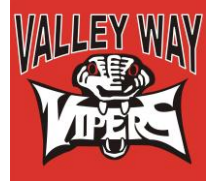




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This year we congratulate & say farewell to two staff members who have decided to retire. Thank you Mrs. Allen & Mrs. Borich for everything you have done for Valley Way School. Your dedication to families has made a tremendous impact. Although you will both be missed, we do wish you all the best. Congratulations from all of us!

MOVING??? ... If you will be moving over the summer and your child will not be returning to Valley Way School in September, please let the office know. It is important for us to keep our records up to date.

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL ... students will be off on trips for the morning & participate in games in the school yard for the afternoon. Students do need to bring their snacks & lunch for the day as usual. Permission forms & more information will come home soon.

GRADE 8 GRADUATION ... Wednesday June 22nd at 6:00 p.m. After the ceremony, graduates are going to Casa Doro Restaurant for a graduation dinner. Thanks to all those who participated in the recent Car Wash. Funds raised will help to off-set the cost of graduation for our students.

FROM MRS. WIENS' DESK ... library books are due back by June 9th. The school library is closing for inventory and students will not be able to sign out books. Notices will be sent home if your child has not returned a book. Lost books need to be paid for or replaced. Your co-operation and support are appreciated.

JUNE 10 PD DAY ... no school for students so please make any necessary arrangements at home.

"Summer Advantage" book (sent home a few weeks ago) ... fully coloured, activity book designed to maintain children's academic learning over the summer months. **There is one activity book per grade level from Junior Kindergarten to Grade 7** with units aligned with the Ontario curriculum expectations and 3 summer fun units. The books have parent information pages, evaluation forms; follow up activities and a family focus. The cost of each book is \$19.05 plus GST. Orders with money are due in by Friday June 3.

DRESS CODE REMINDER as we move into warmer weather, parents and students are reminded to review the Dress Code in the student organizers. "Footwear must be worn and no midriffs are to be bare". Certainly, sleeveless tops are permitted but spaghetti straps should be avoided unless covered-up with another top. Shorts should be respectable in length. If everyone follows these guidelines then we will all be dressed properly for a "work environment". Thank you for your co-operation in this regard.

SNACK PROGRAM ... is in desperate need of volunteers if it is to continue next year. All the funding is in place & training is available. Please consider helping out with this opportunity to kick start mornings for our students!

