

Colquitz Parents' Weekly Notes

Jan. 16th – Jan. 20th

Monday, Jan. 16th

Tuesday, Jan. 17th

Wednesday, Jan. 18th

Thursday, Jan. 19th

- Red Pod Pizza sales at lunch – \$2.50/slice

Friday, Jan. 20th

- **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY—Classes not in session**

UPCOMING:

- Monday, Jan. 23rd—Farm to School Lunch
- Tuesday, Jan. 24th—PAC Meeting 7-9 p.m.
- Wednesday, Jan. 25th—Cycle 2 Enrichment begins

COLQUITZ SPIRIT WEAR FOR SALE – See Website for details

Battery Recycle—put in plastic bag and drop them in the box in the foyer! Help us SAVE THE EARTH!

It's that time of year again. **Change the World Club** is collecting toiletry items for our Survival Sock initiative. Over the past three years we have delivered over 350 socks stuffed full of useful items to the homeless on the streets of Victoria. We are collecting donations of the following items: new or nearly new adult socks (preferably in dark colours), toothbrushes, toothpaste, travel size shampoo/ lotion/ soap, granola bars, combs, mini Kleenex packages, transit passes, recreation center passes, mini notebooks/ pens/gum/ candy/hats, scarves, and or gloves. We will have Change the World Club students come around next week with a collection box for each classroom as well as having a collection box in the foyer. We are hoping to stuff at least 100 pairs of socks again this year and will be hand delivering them with the Reverend Al Tysic of the Dandelion Society on the morning of Thursday, Feb. 16.

In addition, this year, we are hoping to donate 10- 15 backpacks with similar toiletry items and some clothing for teenagers who are living in transitional housing. If you have gently used backpacks or clothing to fit 15-20 year olds these can be dropped off in the boxes as well. Thank you!

Donations will be collected until February 3rd. If you have any questions or would like to find out more on how you can become involved please see Mrs. Helton or Mrs. Zumach.

Automotive Spotlight-Tues. Jan. 17th from 8:30—11 a.m. @ Esquimalt High School We have only 4 spots available for grade 8's only. Please see Mrs. Khosla for applications.

Please check out Colquitz PAC Facebook page at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/357570267744007/>