May 24, 2017

**Principal’s Message**

I can’t believe that the year is coming to an end so quickly. Before we know it, our time together will be over. We have many activities planned for our students between now and the end of the year.

Mrs. Dick and I met your new principal for next year, Mr. Connor McCoy late last week. He is coming here from Edmonton where he is currently a principal at an elementary school. He is a very nice man who is approachable and friendly. He is excited to come to Craigflower and to get to know all of you.

Michelle MacFarlane

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**Upcoming Activities**

Thursday, May 25th

District Track Meet for grades

3 - 5 at UVic Stadium 9:30 - 1:30

Friday, May 26th

Vancouver Aquarium Aquavan visits

Craigflower all day

Tuesday, May 30th

Class Pictures - be here on time as

They start at 9:00 a.m.

Friday, June 2nd

Last Community Breakfast and

Feather Ceremony of the year

Most students will be performing

during this event.

Wednesday, June 7th

Wacky hair and Backwards Day

Friday, June 9th

School Fun Day at Gyro Park

9:00 - 2:45

Friday, June 16th

Sports Day all day

Monday, June 19th

Water Safety Presentation in the

Gym for all students 1 - 2 p.m.

Tuesday, June 20th

Aboriginal K Graduation 11-12

Wednesday, June 21st

Aboriginal Day - Whole school trip

to Heron House for activities

9:30 - 2:45

Thursday, June 22

Craigflower Feast 5 p.m.

Tuesday, June 27

Grade 5 Leaving Ceremony

1:50 - 2:50

Thursday, June 29th

Last Day of school for students

Year End Assembly 11:00

Community Picnic

We would love to have you join us for any of our activities, especially the ones at Craigflower. Unfortunately, we don’t have enough room on the bus for all of our outings to include you, however, if you can get yourself there, you are more than welcome to join us.

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**CRAIGFLOWER KEY DATES**

**FOR 2017 - 2018**

Tuesday, September 5th,

Welcome Back Breakfast

8:30 - 9:00

School in Session for Gr. 1 - 5

9 - 11:30

Kindergarten sign in 9 - 10

Wednesday, September 6th

First Full Day of School Gr. 1 - 7

8:38 – 2:30

Monday, September 18th

Professional Day

- School not in Session

Wednesday, September 20th

Meet the Teacher Night

Friday, September 22th

Terry Fox Run

Friday, September 29th

Community Breakfast 8:30

Feather Ceremony 9:15

Monday, October 9th

Thanksgiving Day

- School not in Session

Tuesday, October 17th & Wednesday, October 18th

Early Dismissal @ 12:10

Interim Reports – Parent Teacher

Interviews

Friday, October 20th

Professional Day

- School not in Session

Friday, October 27th

Community Breakfast 8:30

Feather Ceremony 9:15

Friday, November 10th

Remembrance Day Assembly

Monday, November 13th

Remembrance Day in Lieu Day

– School not in Session

Friday, November 24th

Professional Day

- School not in Session

Friday, December 1st

Community Breakfast 8:30

Feather Ceremony

Thursday, December 14th

Christmas Event

Tuesday, December 19th

First Formal Report Cards sent home

Friday, December 22

Last Day of School

Monday, January 8th

School Starts

Friday, January 26th

Professional Day

- School not in Session

Friday, February 2nd

Community Breakfast 8:30

Feather Ceremony

Monday, February 12th

Family Day

– School not in Session

Friday, February 23rd

Professional Day

- School not in Session

Friday, March 2nd

Community Breakfast 8:30

Feather Ceremony

Wednesday, March 7th

Ready, Set, Learn Event

Tuesday, March 13th

Second Formal Report sent home

Friday March 16th

Last day of school before

Spring Break

Wednesday, April 4th

School Starts

Tuesday, April 17 & Wednesday, April 18th

Early Dismissal @12:10

Student Led Conferences

Friday, April 20th

Professional Day

- School not in Session

Friday, April 27th

Community Breakfast 8:30

Feather Ceremony

Tuesday, May 15th

Welcome to Kindergarten

Friday, May 18th

Non-Instructional Day

- School not in Session

Monday, May 21st

Victoria Day Holiday

- School not in Session

Friday, June 1st

Community Breakfast at 8:30

Feather Ceremony

Friday, June 15th

Sports Day

Tuesday, June 26th

Grade 5 Leaving Ceremony

June 28th

Last Day of School

Final Assembly