Report to P.A.C. for January

January 16, 2023

Reflections:

It is hard to believe that we are nearly at the midway point of the school year. Planning is underway for next year. We are now halfway through the second year of the quarter system, and are looking at the evidence to inform decisions for the following year, including achievement, attendance, and connection. Staff have been surveyed on the benefits and challenges of the system. Students and parents will be consulted before a decision.

The ministry has released the draft assessment and reporting policy, set for implementation in September 2023. We have formed an assessment team with Timberline to review the documents and prepare district tools to meet the implementation goals. The new reporting policy fits closely with the 'new' curriculum with a student centred design.

Carihi hosted a wrestling tournament over the weekend and had several wrestlers win their weight divisions.

Some exciting events on the horizon include the Open Mic at Rivercity Theatre this Saturday evening. This is the second open mic this school year. The last event had many Carihi students showcase their talents. I am looking forward to another great evening. Finally, the senior boys basketball team host a tournament in our gym, starting on January 26th. It should be a good event and is a clear representation of school spirit as the gym will be full of spectators.

Student Success Plan/School District Strategic Plan

- Improve student achievement
 - o Assessment and Reporting Team (collaboration with Timberline and Robron)
 - Build a Culture of Learning and Wellness
 - o Scope and Sequencing (Mental and Sexual Health Curriculum)
 - o Book Club 'Stolen Focus'
 - o Jordan's Principle application
- Honour Indigenous World Views and Perspectives
 - o Legacy Canoe Update

Upcoming Events:

<u>January</u>

21 Youth Open Mic Night – Rivercity stage

23-27 Provincial Assessment

31 Assessment Focus Day

February

- 1 Q2 Ends
- 1 Assessment Focus Day
- 2 Q3 Begins
- 10 Report Cards go home
- 10 Grad Photo Friends & Pets @ the studio
- 16 Grad Photo Re-take
- 17 Non-Instructional Day
- 20 BC Family Day school closed

<u>March</u>

- 6 Non-Instructional Day
- 8-10 Interim Report to Families
- 23 SD 72 Music Show Case in Carihi Gym
- 27-7 Spring Break school closed

<u>April</u>

- 1-7 Spring Break school closed
- 10 Easter school closed
- 11 First Day Back
- 19-22 Carihi presents "Newsies"
- 24-25 Assessment Focus Day
- 24-28 Provincial Assessment
- 25 Q3 Ends
- 26 Q4 Starts
- 27-30 Bands going to Sun peaks (Con Brio Music Festival)

<u>May</u>

- 22 Victoria Day school closed
- 24-26 Interim Reports to Families

<u>June</u>

- 6 Scholarship & Bursary evening
- 8 Indigenous Student Graduation
- 17 Prom
- 19-23 Provincial Assessment
- 21 Bands Concert 7 PM
- 27-28 Assessment Focus Day
- 28 Q4 Ends
- 29 Grad Commencement
- 30 Administration Day