

# Principal's Message

**Earth Day:** I'm so proud of our Climate Club! At yesterday's student-led Earth Day assembly, they shared our learning about food waste, alongside poetry from Grade 4 and 5 students and a school-wide singalong of "Easy on the Earth." Their food audit earlier in the year found many half-eaten sandwiches, fruit, and treats being thrown away - part of a bigger issue, as food waste contributes to about 33% of human-caused greenhouse gas emissions. Simple actions can help: save food for later, bring it home to repurpose (like smoothies or banana bread), or share it with family. Parents can support by encouraging kids not to throw food away and by reusing leftovers. Thank you to our Climate Club and teacher sponsors Ms. Penner, Ms. Alava, and Mr. Lecavalier for the reminder that when we know better, we do better - everyone can do their part. Please take a moment to watch this video to learn more about [Why Food Waste Matter](#).



**Read-A-Thon:** We're excited to officially kick off our Read-a-Thon and celebrate the love of reading! Over the next two weeks, students are encouraged to read, read, read—and track their minutes along the way, while also participating in our fundraising efforts. The class with the most minutes read will win a pizza lunch! Be sure to keep an eye out for daily prizes and fun activities that highlight the joy of reading. Let's get started!

## Weekly Update

**Monday, April 27**

- **Non-Instructional Day – NO SCHOOL**

**Tuesday, April 28**

- Dance Club, 12:30
- Artsy Club, 12:30
- National Day of Mourning for Workers

### **Wednesday, April 29**

- Champions League
- Performing Arts club
- Grades 4s and 5s Bike Safety Education - class

### **Thursday, April 30**

- Track and Field practice, 8:15
- Climate Club, 12:30
- Salmon Release! Division 7, 8, 9, 14, 20

### **Friday, May 1st**

- Chess Club
- Ball Hockey Club
- Grades 4s and 5s Bike Safety Education – park bike in the hockey box!
- Last day to submit Entrepreneurial Fair form to PAC [pactweeds@gmail.com](mailto:pactweeds@gmail.com)
- **Lost & Found School Community Give Away.** Check out this [SWAY](#) to see if you recognize your child's lost item!

**Hot Lunch Orders for May:** May 1<sup>st</sup> is Friday. Please make sure you order your child's Fuel Up hot lunch soon. It takes a few days for the order to be processed. Please log into your Fuel Up account to place your order. Please see the menu below.

[May 2026 Fuel Up Menu.pdf](#)

## **PAC News**

**Read-a-thon** April 24 – May 8: Our Read-a-Thon is just around the corner, and we're excited to celebrate a love of reading across the school! This is a wonderful opportunity for students to build their reading habits, explore new books, and share in the joy of storytelling. Stay tuned for more details on how to participate and support this fun, school-wide event.

**Entrepreneurial Fair** - Tweedsmuir students grades 3 through 5 who want to participate in the Entrepreneurial Fair on **May 5th** can now register via email:

[pactweeds@gmail.com](mailto:pactweeds@gmail.com)

**Art Cards** are making their return! Student art packages will be sent home soon for you to place your orders. The teachers and students have been working hard to get their masterpieces created. Your orders directly help fund special school programs, field trips, events, and more!

Interested in volunteering? You can sign up [HERE](#)

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