

Principal: Ms. M. Pendharkar
Vice Principal: Mrs. S. Tse

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Thursday, May 5, 2016

Dear Parents of Grade 6 & 7 students:

We are less than a week away from going to camp! We had a meeting with all students going to camp on yesterday and went over some important information:

Packing reminders:

- Label ALL your belongings!
- Pack toiletries separately in a labelled ziplock bag.
- **Pack ALL medication separately (including over-the-counter medication such as allergy meds) and label clearly** with the child's name and instructions for administration. Hand in all medication to Mrs. Tse on Wednesday morning.
- Pack 3 days worth of clothing in addition to the clothing the student is wearing (one extra set just in case). Extra socks may be a good idea.
- Check the weather and pack accordingly. Include a rainproof jacket or buy a poncho from the Dollar Store.
- Don't spend a lot of money – if you don't have a sleeping bag, try to borrow. If you need help with this, please talk to your child's teacher.

Monday, May 9:

- **All students need to bring their bags fully packed on Monday, May 9th for a "Bag Check"** that afternoon. Please have students drop off their bags on the gym stage that morning.
- If you have lost your packing list, it is posted on our school website at <http://lee.sd38.bc.ca/students/outdoor-education>. Please also refer to the "Luggage Handling" attachment for items that cannot be put through the Heat Room.
- Bags can be taken home that day and brought back on Wednesday morning. Students can bring medications on Wednesday morning.

Wednesday, May 11:

- Eat a good breakfast.
- **Be at school at 7:00 a.m. sharp!** We will take attendance, load the bus, then leave for the ferry as soon as we are ready. **We will not be able to wait for students who are late.**
- Have your child **bring a water bottle and a small snack** that he/she can eat on the ferry. Any food students bring must be eaten before arriving at camp.
- Remember to **leave all electronics and money at home.** If students would like to bring a camera, a disposable camera is recommended.
- **Hand in all medications to Mrs. Tse** that morning.

We are looking forward to an amazing time at Camp Elphinstone together. Please feel free to contact your child's teacher: Ms. Hudson (shudson@sd38.bc.ca), Mr. Lew (llew@sd38.bc.ca), Ms. Rasoda (rsasoda@sd38.bc.ca) or myself (stse@sd38.bc.ca) if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

Mrs. Tse
Vice-Principal