

JANUARY NEWS

January 31, 2020



新年快乐 新年快樂

Happy New Year!

Ms. Scott-Moncrieff's, Mrs. Walasek's and Ms. Durrance's classes were in China Town this week.



There were some interesting storybook characters at Oaklands today....



Totem carving has started up again!

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, February 7
Pizza Day

February 10 to 18

K to 12 Transfer Week for School District 61

Friday, February 14

Professional Development Day

No school for students

Monday, February 17

Family Day No School

Tuesday, February 25

Oaklands School Family Potluck Dinner 5:00 to 7:00 pm

Wednesday, February 26

Pink Shirt Day/Anti-Bullying Day



"Wear Your Funky Hat" Day during Reading Celebration Week.







Times Colonist 10 km Run

The TC 10km is on **Sunday, April 26th** this year! Sign up on the Oaklands Elementary school team for either the 10km or the Thrifty Foods Kids Fun Run (1.5km) to help us win the School Team Challenge. We want to be the school with the most students registered!



When you register it will ask if you are a part of a team. Use the drop down menu to select "Oaklands Elementary". We look forward to seeing you out and running or walking and representing our school! Prices go up after January 31st, so register before then to save \$5. Contact Ms. London, our grade 2/3 teacher, at ilondon@sd61.bc.ca if you have any team-related questions. https://runsport.ca/thrifty-foods-family-run/

Oaklands School Community



Come join Oaklands School's first community potluck dinner on **Tuesday**, **February 25**th from **5pm to 7pm** in the gym. Please bring your family's favourite dish that represents your culture or one they simply enjoy. Letters are coming home today. Please complete the form and send back to school if you plan to participate.

<u>Dishing it up</u>: Families are asked to label their dishes and list the ingredients to learn more about the food and for allergies. Please no nuts of any kind. We will provide cards to label at the event.

Keeping it green: Please bring your own plates, cutlery, and water bottles for your family. Also any serving cutlery for your dish. Pack in, pack out means a garbage free night.

We will send out information on how to sign up for this event soon.

Reminder....

Pick up and drop off – we ask that you ensure your child/children are with an adult until 8:30 am on the playground and picked up at the 2:48 pm bell. If you are unable to yourself, please arrange for a friend, family member or caregiver to do so in your place.