September 10, 2021

Dear parents and guardians of the Emily Carr Elementary community,

Although this is a different year with new health and safety routines put in place, we would still like to carry on the tradition of the annual Terry Fox Run. Our school run will take place on **Friday, September 17th** throughout the day. We will not be gathering in a large group at this time, so we have organized the event a bit differently.

- 1. Unfortunately parents will not be able to join us as we aim to reduce any possible exposure to members of the public. This will be a staff and student event only.
- 2. Classes will be grouped and heading to Douglas Park for a ceremonial lap at a specific time.
- 3. Fundraising has always been a huge part of this event and historically Emily Carr has generated a generous amount of funds for the Terry Fox Cancer Foundation.

We are bringing back the **"Toonie for Terry"** slogan!! We encourage each student to bring in a toonie to support the Terry Fox Cancer Foundation. **Please do not send small coins or change!** The staff volunteers who are collecting and counting the funds thank you \odot .

Fundraising will also still take place online! If you wish to donate on behalf of the school, please visit **terryfox.org.** We have a school page already set up. You will receive a tax receipt donating with this method.

Step 1: Click Give/Donate today – to a student or school

Step 2: Type in Emily Carr Elementary and click on the link.

Step 3: Click Donate and follow instructions.

We have a school goal to raise \$1500!! Let's do it! If this goal is reached Mr. Todd Pratt will shave his head! Mr. English will also teach a whole day in a chicken suit.

Thank you very much for your support!!

Emily Carr Staff