Sansome School Notes from the Office

Hello Sansome Families:

Our first full week of school has been a busy one, but everyone is now well settled in and ready for the new learning to really begin!

We had our first School Assembly this afternoon to welcome everyone back to school and to recognize our new students and staff members. In recognition of Dot Day, we created a School Dot Art mosaic on the wall outside of the gym. Please check it out the next time you are in the school!

Students will be given the opportunity to share their voices in regards to what they would like to see included in the new play structure as well as the playground plan. Families are welcome to see the proposed plans and share their thoughts with our Parent Council. They are holding their **AGM** on **Monday, Sept. 25**th at 6:00 here at the school.

Our **East Parking Lot** is very busy from 3:50-4:05. There are usually 2 rows of vehicles trying to exit near the cross walk. We are asking drivers to be very cautious when exiting the lot. Our Patrols are watching traffic on Sansome as well as traffic coming out of our lot. Thank you in advance for your caution!

Reminder that the cost of milk has increased to \$1.50 this year for chocolate or white. Also, if Parents could send the needed lunch utensils that would be most appreciated.

SJASD **Transportation** has notified us that their drivers have been instructed to leave the school at their designated departure time (3:50). They will not wait for students, nor can they return for anyone who missed their bus. If students are not taking the bus on any given day, please call us at the Office (204-889-6000). This will help speed up the loading at the end of day.

Thank you to all families who have paid their Community Supply fees and Family Fundraising Fee (\$27.00). Funds raised will be directed towards supplementing classroom libraries; field trip cost subsidy, hands-on learning materials, and student/ class incentives.

Wishing everyone a great fall weekend! Go Bombers!

Henrietta Hoch Chris Mavroudis

Our next Early Dismissal Day is Tuesday, September 19th. Students will be dismissed at 3:18 pm to allow for ongoing staff professional development. Early dismissals happen on the first and third Tuesday of each month. Buses run approximately 30 minutes earlier.

Transportation:

Sansome bus in the AM is #17 Sansome bus in the PM is #8

If your child is not going to be on the bus **at the end of the day**, call the office to let us know. If we cannot pick up the phone, please leave us a message.

Absence Reporting: A reminder that during the school year, absences are no longer phoned in or emailed to the school/teacher. Please do not email the teacher if your child is going to be absent. If teachers are away, they are not checking their email.

Milk Store: White and chocolate milk can be purchased for \$1.50 each. Tickets are available in the office. If you have tickets left from last year, they can still be used. Kernels Popcorn is also sold in the Milk Store for \$2.00 per bag. The flavours available are Butter & Salt, Dill Pickle, Salt & Vinegar, and White Cheddar.

Please bookmark our school website for all current and future news and the upcoming events calendar: https://www.sjasd.ca/school/sansome

If you have any questions about this or any other school information, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.