



# PEXSISEN NEWS

## APRIL AND THE PEXSISEN MOON

ON APRIL 14<sup>TH</sup> WE WILL BE HOSTING OUR ANNUAL HONOURING ASSEMBLY. DURING THIS ASSEMBLY THE STAFF AND STUDENTS WILL SPEND TIME CELEBRATING OUR SCHOOL, OUR HOUSE OF LEARNING, AS WELL AS HONOURING THE GIFT OF OUR NAME. WE HAVE INVITED MANY SPECIAL GUESTS TO JOIN US. THESE GUESTS INCLUDE ELDERS, ARTISTS, TRUSTEES, PAC, SENIOR EXECUTIVE, AND DISTRICT STAFF. WE WILL TAKE SOME TIME TO TALK ABOUT WHAT OUR SCHOOL NAME MEANS - THE OPENING OF HANDS WITH GRATITUDE AND WELCOME. GUESTS AND STUDENTS WILL SHARE THEIR THOUGHTS THROUGH SONG, AND IN PRESENTATIONS BOTH ORALLY AND IN VIDEO FORM. OUR GRADE 5 PEER HELPERS WILL THEN HELP TO SERVE LUNCH TO ALL OF OUR GUESTS. THE ASSEMBLY IS SUCH A SPECIAL EVENT FOR OUR SCHOOL.

WHEN WE FIRST OPENED, ALMOST 4 YEARS AGO, A VIDEO WAS CREATED THAT EXPLAINED OUR NAME AND WHAT IT MEANT TO BE PART OF PEXSISEN. THIS VIDEO HAS BEEN UPDATED AND WILL BE SENT OUT TO FAMILIES BY THE END OF THE MONTH. YOU WILL LOVE IT!



**Where Flowers Meet Friends**  
A PEXSISEN Student Art Show

April 16 2:30 - 5:30  
April 17 12:30 - 2:30

Please join us to celebrate the season and our schools amazing visual art talent. Each class has created beautiful pieces that showcase the theme of plants and pollinators.

## MORE CELEBRATIONS OF SPRING

NEXT WEEK IS VERY BUSY AT PEXSISEN. WE HAVE A GRADE 4 TRIP TO THE METCHOSIN FIRE HALL, AS WELL AS THE DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY MEET FOR GRADES 2-5.

THE BOOK FAIR STARTS TUESDAY- IT IS OPEN TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY UNTIL 4:00, THURSDAY FROM 2:30 TO 5:30 AND THEN ON FRIDAY FROM 11:45 UNTIL 2:30.

DON'T MISS THE ART SHOW! THE THEME IS "WHERE FLOWERS MEET FRIENDS". IT IS GOING TO BE BEAUTIFUL! ALL THE CLASSES HAVE COMPLETED AN ART PROJECT THAT WILL BE DISPLAYED IN THE GYM. AS WELL, YOU WILL BE ABLE TO SEE THE DRUMS THAT WERE PAINTED BY THE GRADE FIVES AND THE DISPLAY OF "PEXSISEN HANDS" CREATED FOR THE HONOURING ASSEMBLY. YOU CAN BRING YOUR WHOLE FAMILY TO TOUR THE ART SHOW ON THURSDAY FROM 2:30 TO 5:30 AND ON FRIDAY FROM 11:45 TO 2:30.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 17<sup>TH</sup> IS EARLY DISMISSAL AT 11:28 BUT YOU ARE WELCOME TO COME TO THE SCHOOL AT 11:45 TO SEE THE ART SHOW. CLASSROOMS WILL BE CLOSED.**

## NEW PLAY OPPORTUNITIES OUTSIDE!

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE FOR YOUR GENEROSITY IN SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL. EACH TIME YOU ENGAGE IN FUNDRAISING WHETHER IT IS BUYING PURDY'S, HOT LUNCH, SPIRIT WEAR OR COMING TO THE SCHOOL FAIR, YOU ARE PROVIDING ANOTHER GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR THE STUDENTS. DUE TO THE INCREDIBLE EFFORTS OF THE PAC AND YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS, WE HAVE ADDED A SHED TO THE GRASSY HILL AREA. THE SHED CONTAINS OUTDOOR GAMES SUCH AS LADDER BALL, CONNECT 4, CORN HOLE, SPIKE BALL AND JENGA. EACH LUNCH HOUR SOME OF OUR GRADE FIVE PEER HELPER TAKE ON THE ROLE OF CUB COACHES. THEY TAKE OUT THE GAMES, SET THEM UP, SHOW THE YOUNGER ONES HOW TO PLAY THE GAMES AND THEN PUT EVERYTHING AWAY. CHECK OUT THEIR ID BADGES

WE ARE ALSO ADDING A NEW SANDBOX ON THE GRASSY HILL AREA! WE WILL BE ABLE TO KEEP ALL THE SAND TOYS IN THE SHED AND THE CHILDREN WILL HAVE A LITTLE WALK BACK TO THE SCHOOL TO SHAKE OFF ALL THE SAND BEFORE THEY COME BACK INTO THE SCHOOL. WE WILL ALSO BE INSTALLING A TETHERBALL POLE NEAR THE BASKET BALL COURT. THE SANDBOX AND THE TETHERBALL POLE WILL BE INSTALLED BY MAY!



## FUTURE EVENTS

- APRIL 14<sup>TH</sup> PEXSISEN HONOURING ASSEMBLY
- APRIL 16/17 ART SHOW
- APRIL 14/17 BOOK FAIR
- APRIL 17<sup>TH</sup> EARLY DISMISSAL 11:28
- APRIL 20<sup>TH</sup> PRO D DAY
- APRIL 21<sup>ST</sup> CLASS PHOTO DAY
- MAY 5<sup>TH</sup> PAC MEETING
- MAY 6<sup>TH</sup> FAMILY PHOTO NIGHT
- MAY 11<sup>TH</sup> PROD DAY
- MAY 18<sup>TH</sup> VICTORIA DAY
- **MAY 30<sup>TH</sup> SPRING FAIR**
- JUNE 4<sup>TH</sup> CAINE'S ARCADE -ADST EVENT!

*Future Kindergarten Parents  
Please Join Us*

## PAC MEETING!

PEXSISEN ELEMENTARY

TUESDAY  
5 MAY, 2026

**6 PM - 8 PM**

IN THE LIBRARY  
SCHOOL TOUR (6-6:30PM),  
YUMMY FOOD AND DRINKS  
PROVIDED. PLUS ALL ATTENDEES  
WILL BE ENTERED INTO A PRIZE  
DRAW.



## KINDERGARTEN EVENTS!

- APRIL 28<sup>TH</sup> READ AND RIDE FOR NEW KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS (REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED)
- MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> - VISIT TO CLASSROOM FOR CURRENT KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS (STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION)
- MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> - KINDERGARTEN PICNIC FOR INCOMING AND CURRENT KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS 3:00 TO 4:30 (MORE INFORMATION COMING)
- MAY 28<sup>TH</sup> - KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION FOR NEW KINDERGARTENS
- MAY 5<sup>TH</sup> - SPECIAL PAC MEETING INVITE FOR NEW KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS