

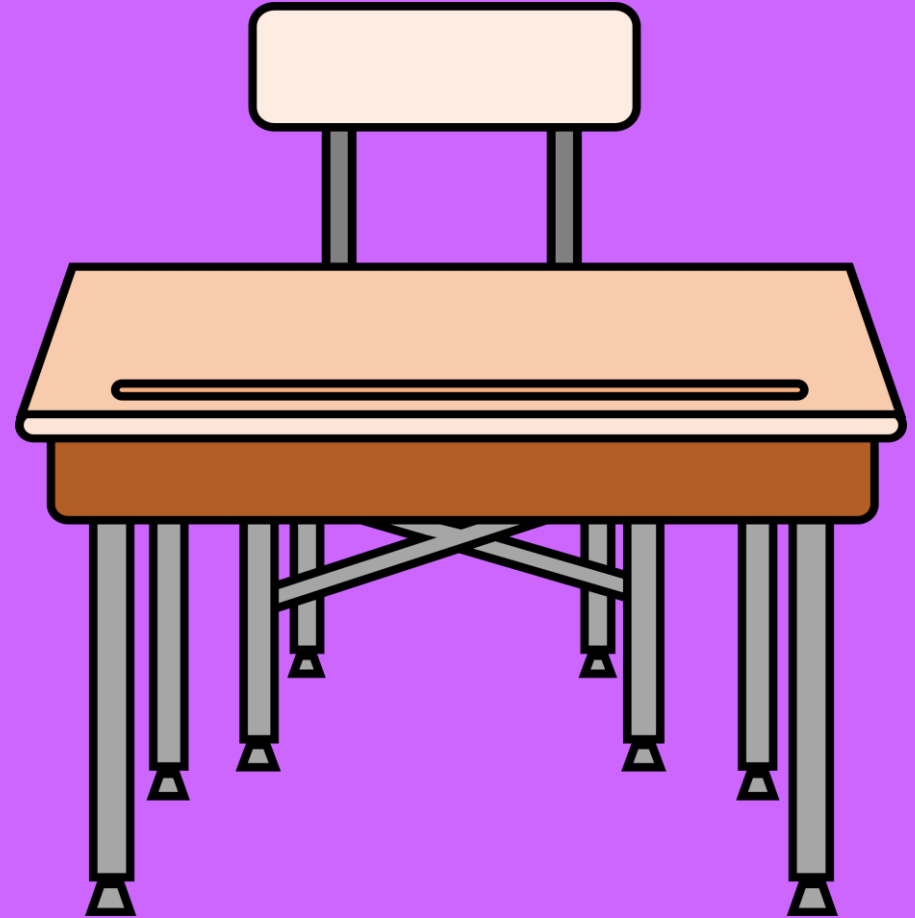
# Lightning News

May 6th– May 10th

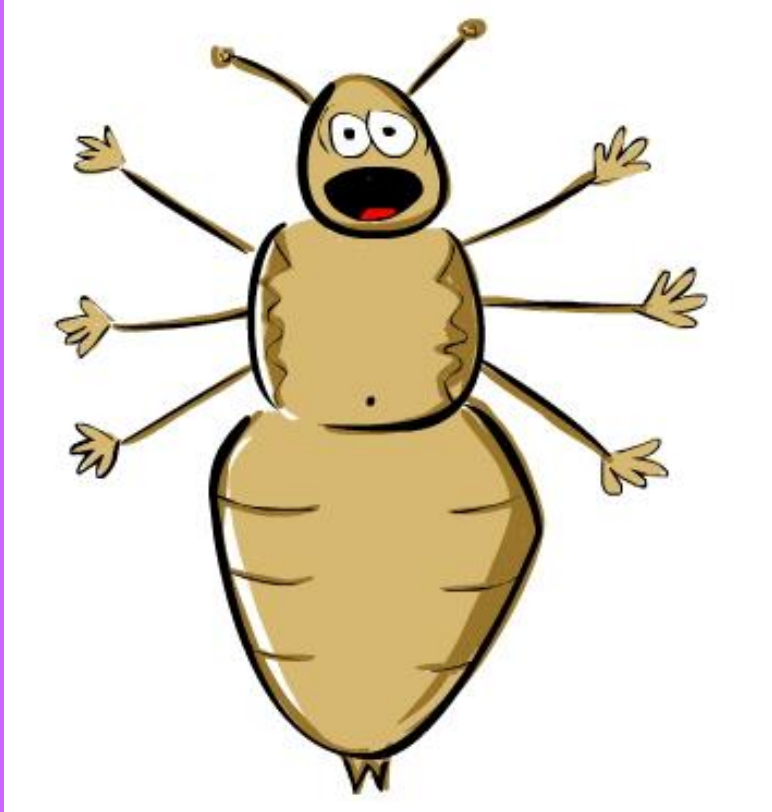


# It is a four - day week for students this week!

- There is NO school for students on Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup>. This is a NBTA Day for staff.
- There is NO school for anyone on Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, this is the Victoria Day holiday.



# Head Lice



We would like you to be aware of head lice protocols in our district. It is recommended that families periodically check their child's head to determine if they have lice or nits.

Here are some facts :

[Head Lice](#)

Here is our District's Policy:

[POLICY NO. ASD-S-735](#)

# Athletics

## **Volleyball:**

Tuesday- Boys' Home Game vs RVMS

Wednesday – Girls' Away Game vs MNS

**Thursday – Volleyball Finals TBD**

## **Flag Football Tryouts:**

Tuesday - Grade 6 (all) & grade 7&8 girls

Thursday - Grade 7&8 boys

Check the gym bulletin board for team lists that will be posted this week.





## Lunch and Snack Options

**Lunch Option Wednesday:** A healthy lunch is available to pre-order on Cashless Schools for Wednesdays. It is \$2.50.

**Pizza Friday:** If your child would like cheese pizza, please use Cashless Schools. Pizza is not available unless it is pre-ordered. It is \$2.50 per slice.

**Canteen:** The canteen will be open on Friday selling healthy snacks and drinks for \$1.00 - \$2.00.

**Breakfast Program:** Nutritious items are available in the lobby every morning.

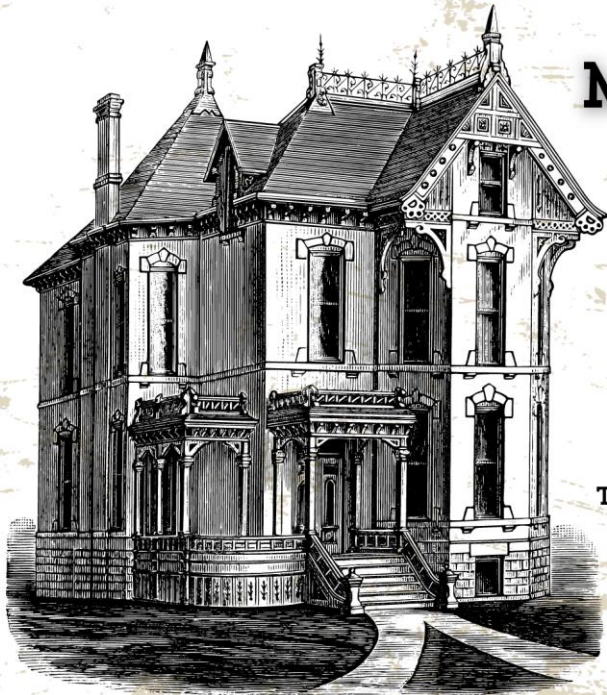


BARNHILL MEMORIAL SCHOOL PRESENTS:

# *The Crimson House* **MURDER**

BY TIM KELLY

IT'S ALL CLEAR TO HERCULES PORRIDGE... OR IS IT?



**MAY 15 & 16**

**7:00 PM**

**\$8**

DOORS OPEN AT 6:30

TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED  
AT THE DOOR OR  
IN ADVANCE IN THE LOBBY

## **Barnhill Drama Club Presents: The Crimson House Murder!**

This will be a live performance at our school on May 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. Save the date for this amazing performance!

The intended audience is for Middle School students and above. Not recommended for young children.

Tickets are \$8 and will be on sale in the morning and at lunch in the front lobby.

# Babysitting Course

- We will be offering the Babysitting Course again this year.
- It will be held at lunchtime on May 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>, June 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>.
- If you are interested, the cost is \$51.75 and you can get registration forms from Ms. Vanderbeck.



# Food Allergy Awareness

Wear purple in May in honour of Caroline Lorrette who passed away from an allergic reaction to dairy.

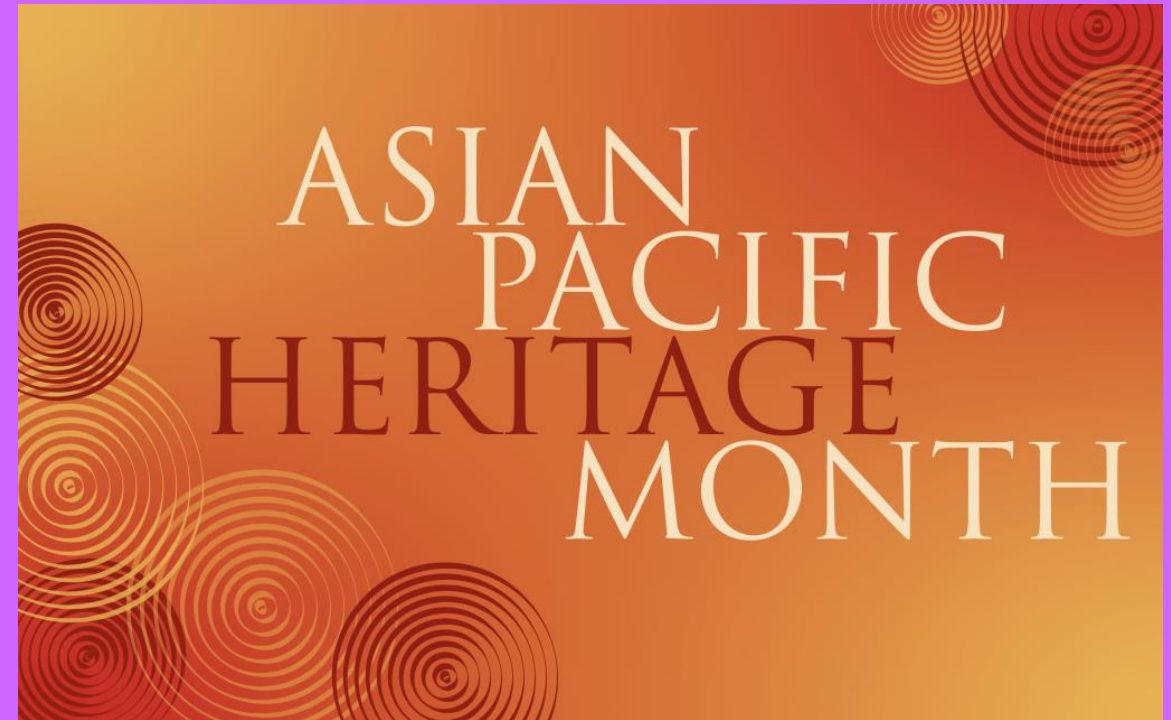
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## **Asian Heritage Month Theme is: “Advancing Leaders.”**

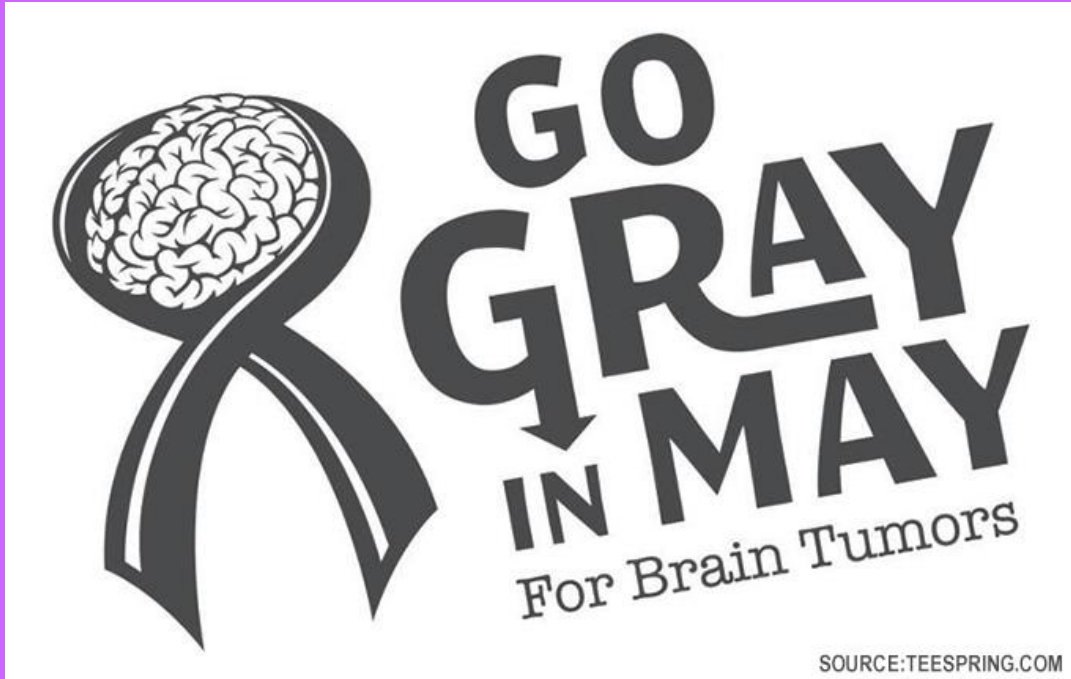
- May is Asian Heritage Month in Canada.
- It is a time to reflect on and recognize the many contributions that people of Asian origin have made and continue to make to Canada.



## May is Mental Health Awareness Month

- A call to be kind. We all have the capacity to be compassionate. In a world plagued with suffering we all possess the power to show compassion. In practicing kindness and compassion, we can all make an enormous difference in someone else's life.
- Let's take the time and make the effort to explore how compassion connects us all.



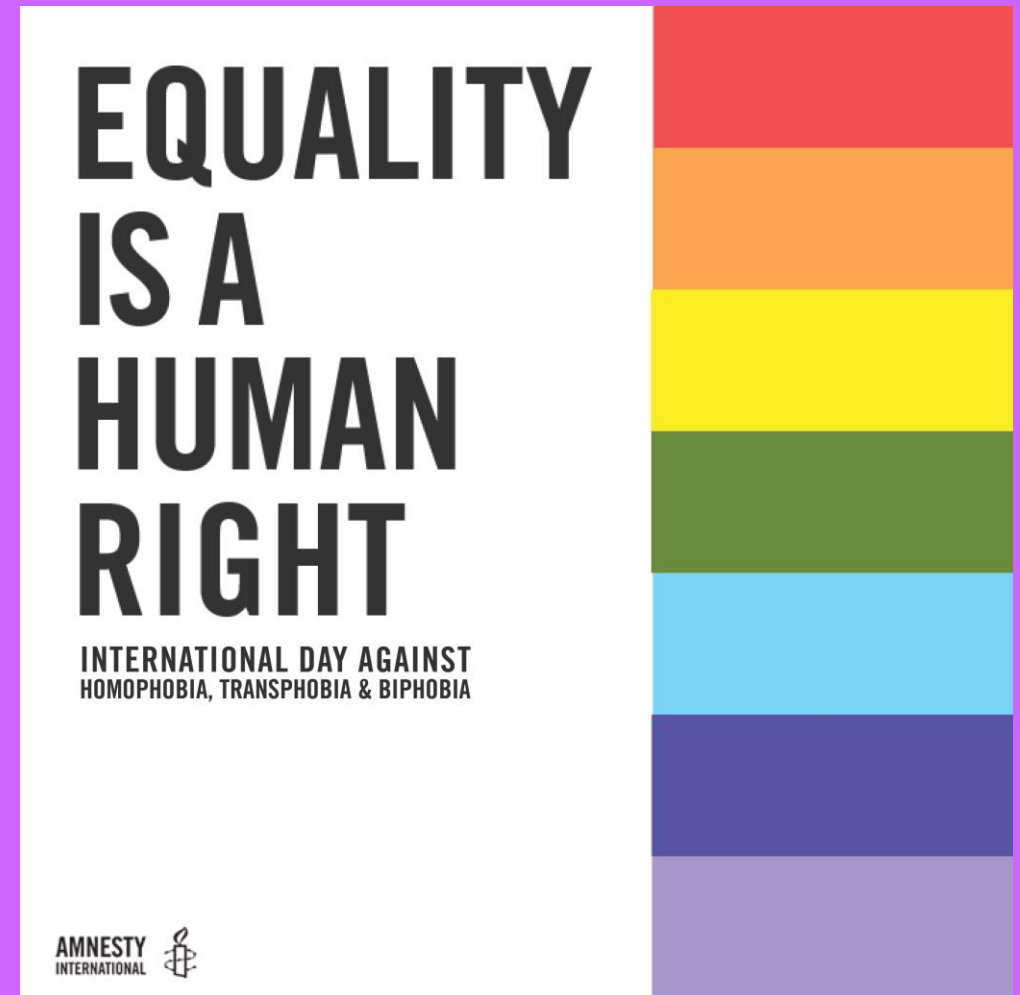


# Wear Gray in May for Brain Cancer Awareness Month

- It is time to show our support for the fighters, admire the survivors, honor the taken, and never give up hope.
- Wearing gray in May helps raise awareness for brain cancer treatment and research.

# International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia, and Biphobia

- International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia is observed annually on May 17th.
- This day was created to raise awareness and develop actionable goals to help combat the discrimination of 2SLGBTQ+ people.



# Flag Football Jamboree

- May 24<sup>th</sup> and May 25<sup>th</sup> there will be a flag football Jamboree at Shamrock Field.



# On the horizon...

## UPCOMING EVENTS IN JUNE

- June 5<sup>th</sup> – The grade 5 students with their teachers from the elementary schools will be coming for a visit.
  - June 11<sup>th</sup> – Track & Field meet at UNBSJ Rain date is June 12<sup>th</sup>.
  - June 12<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> – Grade 8 Quebec Trip.
  - June 13<sup>th</sup> – Grade 6 Bowlarama field trip from 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.
  - June 14<sup>th</sup> – Grade 7 Bowlarama field trip from 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.
  - June 17<sup>th</sup> – Outdoor Field Day.
  - June 18<sup>th</sup> - New River Beach.
  - June 19<sup>th</sup> – New River rain date.
  - June 20<sup>th</sup> - *Award assemblies during the school day, Moving Up ceremony & Year End dance.* The ceremony starts at 5:00 p.m. and the dance is from 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
- ~ More details are to follow in next week's Lightning News.

**Have a great week Barnhill!  
And remember...**

**BARNHILL DOES THEIR BEST!**

**Better  
Every  
Single  
Time**

