## <u>CPF-Saanich Kindergarten / Grade 12</u> <u>Gift Exchange</u>

Founded in our district, this special celebration is gaining popularity with other CPF Chapters around the province.

This beloved event was created 19 years ago with the idea of *celebrating* the success of graduating French immersion students and *welcoming* a new generation of French language learners.

This year's Gift Exchange will be held on April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012. Participants are asked to arrive at Stelly's Secondary by 6pm for sign-in.

Would you consider helping us to organize next year's event? Our K/12 event coordinator is unable to continue next year. We are looking for someone to learn the role for next year.

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# SD63 French Immersion Summer Camps

A reminder that Panorama Rec is now taking online registration for the following courses:

SD63 - FRENCH PRE-IMMERSION
EXPERIENCE (for children entering
French immersion at the kindergarten or
grade 1 level); and

SD63 - LET'S PLAY AND PRACTICE OUR FRENCH (for children who have completed kindergarten or grade one in French immersion).

Both classes will be offered during the week of Aug.13 to 17th, 2012 and will be held at KELSET Elementary. Two time options available: 9am to 11am and 1pm to 3pm.

## **Need Magazines for the Summer?**

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Looking to purchase some magazines for summer reading? Please consider ordering through us. Visit <a href="www.QSP.ca">www.QSP.ca</a> and use our Group #16681.

QSP offers reading options for all members of the family.

### **Have You Found Us on Facebook?**

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www.facebook.com/cpf.saanich

"Like" us for easy and timely access to resources and information intended to help you and your child.

In the month of March alone we posted lots of information, including:

- the location of a website that allows families to organize an exchange with other families in Canada or abroad:
- how to use your Greater Victoria library card to access free online language courses (French, German, Italian, Spanish, even Pirate);
- a notice of the Victoria French Fest held in downtown Victoria; and
- a link to TumbleBooks (where you and your child can listen and read French stories while following along with the images).

#### Our Next Meeting

Tuesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> Keating Elementary



Meetings start at 7pm.



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