

Bowser Elementary School

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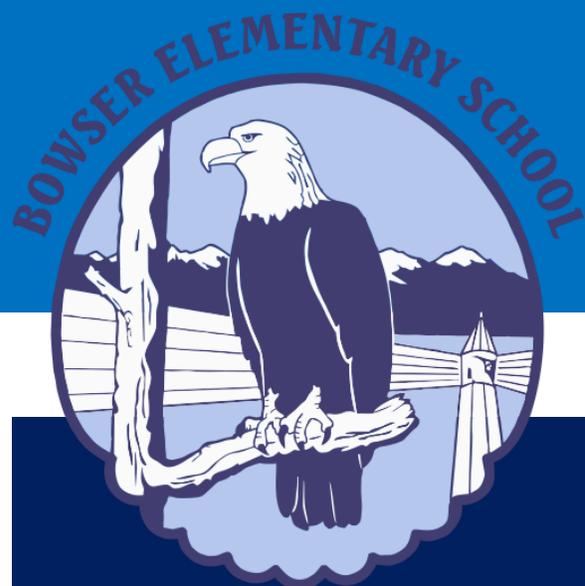
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## **Bowser Bulletin**

As another year ends, we look back on the exciting learning and social times as we returned to a sense of normal without health restrictions. The field trips as well as sports events were a strong reminder of how much positive learning and experience takes place outside the classroom. We are extremely fortunate for the location of BES as it offers so many outside play and exploration possibilities.

At this point in the year we would like to thank our school partner groups that are so essential for the success of activities and learning for our school. Particularly is our dedicated BES PAC group who raised a substantial amount of money and volunteered greatly over the course of the year in order to provide for your son or daughter's school. We are especially indebted for helping to make a fun year of memories for our students.

Every year we must say goodbye to the families and staff who for one reason or another are leaving our community. We wish you success and happiness in your new endeavors. We say goodbye to our Grade 7s who are off to high school. While we are sad to see you move on, we are excited for your future and wish you all the best. On behalf of the staff, we would like to wish everyone a very safe and happy summer break. A reminder that school is planning to re-open on September 5, 2023

Respectfully,

Brian Worthen



### **Attendance**

**Please don't forget to call in your students' absence to the office or via our new SafeArrivals App. This can be done ahead of time.**

### **Important Dates:**

**Jun. 26** – Gr. 7 Field trip

**Jun. 27** – Rm 01 Parent Visit

-Leadership student year end field trip

**Jun. 28** – Water Afternoon  
12:10pm

**Jun. 29** – Year End Assembly  
10:45am

-Early Dismissal at 11:45am

**June. 30** – Administrative day  
No school in session



# School Supplies

This coming school year we would like to introduce a one-time school supply fee of \$45 for all students in grades 1-7. This has worked well in the past.

In order to help families and support the students with their learning, we felt this new system would be the best approach due to the increasing cost of living. This will cover all supplies for the year with the exception of indoor shoes. Our hope is that this will make things easier for families getting ready to go back to school in the fall and teachers will get the supplies they need for their individual classroom. What one teacher may need another may not require. This will also provide consistency for the students as everyone will have the same supplies.

We will be opening up School Cash Online for payment as of June 01<sup>st</sup> (a link will be on the Bowser Elementary School Website) with an end date of September 30th. Families can pay the fee online when they are able, or pay one student at a time, whichever works best for you.

If you feel this will be out of your reach at this time please do not hesitate to contact the office.

## **Water Afternoon – Wednesday June. 28th**

**Our water afternoon will begin at 12:10pm. Please be sure to bring a swimsuit, change of clothes, water bottle and towel. Don't forget to wear your sunscreen. Please note that any water toys brought from home should have students name clearly written on them.**

## **Lost and Found**

Our lost and found bin is once again overflowing. We will be setting out everything on tables outside the front door on our last three days of school, June 27, 28, 29.

Please ask your kids to come have a look to see if anything belongs to them. All leftover items will be donated.

## **Moving**

**If your family is moving over the summer and will not be attending BES in the fall we ask you to please call and let the office know.**

**This information helps while we work on next year's class placements.**