



École Quarterway Weekly Update

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Mid-Year Snapshot Home Last Week

Last week, the first report of the school year came home with your child. This is not a report card in the traditional sense. Please check in with us if the district's new form of assessment is unclear. One area to note is that **Extending** does not reflect an "A" in the traditional sense. In turn, **Applying** is not a "B" and so on. Please celebrate your child's successes and set goals to build on the areas of need. You can read the attached description of terms but if you still require clarification, please do not hesitate to contact your teacher. This is a snapshot of how your child is progressing at this point in the year. You will receive a formal, summative report at the end of the year as well.

Wednesday is Red, White, Purple and Pink Day

To celebrate Valentine's Day, we are asking our kids to wear as much of these colours as possible. Students who make an effort to "GO All Out" will win a prize. In the afternoon, there will be a school dance for all students in grades 5, 6 and 7. Please remind your child of proper school dance etiquette.

Late French Immersion Registration still Open

Do you know a family looking to get a grade 6 child into French Immersion? There are still lots of spots available in our 2018/2019 class. If they would like to register or need more information, please have them contact Mr. Lundine @ 250-754-6845

Library Update

Volunteers needed on Fridays to help re-organize the library. We will be working every Friday (except Feb 23) until spring break. Our library circulates between 22,000- 24,000 books per year and we appreciate your help to keep the collection ready for our young readers! **Book swap**: First Annual Great Quarterway Book Swap (March 5-9th): This is a wonderful, no-cost way to generate excitement about books and reading. Start going through your child's bookshelves now and decide which books you would like to swap.

PAC Update

The PAC held its AGM on Thursday and elected the Executive members. The results were as follows: Chair: Becca Misner, Vice-Chair: Emma Montpetit, Treasurer: Carly Williams, Secretary: Jamie Mollins, Members at Large: Nicola McTaggart and Carly Jacklin. 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.

Next Week February 12-16

Monday:	Bantam Boys' Basketball practice	11:45
Tuesday:	Bantam Girls' Practice	7:45am
	Pewee Boys' Practice	11:45
	Pewee Boys at Mountain View	
	Pewee Girls at Quarterway and Ladysmith	
Wednesday:	Bantam Boys' Practice	7:45am
	Pewee Girls' Practice	11:45
	Bantam Boys at Quarterway	
Thursday:	Ready, Set, Learn Pizza Party	5-7pm
	Bantam Girls at Georgia Ave	
Friday	Bantam Girls' Practice	11:45

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