

September 14, 2022

Important Dates:

September 16th- Bronco Time at 2:30pm

September 19th- Day of Mourning for Queen Elizabeth (Schools are OPEN!)

September 22nd- Terry Fox Run at 1:30pm

September 23rd- PD day – No school for students

September 28th- Meet the Teacher - 5:00pm-6:30pm

September 29th – Orange Shirt Day at EJCS

September 30th- No School/National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Summer Photos!

Share with us 1-2 photos per family that highlights your summer fun. These photos will be shared at our first Bronco Time assembly on Friday at 2:30pm!

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/hAc5b39kLnjMJe6oBFq7>

EJCS Clothing Ordering Site

The EJCS clothing order site is now OPEN for orders. The site will be open until October 2, 2022 to place your orders online. The link to the ordering site is:

<https://joelarkschool.itemorder.com/shop/sale/>

Terry Fox

Toonies for Terry. We have started collecting donations for our Terry Fox Run. Our goal is to raise \$692 which would be \$2 for every person in our building. Donations can be made online at <http://schools.terryfox.ca/EcoleJoeClark> or in cash at the school. Our students have been working very hard in gym class to prepare for our run. Our Terry Fox Run will be held on Thursday Sept 22 at 1:30.

School Fees 2022/23

Our parent accounts and fees are not quite up and ready yet for 2022/23 School Fee payments. We will email all Parents their login and account information for their child(ren) when it is ready for use. Please stay tuned!

New Music Teacher! Welcome Ms. Rickert!

Welcome to Music!

I wanted to take a moment and introduce myself! I am Kathryn Rickert, the new music teacher at Ecole Joe Clark School. I am so excited to be here and spend time with all of your kids. I come with an extensive music background both in being a music specialist with Northern Lights School Division up in Cold Lake for 13 years and with my own personal love for singing and playing music! I have some exciting things up my sleeve for the kids this year for clubs, performances and musicals...so watch this space for updates!

One thing I would love to ask right away is if you can, send in any great cleaned containers you have laying around (baby food jars - or any other glass jars with lids, plastic bottles, kleenex boxes, coffee cans or other tins, as long as they don't have rough edges, etc). I encourage students to make their own instruments throughout the year so I always like to have a stash of containers on hand along with bags of rice or beans, beads, pennies, sand or anything else you would love to send my way that would make great shakers! As the year progresses, I may reach out for help with set designs, costumes or other volunteer opportunities. If any of you lovely parents are free during the day and want to volunteer with anything during school hours (choir or any clubs that run) my door is always open and I would love to collaborate with you!

I'm very much looking forward to getting to know this community and all of you!

Kathryn Rickert

Community News

Baby Sitting and Home Alone Courses – to register or for more information email: bowvalleyfaamily@gmail.com

High River Minor Soccer Registration – register until October 2, 2022 at www.highriversoccer.ca/registration

Highwood Current Swim Club Registration – register at www.highwoodcurrent.ca

