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Temkwíkwexyel 2024 – April 2024

The moon of Temkwékwexel, “time for baby sockeye salmon,” may also be called Lhemt’ó:les, “spring showers in the eyes.”

Message from Administration

We hope this message finds you refreshed and rejuvenated after a wonderful Spring Break! It’s always a pleasure to welcome everyone back to school after a well-deserved break, filled with new energy and enthusiasm.

As we dive back into the swing of things, we will start looking at planning for the next school year. Our projections are showing that we will be adding 3 or 4 more classes to accommodate our growing student population.

Additionally, we are diligently working on ensuring smooth transitions for our future grade 6 students from Stitó:s, Promontory, Yarrow, and Greendale. Transition periods can be both exciting and nerve-wracking for students, so we are committed to providing the support and resources necessary to make this process as seamless as possible.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership in shaping the future of our school community. Let’s make the rest of this school year memorable and filled with growth and success!

Report Cards

Report cards were distributed on March 13th, just before Spring Break. A reminder that student report cards are a snapshot of a student’s progress in relation to the learning outcome for their grade level. Your child’s report card will include your child’s progress to date, reference to area for future development and ways you can support your child, as well as information regarding their work effort and attitude towards work.

Parents are encouraged to review and celebrate their child’s academic successes and to help their child set goals for the final term.

We ask that parents sign the label on the front of the report card envelope for Term 2 and send it back to your child’s teacher as soon as possible.

School Website

Please refer to our school website regularly to keep informed of school events. Our website provides information about what is going on at the school, current news & announcements as well as the athletic calendar showing all games and practices.

<https://stitos.sd33.bc.ca/>

Upcoming Dates To Remember

April 2 nd	Term 3 Begins
April 2 nd – April 18 th	Little Mountain Greenhouse PAC Fundraiser
April 11 th	Family Literacy Night (5:30 – 7:00 pm)
April 12 th	PAC Popcorn Orders April/May Due
April 16 th	PAC Meeting @ 6:30 pm
April 19 th	Class Pictures
April 26 th	Non-Instructional Day (No School for Students)
May 3 rd	Ready, Set, Learn!
May 9 th	Little Mountain Greenhouse Fundraiser Pick Up @ 2:25 pm
May 10 th – May 27 th	Neufeld Farms PAC Fundraiser
May 14 th	PAC Meeting @ 6:30 pm
May 17 th	Non-Instructional Day (No School for Students)
May 20 th	Victoria Day (No School)
May 22 nd	Grade 5 Parent Open House & Information Night
May 31 st	Assessment & Evaluation Day (No School for Students)
June 6 th	Neufeld Farms PAC Fundraiser Pick Up @ 5:30 pm

Stitó:s SWAG Orders – Extended until April 19th

Order your school SWAG online (<https://www.studentquickpay.com/sd33/>) before April 19th.

Stitó:s Springtime SWAG Orders



Kindergarten Registration is Open!

Kindergarten registration for the 2024 – 2025 school year is underway. If your child will be five (5) years old by December 31, 2024, please register online.



You will need to upload your child's birth certificate and proof of residence when registering. We are strongly encouraging families who are planning to register at Stitó:s to do so as soon as possible as our Kindergarten classes fill up quickly and we want to ensure your child has a spot!

To register at Stitó:s or any other school in School District No. 33 (Chilliwack), please [click here](#). Chilliwack School District uses a centralized electronic registration system. SD33 schools do not accept paper-form registrations. For more information and FAQ, please visit [SD33 – Registration](#) or email ereg@sd33.bc.ca.



READY, SET, LEARN

Your local school is hosting an open house for preschoolers and their parents! **Ready, Set, Learn** is a series of fun and informative events focusing on early childhood learning.

Ready, Set, Learn is a great opportunity to connect with your preschooler's future neighborhood school. **Ready, Set, Learn** events can include school tours, visits to the school library, interactive play activities for children and their parents, information sessions for parents and caregivers, presentations by community agencies and other activities that support preschool aged children's learning.

Please note: Dates and times are subject to change, please contact the school prior to attending.

School	Ready Set Learn	Time
Bernard	February 27	10:30-12:00
Central	May 24	1:00-2:00
Cheam	April 25	10:30-12:00
Cultus Lake	April 16	12:45-1:45
East Chilliwack	April 9	9:00-10:00
Evans	April 8	9:30-11:00
Greendale	February 23	10:30-11:30
Leary IAT	March 5	8:45-9:45
Little Mountain	February 7	8:30-11:00
McCammon	June 7	9:00-10:30
Promontory	June 18	8:45-11:00
Robertson	March 6 April 18 May 10	1:10-2:10
Rosedale	April 19	9:00-11:00
Sardis	February 9	1:00-2:00
Stitó:s	May 3	9:15-10:45
Strathcona	May 9	9:30-10:30
Tyson	February 23	9:30-10:30
Unsworth	January 25	9:00-10:30 8:15-9:15
Vedder	May 29	9:30-10:30 10:45-11:45
Watson	February 21	10:00-11:30
Yarrow	June 4	9:00-10:00



Syó:sy's lets'é th'ále, lets'emó:t
—One heart, one mind, working together for a common purpose—



Kindergarten Fair is an annual school event dedicated to supporting a positive transition to school for our upcoming kindergarten students and their families. At **Kindergarten Fair**, we believe in the power of families learning together. Our activities are designed to be family-centered, allowing parents and caregivers to participate alongside their children. Families can enjoy shared reading experiences, engage in games, puzzles, and explore collaborative learning opportunities. **Kindergarten Fair** also provides a unique opportunity for children and parents to meet and interact with school staff. This gives families a chance to familiarize themselves with the school environment, ask questions, and establish a connection with key educators who will support their child's educational journey.

School	Kindergarten Fair	Time
Bernard	June 18	10:30-12:00
Central	May 24	1:00-2:00
Cheam	June 4	1:00-2:00
Cultus Lake	June 12	12:45-1:45
East Chilliwack	June 4	9:00-10:00
Evans	May 13	various
Greendale	May 28	9:00-10:00 10:30-11:30
Leary IAT	April 30	8:45-9:45
Little Mountain	May 29	8:45-11:40
McCammon	June 7	9:00-10:30
Promontory	June 18	8:45-11:00
Robertson	May 23	9:30-11:00
Rosedale	May 30	9:00-11:15
Sardis	May 29	8:30-11:30
Stitó:s	June 7	9:15-10:45
Strathcona	June 20	9:30-10:30
Tyson	June 7	9:30-10:30
Unsworth	June 13	9:30-10:30
Vedder	May 29	8:15-9:15 9:30-10:30 10:45-11:45
Watson	May 15	8:30-12:00
Yarrow	June 4	9:00-10:00

Kindergarten Fair strives to create a nurturing and comfortable atmosphere where children can not only have a great time but also feel supported and ready to embrace their new school experience with confidence.



YOU'RE INVITED TO

FAMILY LITERACY NIGHT

ALL STITÓ:S PRE-K TO GRADE 3
STUDENTS AND FAMILIES

Thursday
April 11

Drop in
anytime
5:30 - 7:00

- Storytime
- Singing
- Crafts
- Fun Activities
- Prizes
- Lots of ideas to bring home

Please RSVP by Wednesday April 10 with your child(ren)'s name(s) and age(s) to sarah_schinkel@sd33.bc.ca



PAC – Parent Advisory Council

Did you know that you are a member of the PAC? Every single person that has a child attending Stitó:s is a member of the PAC and has a vote in what our PAC does. The Stitó:s PAC Email is slt-pac@sd33.bc.ca.



The next PAC Meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, April 16th** at 6:30 pm.

Please forward any PAC Fundraiser Inquiries to...slt-pacfund@sd33.bc.ca.

Stitó:s Lá:lém Totí:lt Elementary & Middle School PAC

April & May Popcorn Order Form

April Popcorn delivery the week of April 22nd / May popcorn delivery the week of May 27th

	Price	Qty	Total
April Popcorn Bag	\$1.00		
May Popcorn Bag	\$1.00		
Additional Popcorn Bag donation	\$1.00		

Total Due: _____

Return form to school filled out in a ziplock bag with cash or cheque made out to: Stitó:s PAC

Orders Due Back by: Friday April 12th Late orders will not be accepted.

Please note: no change is provided by teachers, any additional monies given will be donated. If your child is away on popcorn day their bag will be donated. There will be no day-of sales.

Stitó:s PAC Little Mountain Greenhouse Fundraiser

Support Stitó:s PAC's fundraiser and treat yourself or someone else to a beautiful hanging basket, planter or bedding plants. Product pick up is perfectly times for Mother's Day weekend. Please see attached flyer and order form at the end of the newsletter. The PAC will be sending paper order forms home with students the first week in April.

Ordering Opens – Tuesday, April 2nd

Ordering Closes – Thursday, April 18th a the end of the school day

Order Pick Ups – Thursday, May 9th @ 2:25 pm directly after school at the basketball court – back parking lot

Spring 2024 Plant Fundraiser

Customer Order Form

Plants supplied by:



Available Items:

13" Sun Mixed Hanging Basket

This hanging basket is grown in a 13" Hanging Pot and contains a colorful combination of the best flowering and trailing plants.



*hanging baskets mixes will vary and may not appear as shown. We will choose the best available product for you on your delivery day.

13" Strawberry Hanging Basket

This hanging basket is grown in a 13" Hanging Pot and contains everbearing strawberries plants that will produce delicious Strawberries all summer long.

14" Sun Mixed Cedar Hanging Basket



This hanging basket is grown in a 14" Rectangular Wooden Cedar Hanging Pot and contains a colorful combination of the best flowering and trailing plants.

*hanging baskets mixes will vary and may not appear as shown. We will choose the best available product for you on your delivery day.

14" Sun Mixed Patio Planter

This patio planter will make a colorful addition to any patio or door step. Each planter will contain a nice assortment of premium annuals designed to continue to bloom all summer long.



*Planter mixes and container will vary and may not appear as shown. We will choose the best available product for you on your delivery day.

12" Herb Planter

This planter has a combination of culinary herbs which may include parsley, chives, cilantro, basil.

10 pak, 4.5" Zonal Geranium

The 4.5" Zonal Geranium makes a colorful addition to any garden.

Please be sure to order in quantities of 10 pots from an assortment of 5 different popular colors – Red, White, Pink, Coral and Salmon. (eg: 4 Red, 4 White, 1 Pink, 1 Salmon = 10 pots)



Bedding Plant Flat

The Bedding Plant Flat is the most economical way to fill your garden with color this summer. Each bedding flat has 36 plants in it (each in individual cells to make it easy for transplanting). We are excited to offer you full flats of White Alyssum, Blue Upright Lobelia, Blue Trailing Lobelia, Mixed Petunias, Mixed Marigolds, and Mixed Impatiens.

Bedding Plant Flat

Varieties



Alyssum is a full sun lover and performs wonderfully as a border plant. This is available in white only.

Lobelia can take part shade and part sun. The Upright Variety does great in the garden and the Trailing Variety does great in containers and baskets. Both varieties are available in blue.



Marigolds are a sun loving plant and will bloom all summer long. This variety will get about 12" high (25-30 cm) and is available as a mix of colors only.

Petunias are a sun loving plant and will bloom all summer long. This variety will get about 12" high (25-30 cm) and is available as a mix of



Impatiens are a shade loving plant and produce beautiful color all summer long. This is available as a mix of colors only.

Spring 2024 Stitós Lá:lém Totí:lt Elementary / Middle School PAC Plant Fundraiser

Student's Name: _____

Email Contact: _____

Teacher Name: _____

All orders must be handed in no later than: Thursday April 18 (by end of school day)
Order Pick-up: Thursday May 9 @2:25pm directly after school at the basketball court (back parking lot).

**** PAC is not responsible for storing unclaimed orders ****



Order Form	13" Sun Mixed Hanging Basket	14" Sun-Mixed Hanging Cedar Basket	13" Strawberry Hanging Basket	14" Patio Planter	12" Herb Planter	4.5" Zonal Geranium (can pick an assortment of different colors to equal Multiples of 10)					Bedding Plant Flats (36 plants per flat)						
	This hanging basket has a colorful combination of assorted hanging basket annuals which do well in the Sun	This hanging basket has a colorful combination of assorted hanging basket annuals in a rectangular cedar basket. (Sun)	This basket will produce delicious Strawberries this summer. Will do well in the sun.	This planter has a colorful combination of colorful annuals which do well in the Sun.	This planter has a combination of culinary herbs which may include: Parsley, Chives, Cilantro, Basil.	Red	Pink	White	Coral	Salmon	Alyssum White	Upright Lobelia Blue	Trailing Lobelia Blue	Marigold Mix	Petunia Mix		Impatiens Mix
(TAXES INCLUDED)	\$36.00 per bskt	\$46.00 per bskt	\$30.00 per bskt	\$36.00/planter	\$26.00/planter	\$38.00 for 10 pots					\$26.00 per flat						
CUSTOMER NAME & PHONE NUMBER	Quantity (pots)	Quantity (pots)	Quantity (pots)	Quantity (pots)	Quantity (pots)	Qty (pots)	Qty (pots)	Qty (pots)	Qty (pots)	Qty (pots)	Qty (flats)	Qty (flats)	Qty (flats)	Qty (flats)	Qty (flats)	Qty (flats)	Total \$
Totals																	

Payment accepted by: Etransfer, Cheque or Cash only

Etransfer (please include Student's Name in the comments): slt-pacfund@sd33.bc.ca

Please make cheque payable to: **Stitos PAC**