



École Quarterway Weekly Update

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Salmon Eggs!

Last week, Mme Anderson's Grade 3's welcomed to their classroom 100 COHO salmon eggs. The eggs are living in a special tank where they will hatch into alevins (with their own yolk sacs) and then into tiny salmon fry. Students will release them into the Millstone River in Bowen Park in April.

Pink T-Shirt Day

February 28th is recognized officially as Anti-Bullying day. To mark this day at Quarterway, we hope all students will wear pink to school. Maybe you still have last year's shirt? Let's hope it still fits! There is a special assembly and some surprises planned for that day.

Nanaimo Kids' Conference

Nanaimo Kid's Conference is looking for student volunteers to help with the registration of attendees, extra help with the activities through the Conference Centre and to help guide the attendees throughout the event. The Nanaimo Kid's Conference was created so parents and children in our community would be able to discover and learn about the many resources around Nanaimo and surrounding area. The Kid's Conference is focused on bridging the gap between all economic backgrounds, and promoting a future for all children. The Kid's Conference features entertainment, speakers, vendors and more...and the best part is it is **all FREE!** The date for this year's event will be **March 10, 2018 at the Vancouver Island Conference Centre from 9:30am to 4:00pm.** Contact Caroline Moncrieff if interested caroline_tca@outlook.com.

PAC Update

We are still looking for a DPAC representative. If you are interested in this position, or would like to learn more about volunteering with the PAC, please e-mail us at quarterwayschoolpac@gmail.com. On Sunday March 3, join us at The Old City Station Pub for our Paint Night fundraiser! All the profits from this event will go towards paying for an author visit to the school. This is a fantastic experience for all our students, and your support is greatly appreciated. Tickets are \$45 and are available on the paintnite.com website. \$15 dollars from each ticket sold goes directly to the PAC. Quarterway cookbooks are still for sale! If you would like to purchase one, please email us at quarterwayschoolpac@gmail.com. Our next PAC lunch, is March 3, we will be serving up Pita Pit! Make sure you log on to munchalunch.com to place your order, or pick up a form from the PAC board in the school foyer.

Hulquminum Word Of The Week - This week's word is Tth'ihwum – please. It is pronounced "th ee kwum". Each week, the students are given a new word and its pronunciation.

Next Week February 26-March 2

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| Monday: | Bantam Boys' Basketball practice | 11:45 |
| | Div. 12, 13 Curling | |
| | Early Dismissal | 1:37 |
| Tuesday: | Div. 11 Bowen Park | |
| | Bantam Girls' Practice | 7:45am |
| | Pewee Boys' Practice | 11:45 |
| | Pewee Boys at Quarterway | |
| | Pewee Girls at Ladysmith and Cedar | |
| Wednesday: | Div. 10 and 16 Bowling | |
| | Bantam Boys' Practice | 7:45am |
| | Pewee Girls' Practice | 11:45 |
| | Bantam Boys at Georgia | |
| Thursday: | Bantam Girls at Pleasant Valley | |
| Friday | Bantam Girls' Practice | 11:45 |
| | Div. 1 Museum | |
| | PAC Hot Lunch | |

Division 18 Helping out at *Loaves and Fishes*



Division 1 Hard at Work

