



Hello Thompson families,
The busyness and fun of June is here! Our **Family Date Night Fundraiser** was a huge success. Thank you to everyone who attended this event and for your support of our fundraising efforts towards a new playground! A special thank you to our PAC members who spent many many hours organizing this event.

Soon our staff will begin conversations around class placements for next year. This process is very thoughtful with multiple aspects to consider. If you have information about your child's placement for next year that you believe is crucial to this process, please email Mrs. Hoffinger prior to June 16th with the information.

Please see below for reminders of upcoming events, and the attachment for **Sports Day** information.

Track and Field

At the 2023 BC Elementary Track & Field Championships, James Thompson Elementary placed **1st in Richmond** and **4th in B.C.** among public schools! Our school was represented by 18 hard-working Thompson athletes, who made their school and community very proud of this incredible achievement. Thank you to all families for taking the time and effort to support your children in their athletic endeavours at Thompson! Also, a huge thank you to Mrs. Mcaskill for attending the event last weekend, and to all of our intermediate teachers for supporting our students. And of course, an extra special thank you to Mr. Twyford for encouraging our students to participate, and for being their number one fan at the meet all weekend long. Our tigers rock!

Participants in the B.C. Track & Field Championships included:

Gr. 7:

Nicole Zhang: 4th in the 100m & high jump, 6th in the 80m hurdles, 11th in the 200m

Gr. 5:

Mason Dahl: 4th in the 1,000m, 5th in the 4x100m, 7th in the 600m, 20th in the 100m

Kyle Zhang: 5th in the 4x100m

Ethan Zhai: 5th in the 4x100m

Juliette Shing: 13th in the 4x100m, 17th in the 1,000m

Kathy Ma: 13th in the 4x100m

Joanne Lauw: 13th in the 4x100m

Ava Xu: 13th in the 4x100m

Marilyn Tao: 16th in the 1,000m

Gr. 4:

Kyle Zhao: 5th in the 4x100m (with gr 5's), 7th in the 4x100m mixed, 10th in the 4x100m, 19th in the 60m

Adrian Li: 7th in the 4x100m mixed, 10th in the 4x100m, 31st in the 60m

Jayden Li: 10th in the 4x100m, 11th in the 600m, 37th in the 100m

Mario Ding: 10th in the 4x100m

Kevin Jing: 47th in the 100m

Molly Wilson: **Bronze medal** in the 4x100 mixed relay team with Kajaks, 13th in the 1,000m

Athena Mai: 15th in the 100m, 18th in the 60m

Hailey Chan: 7th in the 4x100m mixed

Alicia Li: 7th in the 4x100m mixed



Important Dates:

June 9th: Sports Day (pre-ordered hot lunch)

June 28th: Grade 7 farewell

June 29th: Year End assembly

June 29th: Last day of school before winter break

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to call the school at 604-668-6420 or email me at shoffinger@sd38.bc.ca

Sincerely,

Mrs. Sharon Hoffinger

Principal, James Thompson Elementary School