

# Mill Valley Junior School



## Dance-a-thon

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous support during our Dance-a-thon. The funds go directly back to the students.

## Widening of the South Walkway

The walkway at the south entrance, by the fenced in electrical work, is scheduled to be widened. The date for the actual widening has not been determined, however, we are in the queue. Sorry for any inconvenience that this may cause.

## Huddle Up

Parents and Guardians are invited to join us for our Huddle Up assembly. The assembly is scheduled for Thursday, March 30, 2017, at 2:10 p.m. We will be meeting in the gym. Our Grade 3/4 and 4/5 students have been working hard on their piece for the event, Jason (Argo Manager) and an Argo player will be presenting their anti-bullying and self-empowerment. We continue to strive for an environment where the message is clear, we at Mill Valley do not accept bullying, rather WE SUPPORT, REPORT and DEFEND (Huddle UP message). Students are encouraged to wear blue on Thursday, March 30th. Please ensure that your child's Media release forms are returned to the school prior to the performance, for the Argo's do take pictures during this event and anyone without the forms will not be able to be part of the song.

## Beach Day

Beach Day is scheduled for the afternoon of Friday, March 10, 2017. Our students and staff look forward to celebrating the warmth and fun of a Beach Day in the comfort of our school.

## Spirit Day

Every month Mill Valley features a Spirit Day. The day is linked with a Character Education assembly (every class has signed up for a month and they create the Character Education assembly for their month). Students are encouraged to participate in the Spirit Day theme (Red/Pink/White day, Sports Jersey day, etc.).

## Aqua-Links– Toronto Zoo

Our Kindergarten to Grade 5 students will have an opportunity to participate in a presentation run by a representative from the Aqua-Links program, on Thursday, March 23rd. We are very proud to be working along side the Toronto Zoo to increase the number of Atlantic salmon in our waterways. Mill Valley takes serious it's role in teaching our students about how they can support positive environmental stewardship.

## Parking Lot

Our loop is intended to be a drop off loop. Please park in the designated parking spots, not in the loop or in front of the loop! If you would like to wait with your child until the bell has rung, please ensure that you park within a designated parking spot. When we all respect the flow, then the loop actually works, as was evident the day that security was at the school observing our parking lot. **Please do your part to keep our children safe!**

## **March, 2017**

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## **March Break**

There will be **NO SCHOOL** from Monday, March 13th until Friday, March 17th. School will commence on Monday March 20, 2017.

## **Parking Lot Vol- unteers**

For the 2017 & 2018 school year, Mill Valley is calling out for parent/guardian volunteers to help with the flow of our Kiss and Ride loop. Please let the office know if you are available to support us before and/or after school.