



Elementary Fun TRACK AND FIELD Day

Dear Parent(s) / Guardian(s),

June 15, 2023

Fox Creek School hosts an Elementary Track and Field event, annually in June. This year, due to the wildfires and evacuation orders, we have modified the format and timing of the day. The Fun Track and Field day will be on **Friday, June 23, 2023.** The Kindergarten to Grade 6 staff will accompany classes around the events, including standing jump, relay race, ball throw and much more. *Kindergarten students are asked to attend for the full day*, in order to enjoy all of the planned events. Events are spread around the school grounds.

Should the weather predict rain, we may have to cancel the event. Please check the school's social media pages for updates in this regard. There will not be an alternative day scheduled. It is important for students to wear appropriate clothing for the weather including proper outdoor running shoes, sunscreen, hat and to bring a water bottle labeled with their name. If it is a cloudy or cooler day, a sweater may be needed.

We understand that many parents and guardians have only been back at work for a few weeks following the evacuation order. As a result, we are designing the day to run self-sufficient with school staff and older students. However, if parents are available and would like to help out with the day, either running an event or assisting a class group, please let the office know. We always appreciate and enjoy the help!

<u>Pembina</u> is generously cooking <u>free hot hot dogs for lunch</u>. Students will be responsible for bringing their own drinks and additional lunch items. Please remember to also send snacks with students on this day. They will be doing a lot of physical exercise and may need more food and drinks than normal.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact the office. We are excited to see students' effort and participation for this Fun Track and Field Day!

Sincerely,

Elementary Teachers