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## Weekly Newsletter Sept. 27

We had a busy week at Cavell. Our cross country and soccer teams had their first mini-meet and games. Both teams experienced practicing and playing in both sun and rain this week. Congratulations to all our runners and to our two soccer teams.

Thank you to Haillie, Lily and Luna from Division 1 for the preparing and delivering our thoughtful Truth and Reconciliation assembly today in the gym. We hope your family takes time this Monday to reflect and remember what we can all do as a ReconciliACTION. Division 4 has created a wonderful bulletin board in our main hallway for Orange Shirt Day and student are encouraged to use the felt pens to write what their action could be.

*In recognizing National Truth and Reconciliation week, the Indigenous Education Department and Superintendent and CEO Helen McGregor gifted our school the Reconciliation Blanket designed by xʷməθkʷəyəm (Musqueam) artist, educator and master weaver Debra Sparrow. All students saw the blanket today during our assembly. It will be hung in our main hallway to welcome all to Cavell.*



## Other information:

Coyotes near Cavell – We have had reports over the past two weeks of coyote sightings. A reminder to all that if you see a coyote be big, be loud, and don't run.

Field hockey – it was fantastic to have a field hockey program in our school this week. Please see attached information from the Hawks field hockey program for further information. Our students each enjoyed at least two sessions with Hawks coaches throughout the week. Make sure to ask your child what they learned during their field hockey lessons.

## Upcoming Important Dates:

September 30<sup>th</sup> – School is closed for National Truth and Reconciliation Day

October 2<sup>nd</sup> – Fire Drill

October 4<sup>th</sup> – Terry Fox Run 11-12 @ Douglas Park

October 14<sup>th</sup> – school closed for Thanksgiving

October 16<sup>th</sup> – Conferences – all students dismissed at 1:58pm

October 17<sup>th</sup> – Conferences – all students dismissed at 1:58pm

October 15-18<sup>th</sup> – Scholastic Book Fair

October 25<sup>th</sup> – Professional Day – school not in session for students

Throughout the 2024-2025 school year we will send a weekly highlight page of our week at Cavell. We hope this helps keep you connected to our Cavell Community.

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