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## Bridge Week at A Glance

November 15<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021

<b>Monday</b> 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>How Raven Stole the Sun</b> presentation for intermediate classes
<b>Tuesday</b> 16 <sup>th</sup>	Grades 6 and 7 <b>Intramurals</b> @ lunch
<b>Wednesday</b> 17 <sup>th</sup>	Grades 6 and 7 <b>Intramurals</b> @ lunch
<b>Thursday</b> 18 <sup>th</sup>	Grades 6 and 7 <b>Basketball</b> at 8am Grades 6 and 7 <b>Volleyball Game</b> @ Garden City – <b>Go Bulldogs Go!</b>
<b>Friday</b> 19 <sup>th</sup>	

### Bridge News:

1. On Monday, November 15<sup>th</sup> intermediate students will be watching and learning about **How Raven Stole the Sun**. To follow safety guidelines, we can only have the gym at 50% capacity so we hope to provide another cultural opportunity for the primary students later this year. The purpose of this presentation is to engage audience members of all backgrounds in a light hearted, interactive, theatre version of "How Raven Stole the Sun" while teaching about the holistic values, traditions, and culture of Indigenous peoples of the Pacific Northwest Coast. Indigenous storyteller, Dallas Yellowfly, uses positive humour, high energy performance and audience participation, making the performance memorable and educational. The presentation focuses on the importance of having respect for the environment, Indigenous oral traditions, and the power of humour in storytelling.

All of our teachers will be part of a professional development afternoon in the district on Monday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> related to this performance. It is designed to provide educators and students with a deeper understanding of the Residential School experience when incorporating Indigenous perspectives in the classroom.

2. **All classroom teachers in the district** will be using **student e-portfolios** to report on Core Competencies three times this year. If you haven't yet already, you will receive information soon from your child's teacher on how to login to your child's e-portfolio to find this information before the winter break. Please take some time to comment on this post and any other learning posts. Thank you for all that you are doing to support your child's learning and well-being at home.

### Upcoming Events:

Monday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>  
 Thursday, November 25<sup>th</sup>  
 Sunday, November 28<sup>th</sup>  
 Monday, November 29<sup>th</sup>  
 Tuesday, November 30<sup>th</sup>  
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**Pro-D Day** – no school for students  
 Freshii Hot Lunch (**pre-orders only**) thanks to our PAC  
 The First Day of Hanukkah  
 Immunizations for students in Grades 6 and 7  
 Safety Drill  
 PAC Virtual Meeting @6:45pm – link by email at that time