

EDMONTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: E. Schmidt, Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: Celebration of Multiculturalism: Evansdale Elementary School

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INFORMATION

The Government of Canada has designated June 27 of each year as *Canadian Multiculturalism Day*. The purpose of this day is to celebrate Canada's diversity and commitment to democracy, equality, and mutual respect, and to appreciate the contribution of the various multicultural groups and communities to Canadian society.

In recognition of this day, Evansdale Elementary School has been invited to make a presentation to the Board of Trustees regarding the welcoming and culturally diverse learning environment at their school. The presentation will include brief comments from the principal, assistant principal, some students, and school staff. At the conclusion of the presentation, Trustees are invited to offer their comments and questions.

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