



Peek At the Week: September 18, 2017

This Week in Kindergarten...

Monday: Walking Monday at 9 a.m.
Terry Fox Assembly
Jolly Phonics starts today.
Rest time blankets and towels to be returned to school

Tuesday: "Toonies for Terry" begins (see below)

Wednesday: School BBQ

Thursday: School Photo Day

Friday: Yoga ...wear your comfies, children!!!
Library books due please. Snuggle Up and Read book and Reading Log go home.



Walking Mondays: our class will have our weekly walk from 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Today we will look for signs of Fall that God is sending us.

Terry Fox Fundraiser: please check out the information letter on our school website. Enclosed is your child's ballot. If you are able to join us for the Terry Fox Walk on September 29th at 1:00 p.m., please jot me a note. ☺

Jolly Phonics begins today with the letter "Ss" like a slithering snake - sssssssssssssssssssssss... Ask your little one about our class Mystery Box... what was in it today???

Upcoming Pajamas and Popcorn Party... The children do not know this so please keep it a surprise... our class party will be on Thursday, September 28th. I had originally aimed for

this coming week, however Thursday is school photo day and we would like the party to be on a day that Madame is with us (the class has been earning points with her as well).

Routines and Rules : The children are doing quite well adjusting to the class, with some reminders of how to sit properly (on our bottoms on the carpet/ knees under the table for meals and table-top activities). We raise our hand to speak, we walk inside the school, we use an indoor voice and we remove caps when entering the building.

Most importantly, we do what Jesus would do by speaking nicely to others and keeping our hands and feet to ourselves.

School Bag Rule: Could you please remind your child that their **school bag must remain with them** at the start and end of day? For example, if children go to the Breakfast Program, they need to take their bags with them. A reminder as well that school bags are never placed in cubbies before school begins. Thank you!!! (All of these rules and routines will be second-nature very soon ☺).

Taking care of our Earth... I am really thrilled with the number of re-usable containers in the students' lunch bags. Thank you very much. We do have a supply of plastic spoons in the classroom when a child needs one, however please do your best to send in a re-usable spoon when needed.

Thank you JK parents for placing healthy **morning snacks in a separate bag**. It makes snack time go extra smoothly. Thank you parents for all of the nutritious items being packed for your little one!

St. James BBQ: I really look forward to seeing everyone on Wednesday! Please ensure your child shows you the following: their hallway cubby, classroom cubby, parking spot on the carpet as well as their lunch time spot. They may also wish to point out some of their favourite centres as well as our class surveys and "We Wonder" board.

Looking ahead to rainy days...Please note that **umbrellas should stay at home**. They are not needed and tend to be a hazard. Thank you for respecting this rule.

A note about Classroom Dojo... I will begin sending photos to you this week! Please note that this book is the best and my preferred way for you to communicate with me. ☺

Memorable Moment in Room 113...

As I sat beside one of our little boys, he asked me why I'm a teacher... I told him that I love children and asked him if he loves children. "Naaah! They're pretty boring".

Kindly remember to place this "Peek" at the back of the duotang and then open it up with the clip. *Gracias*. And I promise, the weekly Peek at the Week will shorten in time; so much to talk about in September...

Have an *sensational week* everyone! Love, Mrs. **Seward**

***Kindly initial after you have read this information... _____