### **Upcoming Dates to Note:**

October 18 – Grade 8 - Band Trip Parent Meeting

October 19 – Parent Teacher Conferences 12:30-2:20pm and evening 5-8pm

Early dismissal @ 11:53am

October 20 – Parent Teacher Conferences – 12:30-2:20pm – early dismissal @ 11:53am

October 20 – Last day to order Panago Gift Certificates

October 21 – Non-Instructional Day – no school for students

October 25 – Deadline for Neufeld Orders

October 28 – Pizza Hot Lunch – Ricardo's - \$2.00 a slice

November 8<sup>th</sup> – Photo retakes (AM)

#### Student Fees

Just a friendly reminder that the Student Activity Fee is now due. The fee is \$25 for this school year to cover costs of guest speakers, student cards, school events, student recognition, student leadership, planners, lock, and locker rental. Please pay through SchoolCash Online: <a href="mailto:abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com">abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com</a>

## **Grade 8 Band Trip Parent Meeting**

Chief Dan George and WA Fraser Middle schools will be hosting a joint parent meeting for a potential Grade 8 Band trip in 2023. Two potential trip itineraries will be presented, and we will discuss our options. The meeting will take place on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>October 18<sup>th</sup></u> from <u>6PM – 7PM</u> in the Big Room off the library at CDG. All Grade 8 Band parents (and their kids) are welcome.

#### **Parent Teacher Conferences**

Parent/Teacher conferences are on October 19 & 20 during the day at 12:30-2:20pm and in the evening of October 19th at 5-8pm. The link to book parent/teacher conferences was sent out to families last Friday. Go to our school appointments site to book:

https://cdg.schoolappointments.com/
If you are having trouble booking, please contact the office.

## Panago Gift Certificates

Back by popular demand is the Panago Gift Certificates!! This time they are \$14 each as prices everywhere have gone up! Each certificate is good for ANY medium pizza including gluten free or vegan options. The gift certificates can be used anywhere in Canada within 90 days and no expiry in Abbotsford. Only **250 certificates** are available, they sell out quickly so don't wait too long! Orders close on October 20th, so we have them in time for Halloween or when they sell out. No limits!

# Hot Lunch Playground Fundraiser

The school will be doing a series of hot lunches on Fridays to raise money for a new playground! To order hot lunch please login to SchoolCash Online: -https://abbotsford.schoolcashonline.com/Ricardo's Pizza is the next hot lunch on October 28<sup>th</sup>

## Neufeld Fundraiser

Each year the band program runs 4 fundraisers to help students save for their Grade 8 Band Trip. The first fundraiser of the year is through Neufeld Farms, and it is now open! The link below will take you to the fundraiser website. When you complete your order make sure you pick your child as the seller, so the profit is attributed to them. The fundraiser closes at 11:59PM on October 25th. Orders will be available for pickup at CDG on Friday, November 4th between 1PM and 3PM. Non-band parents are welcome to order as well. Orders with "No Known Seller" will have their profit put toward the CDG Band Program. Links to order below:

E-mail link: <a href="https://app.neufeldfarms.ca/fundraising/2022-chief-dan-george-band-choir-e3e4de76ce/ref/em">https://app.neufeldfarms.ca/fundraising/2022-chief-dan-george-band-choir-e3e4de76ce/ref/em</a>

Social Media link: <a href="https://app.neufeldfarms.ca/fundraising/2022-chief-dan-george-band-choir-e3e4de76ce/ref/sm">https://app.neufeldfarms.ca/fundraising/2022-chief-dan-george-band-choir-e3e4de76ce/ref/sm</a>