

Principal's Message

We are so grateful to have our students participate in the [Stream of Dreams](#) program where they learned about the life cycle of salmon and the important role they play in our local ecosystem. Most importantly, they also learned how we can all help protect salmon habitats. As a special culminating activity, each student painted a salmon that will be displayed on our school fence, creating a beautiful and meaningful reminder of our commitment to protecting local watersheds and wildlife. We are also looking for 4-8 parent volunteers to help us Click on this [SWAY](#) to see some snapshots from our week-long workshop and our first Spirit Day of the year: PJ Day!

Crosswalk Safety: As we continue to support our students in learning safe habits, we ask all members of our school community to model safe behaviours when crossing 8th Avenue and when driving to school. Arrival and dismissal times can be hectic, and a few extra moments spent using crosswalks and driving cautiously can help keep everyone safe. Thank you for helping us model safe habits for our students and school community.

Please refer to our [School Calendar](#) for all of our early dismissals, holidays, and Professional Development Days. In the meantime, here are some important October reminders:

October 12: Thanksgiving Day – NO SCHOOL

October 14: Photo Retake. If you would like a retake for your child, please email office@madethegrade.ca and let them know your child's name(s) and that they're from Tweedsmuir

October 23: Provincial PD – **NO SCHOOL**

October 30: Halloween Parade

Weekly Update

Monday, October 12 – Thanksgiving – **NO SCHOOL**

Tuesday, October 13 – Stream of Dreams Installation, 4-8 parent volunteers needed from 9:00AM – 12:00 PM. Coffee and treats will be provided for our parent helpers!

- Performance Arts Club, 12:05

Wednesday, October 14 – Photo Retake

Thursday, October 15 – The Great Shakeout (Earthquake Drill)

- Running Club, 8:15

Friday, October 16 – last day to order donuts for Treat Day (October 22)

PAC

Treat Day is back on Thursday, October 22nd! Order your Treat through School Cash Online. We are excited to offer Honey Dip Donuts from Tim Hortons for this Treat Day. Donuts will be sold for \$2.00, and there will be a limit of one per child. If you prefer a Vegan or Gluten free treat, please email the PAC directly at pactweeds@gmail.com and a member of the PAC will support you with this order.

All PAC events are supported by volunteers. Volunteer support is needed to distribute the treats on Thursday, October 22nd, so if you are interested and available for a short period of time, please reach out to the [PAC](#)!

Orders close on Friday, October 16th.

Parenting in the Digital Era – Mark your calendar: **Wednesday, November 4, 5:30 – 7:00PM** at Lord Tweedsmuir Gym. Come learn more about practical strategies to help parents navigate screens, social media, gaming, and AI while supporting kids' well-being and healthy habits. Sharon Selby, renowned registered counsellor and author will be our special presenter. Click [HERE](#) (insert poster) for more details. Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/parenting-in-the-digital-era-tickets-2002771011007>

