

Middle School NEWS



River Valley School - a safe and happy place to learn

September 5th, 2023

Dear Parents or Guardian:

Gym Strip:

At River Valley School, all grade 6, 7 and 8 students must wear a River Valley t-shirt as part of their gym strip. These shirts help us to identify our students at sports events and different outdoor school based activities (i.e. Terry Fox Run, Kilometre Club). They have a name patch on the side to help students to identify which shirt is theirs. The shirts are durable and can be used through to the end of grade 8 if you wish to. **T-shirts cost \$20.00.**

Locks

Students in grade 6, 7 and 8 are required to have a school supplied lock on their assigned locker. For safety reasons the school needs to be able to access each locker. **Locks cost \$15.00 (\$35.00 for both)**

If your son or daughter has a River Valley lock or t-shirt from the previous year they are free to use them. The lock must be in good working order and the shirt must not be defaced in any way (sleeves cut off, ripped or torn).

It is easiest to pay online for the locks and shirts. We accept both cards (debit/credit) or cash at the school if you are unable to. To pay online:

- go to <https://www.studentquickpay.com/chinook/> or you can go to www.cesd73.ca, select Quick Links from the Menu and follow the Online Fee Payment links .
- grade 7 / 8 parents will need to select to purchase a lock and / or a shirt.

Locks and t-shirts will be available for pick up and purchase by students from the school office beginning **Wednesday, September 6th** (students will be called down).

If you have any questions or concerns regarding school t-shirts or PE dress requirements you can contact your child's **Phys.Ed. teacher** or **Ian Mulholland** at **(403) 638-3939 ext - 4006**.

If you have questions regarding school locks you can contact **Ian Mulholland**.

Thank you,

Ian Mulholland
vice-principal