am

8:33 am - Warning bell

8:38 am - Morning classes begin

10:00 am - Recess begins

10:15 am - Recess ends

12:05 pm - Lunch begins

12:20 pm - Students dismissed outside

12:45 pm - Warning bell

12:50 pm - Classes begin

2:30 pm - Classes dismissed

Supervision ends 2:45 pm



In order to ensure student safety, we have morning and after school supervision. Please note that morning supervision is from 8:18-8:33. Students (unless part of the breakfast program) are not to be at school prior to this time. Afterschool supervision is from 2:30-2:45. Students are to be off school grounds by 2:45, unless supervised on school grounds (i.e. playground) by a parent/guardian. It is very important to be aware of these times as there is no supervision outside of these scheduled times. Please make all necessary arrangements for transportation to and from school that fits within these time parameters.

Peden Hill Information

Monthly Newsletters



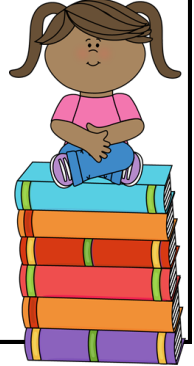
Newsletters will be sent via email monthly to families. To be added to the email list, please send an email to

sjeans@sd57.bc.ca or

check the school website at www.pedh.sd57.bc.ca under the newsletter tab.

Open House & Book Fair

Please join us on Thursday, Sept 13th from 6 - 7 pm for our Open House. This year the Parent Advisory Council is hosting a Scholastic Book Fair in the library. Please make a point to stop by the library and check out the amazing displays.



Student messages

After school pick up arrangements for your child should be discussed with your child prior to school each day, messages for students cannot be delivered each day.

Plan ahead with your child regarding a pick up spot. Discuss with your child that if you are not in your usual spot, they are to head to the front of the school and wait with the supervisor on duty. This will cause less stress for children and parents.

School Costs

As mentioned in our June newsletter, to assist families during Back to School, we have put together a package of school supplies for students to use during the school year.

The package is valued on a cost recovery basis.

Please see attached School Costs form with planner costs and supply costs for the year along with payment instructions.

Terry Fox Run

On Thursday, September 27th from 1:30-2:30 pm, students will be participating in our annual Terry Fox Run. On that day, students will be outside at dismissal with their belongings when the bell rings.

Please send a toonie with your child in support of the Terry Fox Foundation.



Orange Shirt Day

Peden Hill students and staff will be recognizing Orange Shirt Day on Monday, October 1st. Students are invited to wear an orange shirt that day in support of the Residential School Survivors. For more information about Orange Shirt Day, you can visit <http://www.orangeshirtday.org/>

After School Programs

There will be a variety of After School Programs beginning in October!
Details will be sent home soon.

PAC News

Scholastic Book Fair 2018

Sept. 10 - 13, Open to students during school hours while accompanied by classroom teacher.
Sept. 11 and Sept. 12, 2:30p.m. to 3:30p.m.
Sept.13, 2:30p.m. to 3:30p.m and 5:45p.m. to 7:30p.m., before and after Open House
Cash payment is preferred. Please make cheques payable to Peden Hill PAC.



Community Information

DISTRICT 57 Tapestry Singers

Carolyn Duerksen: Founder and Artistic Director

Maureen Nielsen: Pianist



Tapestry Singers would like to welcome new members to join them for their 12th Season, beginning in September.

Requirements:

Singers ... attend a public school in the Prince George area.

SENIOR Singers ... enter Grades 7-12 in September 2018.

JUNIOR Singers....enter Grades 4-7 in September 2018.

For more information call: 250-964-8184 OR cduerksen@sd57.bc.ca