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STRIVING TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE OUR POTENTIAL FOR A BETTER TOMORROW

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It is hard to believe we are into our last month of another school year. There is still lots of learning to do, and students are encouraged to work hard for a great finish to the year. There will be several special events and activities this month as well, and we look forward to our year end assembly in celebration of a great year. We would like to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you to our PAC and all the parent helpers who do so much for our students and school community. Many of the events that take place would not be possible without your generosity and service.

Next Year

If you know that your child will not be attending Bert Ambrose next year, please let the office know so that we have accurate lists and numbers to create our class placements. We also have some staff changes for the upcoming year. Mr. and Mrs. Ouellette will be taking a leave of absence for the year and will not be with us. Ms. Berg will be moving on to Taylor Elementary in the fall and we wish her well. Mrs. Quebec, Mrs. Caplette and Mrs. Waldron will not be back with us in September. Mrs. Finter will be filling Mr. Ouellette's spot for next year, and Mrs. Kursteiner is joining our staff and will be taking on the Reading Recovery teacher role.

Additional changes will be announced in September.

The first day of school will be September 8th – it is very important that students attend this day as during the afternoon, staff will be determining class placements. If your child will not be here that day, please let the office know. Our regular start time (8:45 warning bell, 8:55 start) will be in effect and dismissal on this day will be 4 hours early at 10:45.

District Track Meet

We have approximately 70 students representing Bert Ambrose at the district track and field meet at the Pomeroy Sports Center on Friday, June 5th. Thanks to the staff and parent helpers for our successful school event. We look forward to hearing about all the fun that the competitors have on Friday.

Primary Fun Day

Our special day for primary students will take place on June 12th. If weather gets in the way, the alternate date is Tuesday, June 16th. Thank you to Mrs. Lee and her Grade 5 class for organizing this fun event.

Summer Reading Program

The public library will be running a summer program again this year, and library workers will be visiting many classes on June 11th – get your library cards ready for a great summer of reading!

Year End Assembly

The last day of school for students will be Thursday, June 25th. We will have an assembly to start our day, then students will return to classes to receive their report cards. Dismissal time will be 11:45 on this day.

Milk Sales

Our milk sales have been very popular this year. We will return to selling milk again in the fall but this will not be available during June.

Upcoming Events:

June 3 – Welcome to Kindergarten – 9:30 – 11:30

June 5 – District Track and Field

June 9 – PAC meeting at 6:30 in the library

June 10 – Hot lunch – Saigon Noodle

June 12 – Primary Fun Day

June 17 – Hot lunch – Wendy' s

June 25 – Last day for students, dismissal at 11:45