Hello Parents!

Outdoor School Update

As you are aware, the grade six students will be taking part in the amazing opportunity of Outdoor School. Our dates to be away are May 11-14th. We are looking to have a few adventurous parents join us each day out at Camp Chief Hector in Kananaskis. Parents would need to provide their own transportation and are encouraged to carpool for the 1.5 hour drive. Parents would arrive out at camp for 8:45am just as students are finishing up breakfast and preparing to head outdoors. Our adventurous parents would be joining a student group to become part of the experience for the day. Lunch would be provided for our volunteers before heading back out for more excitement. We would be waving good-bye to parents at 4pm as students take a break before supper is served.

This is a unique experience to be able to see your child in this learning environment. Parents would need to be able to physically participate in the activities recognizing that May weather could be any season! If you are interested in joining us for one or more days, are able to be present for the entire day AND have a valid security clearance, please email your child’s teacher directly. If our responses are plentiful, we will have a draw to select the lucky winners.

We look forward to seeing all parents on **Wednesday April 1st at 6**:**30pm** in the Willow Park Learning Commons for the **mandatory** meeting to discuss the risks and expectations of attending Outdoor School. Please do NOT bring your child! We do not have the space to accommodate extra bodies and students will be getting the same information during class time. See you then!

**Save the Date!**

We started our work with Artist in Residence, Jaqueline! We are working on preparing plays surrounding our learning with Democracy that we will be performing on **Thursday March 12th** **at 3pm** in the main gym. These are always a big hit with both kids and parents! Hope to see you there!