## **Brighouse Newsletter**

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## School Schedule:

8:40 - Welcome Bell 8:45 - Classes Begin 10:10 -10:25 - Recess 11:50 - 12:42 - Lunch 2:45 - Dismissal

## **Important Dates!**

April 9	Eid Al-Fitr - the last day of Ramadan
April 9	Class Photos
April 12	Last Day to order Spirit Wear!
April 12	Jersey Day - Wear your favourite Jersey!
April 19	Frozen Yogurt (last day to purchase is April 14)
April 22	Earth Day - Wear Green/Blue!
April 25	Written Learning Updates are Published in MyEd

April 8th - 12th Week at a Glance	
Monday	
Tuesday	Class Photos Track Attack
Wednesday	Track Attack
Thursday	
Friday	Jersey Day!

Dear Families,

Yesterday you received an email from the Richmond School District about the rare event of a Solar Eclipse on Monday, April 8th. While our area of the world will not be greatly impacted by this eclipse, it's out of an abundance of caution that we will be ensuring that our students will be inside from 10:30 am - 12:20 pm. We will be adjusting our outside lunch play time on this day by having students eating their lunch before going outside at 12:25 pm. When it comes to students needing to go outside to walk to another part of the school either to go to the gym or use the bathroom, we will ensure that they are closely supervised by an adult during this time. Families are welcome to send their children to school with a hat or sunglasses to wear as well.

For more information about solar eclipse you can click on this links below:

Video:

https://www.pbs.org/video/why-the-2024-solar-eclipse-is-such-a-big-deal-g8rint/

Map:

https://www.timeanddate.com/eclipse/map/2024-april-8?n=256

On another note, Track Attack will be starting next week. Track Attack is an opportunity for students in Grades 4 - 7 to experience the events that they will have an opportunity to participate in at our Track Meet on Thursday, May 16th. Grade 3 students in Grade 3/4 classes will also be joining Track Attack, but not participating in the Track Meet. Students are recommended to be dressed for physical activity, as well as bringing a water bottle, hat and sun screen on Track Attack days.

Wishing you all good health, Kathy Pantaleo and Leah Scharf



Class Photos on April 9th! 

## BRIGHOUSE SPIRIT WEAR!

**SAVE THE DATE!** 

Thursday, May 16th is the Track Meet at Minoru for students in Grades 4 - 7.

INTERESTED IN HAVING A BRIGHOUSE BLAZER T-SHIRT OR HOODIE FOR THE TRACK MEET?

FAMILIES CAN ORDER USING SCHOOLCASHONLINE. PAPER COPIES OF THE NOTICE CAN BE PICKED UP AT THE OFFICE!



ALL ORDERS ARE DUE ON FRIDAY, APRIL 12TH