Week At A Glance May 22, 2023

Hi Denman Families,

As we enter the last stretch of school before summer, we have some great events coming up. We also have some more warm weather forecast for this week. The students are outside for at least 60 minutes a day during recess play times, you might want to consider sending your child with a hat, sunblock (already applied), a water bottle and sturdy shoes (avoid flip flops please).

The Arts Center Denman School Student Art show - last day is Tuesday May 23rd. Thanks so much to the wonderful volunteers who collected and mounted the student art and hosted the lovely tea on Saturday. The center is open from 12-4 tomorrow.

Salad bar this week is going to be a surprise with only Div 1 and 3 at the school. We are still looking for volunteers for some of our special lunch days such as Wednesday, June 14th when we host Hornby School and Friday, June 23rd when we have a fun day at Elkhaven. If you are available to volunteer for either of these dates, please email me or the office. Thanks

Garden Collaborative: Wednesday looks like it is going to be a beautiful day for planting our Three Sister's Garden. We will be in the garden most of the day and welcome garden party volunteers at 1-3:30pm

Upcoming field trips:

Div 2 – Thursday May 25th - Lake Park Society "Water Keepers" program at Comox Lake – waivers and permission forms coming home tomorrow – sorry for the quick turn around!

Div 3 – Tuesday May 30th – **Indigenous focus field trip** - Exploring the Kelp Habitat restoration project, visit Norris Rocks to see the seals/sea lions by boat with Hornby Island Diving. We will then head to Komas lands to learn about a traditional Komox settlement area. This is a very special field trip as we will have archeologist Jesse Morin with us for the day.

School Field trip to Hornby School – Wednesday June 21st – National Indigenous People's Day

Happy Spring!

Yolanda Lehton, Vice-Principal

Upcoming events:

May 25 - Thursday Div 2 field trip - Comox Lake

May 30 – Tuesday Div 3 field trip – around Denman by boat and bus

June 13 – Tuesday Student -Led Conferences celebration of learning! 12:30-2:30

June 14 – Wednesday Hornby School visit for salmon smoking event

June 21, Wednesday – Denman students to Hornby for National Indigenous People's Day

June 23, Friday – Elkhaven Fun Day and Family Dinner Picnic – more details to come