



Sunset Elementary School

February 2018 Dzaxwsam—First Eulachon run time

Check out our website at
www.sunsetschool.ca

Principal's Message

Gilakas'la

Did you know that Sunset has policies and procedures in place for making complaints? In compliance with School District No. 85 policy PM-12/R we ask that parents move through the following steps when issuing a complaint in order to solve problems quickly and amicably.

1. Complaints against employees should be brought to the specific employee. Complaints about your child's classroom experiences should be brought directly to the classroom teacher. Often a resolution is found at this stage.
2. If your complaint remains unresolved after taking step one, please address your complaint in writing to the employee's supervisor. Supervisors are required to review the complaint, render a decision and communicate this decision to the complainant.
3. Decisions made in step two can be appealed to our district leadership at the School Board Office. Decisions made at this level are final.

At Sunset we want to help all our students feel safe, happy and productive. We are happy to work with our family partners to achieve this goal. We care about your child.

Gilakas'la
Kelly Amodeo



Celebrate with happiness with your families



Feb 8.....	Olympic Day
Feb 9.....	Olympic Door Judging
Feb 12.....	Family Day
Feb 14.....	Dress up in red, pink or purple
Feb 14.....	Intermediate dance from 3-5pm \$2.00
Feb 15.....	Hot Dog day
Feb 21-22.....	Gr. 7 Bake Sale
Feb 23.....	District Pro-D
Feb 28.....	Pink Shirt Day
Feb.....	Wild Heart for 6 weeks
Mar 16.....	Report Cards Home
Apr 9.....	Missoula Theatre

PAC

PAC had our first meeting of 2018 and we have some exciting things to look forward to. We have ordered a second water fountain and hopefully it will arrive in the near future and the students can get to enjoying it!

We have a new fundraiser starting Feb 5, so please watch for notices coming home.

Hope to see you at our next PAC meeting.

Jaime Gabrielle, PAC Chair

Are You Going Away? Is Your Child Sick?

Please give Ms. Greenlees a call at the office if you know your child(ren) will be absent from school. As part of our safety plan, we call home if your child is not at school without an explanation.

Please call us at 250.956.4434

email—dgreenlees@sd85.bc.ca



Come out for Badminton

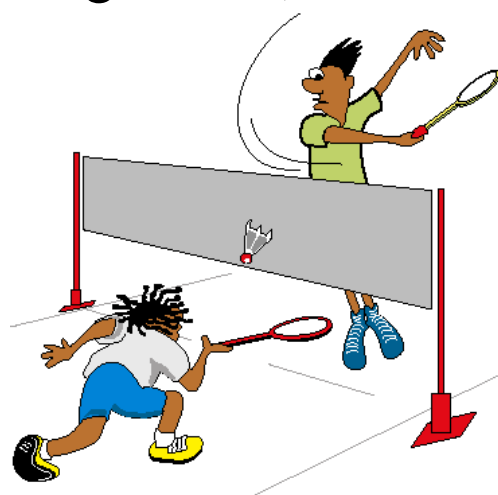
Badminton at the Old School Gym

Tuesday and Thursday nights starting Jan 18, 2018

6-7 pm

Ages 10-18

Cost: Free



Student Council News

February is a busy month! With the Olympics beginning on February 9th and Valentine's Day being February 14th, Student's Council has some fun activities planned! The first activity we have planned will be related to the Olympics. Classes have been asked to decorate their door with the flag of a country being represented in the Olympics. Doors will be judged by Student's Council members and a prize will be given for the most creative door. There will also be a flag ceremony assembly in the gym.

February 14th will be a Valentine's Day Colour Dress-Up Day. Students are encouraged to dress in red, pink or purple to show their school spirit. Also on Valentine's Day, there will be a dance for intermediate students after school from 3:30-5:00. The cost will be \$2.00. A dance for the primary students is also in the works! Please stay tuned for more information on this too! Have a wonderful February Everyone!

Mr. Ogren and Mrs. Brooks



**Please drop your Kindergarten registration forms off at
Cheslakees school.**



Kindergarten Registration

**School District No. 85 invites all parents of
Kindergarten-aged children to register their child for
full day Kindergarten classes in September 2018.**

Registration will take place:

January 29 to February 9

Children must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2018 to enter Kindergarten in September 2018. Please bring your child's birth certificate and B.C. Care Card with you at the time of registration to your local neighbourhood school. If your child has exceptionalities (special needs), please contact your school Principal.

For Kindergarten busing inquiries, please phone:
949-8155, ext. 221

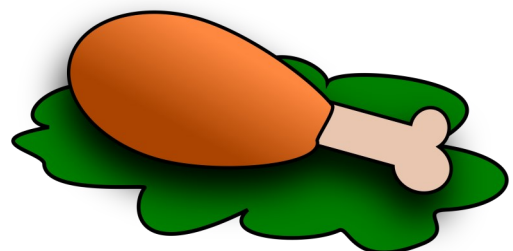
Visit the school district website: www.sd85.bc.ca



Dear Sunset Families:

We are excited to share a new fundraising program offered through the Port McNeill Elementary School PAC. **Island Farmhouse Poultry** offers fresh farm chicken from right here on Vancouver Island and we are thrilled that they have chosen to support the enhancement of OUR children's education and activities through this brand new fundraiser! NOW is your chance to stock up on their amazing selection of products at below retail prices. P.S. Our PAC receives 17% of the proceeds!

**Notices went home on
Feb 6, 2018
with a Description sheet that
followed on
Feb 7, 2018.**



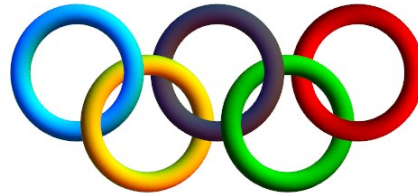
Hello Kindergarten families and community members,

We are excited to offer a Family Literacy Workshop to our parents and community members. We encourage all parents of children aged 5-8 to attend. The workshop, facilitated by Trish Weatherall, Literacy Now Co-ordinator, offers tips and activities to enable children to become confident, life-long readers.

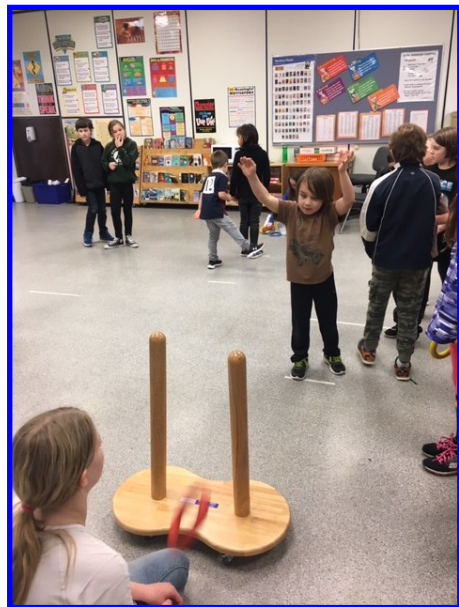
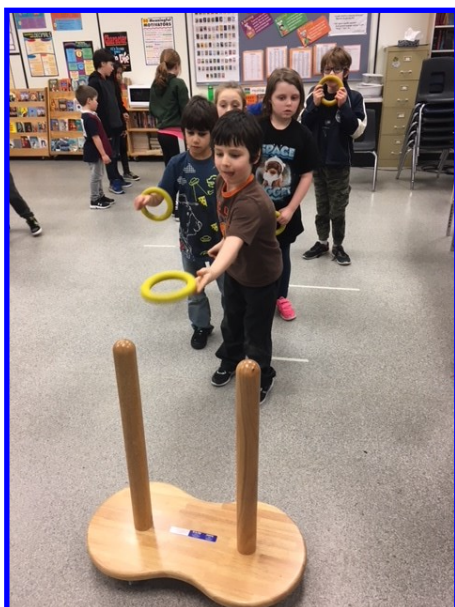
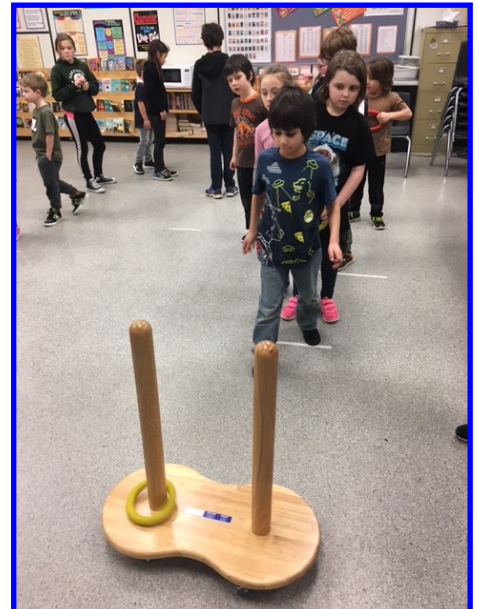
The same 30-minute workshop is being offered at two different times in the Cheslakees School Library:

Tuesday, February 13th at 2:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 13th at 6:30 p.m.



Olympic Day at Sunset





February 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 Olympic Day Assembly	9 Olympic Door Judging	10
11	12 Family Day—No School	13	14 *Dress in red, pink or purple *Intermediate dance 3-5 pm \$2.00	15 Hot Dog Day	16 Report Cards Home	17
18	19	20	21 Grade 7 Bake Sale \$1.00	22 Grade 7 Bake Sale \$1.00	23 District Pro-D—No School	24
25	26	27	28 Pink Shirt Day			Make Your Calendar



Be My
Valentine

This is a black and white line drawing of a Valentine's card template. The card is rectangular with a decorative border. The border consists of a series of small hearts connected by a chain, with larger heart shapes interspersed. The text "Be My Valentine" is written in a simple, sans-serif font in the center of the card. There are several heart shapes scattered around the text, including a large heart at the top, a large heart at the bottom, and several smaller hearts. The entire card is enclosed in a double-line border.