

I didn't think that May could even go that quickly but here we are at June!

As the year began, ten months seemed like a long time but now with only a month remaining in grade one, it doesn't seem like much at all.



June comes with hot days. Please be sure to send a water bottle in with your child (sip-type preferred). Not only is it hot outside, but our classroom warms up as well! It is so important to rehydrate to try to prevent headaches and overheating.

<u>Birthdays</u> - Although we only have one actual June birthday, we will be celebrating students with birthdays in August as well.





Zoo Field Trip - The field trip to the Edmonton Valley Zoo sounded great. Although this is one of my favourite field trips, spending the day celebrating my daughter's graduation was incredible. I was reminded how blessed we are to have a Christian school where our children are instructed in God's ways and prayed over often.

<u>Track and Field Day</u> - Friday, June 6 is our track and field day. Many parents are volunteering that day. If you are not helping with the track meet, you are still welcome to come and cheer on your child anytime throughout the day. We will be holding the event at our school for the grade I - 3 students. Students will need appropriate clothing, footwear, sunscreen and a labeled water bottle that will be easy for them to carry around.



Library - All library books are due back by Friday, June 13.

Lunch on the Land - Friday, June 20, our staff, students, and families will be sharing a time called "Lunch on the Land" from 11:30 - 11:55 a.m. in honour of National Indigenous People's Day on June 21. Watch for more information from the school regarding this event.



<u>Teddy Bear Day</u> - Please have your child bring in a (smallish) stuffed bear on Wednesday June 18. If your child doesn't have a teddy bear, another animal will be fine but please no 'character' stuffies if possible. The students will be doing some special activities about it.





<u>Elk Island National Park Field Trip</u> - Our last field trip will be on Thursday, June 19. We will spend the day there and in addition to the regular parent volunteers, other parents and younger siblings are welcome to join us for the day.

<u>Year End Chapel</u> - Our last all school chapel will be on Tuesday, June 24. We will also be having an all school assembly that same day.

Last Day of Grade One - Our last day of classes will be on Wednesday, June 25 and it will be a busy day. If your child will not be here on that day, the report card will be online at the end of the day so you can access it from wherever you are. There will be <u>a</u> lot coming home in the coming days and especially the final two



weeks. Please continue to check and <u>empty</u> your child's folder and backpack daily to prevent the carrying of many things back and forth.

<u>Parent Volunteers</u> - If you are not scheduled to help this month and would like to squeeze one more parent helper day in, please email me at

<u>camille.christensen@eips.ca</u> and I will work to find a time to have you come. As you can imagine, with the end of the year comes a great deal of cleaning, copying, and organizing. <u>I will happily take extra help if you are willing!</u>

If you made it this far, the (hopefully not so) secret phrase is 'God's Word is true'. Print your child's name and the secret phrase on a piece of paper and send it in by Monday, June 9. June certainly will be a full and busy month! Thank you for all of your prayers, support and help! You have been such a blessing to me!

Mrs. Christensen







