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April 28, 2025

Dear Parents/Guardians of Division 5,

On Friday, May 23rd, Division 5 will be participating in the Sierra Club of BC environmental outdoor education workshop, **Plants & People: Making Connections**, which will be held here at the school, in the large forest.

Students will explore the relationship with the beings just outside their doors. This is done through systems thinking, inviting place-based connections into the broader picture. Learners explore how ecosystems offer many connected pathways between plants, humans, and other beings; celebrating sustainability, biodiversity, and storytelling centered in place-based authentic voice.

The cost of this workshop is \$6.00

Parents are asked to complete the form below and send payment to the school by Tuesday, May 6th. If paying by cheque please make it payable to Sunshine Hills Elementary.

We realize that some of the activities scheduled throughout the year may be a financial burden for some families, and as we do not wish to see any student deprived of the opportunity to participate in special activities like this, the school would like to offer to help with the cost, if necessary. Please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Hanlon or Mr. Rodgers in confidence if you would like some assistance.

Thank you for your assistance in making this presentation possible.

Mrs. Wilson
Classroom Teacher

CONSENT FORM

I give permission for _____, Div. 5 to participate in the workshop being presented by the Sierra Club, taking place on Friday, May 23, 2025.

[] Enclosed is \$6.00 (*Cheques payable to Sunshine Hills Elementary.*)

Printed name of Parent/Guardian

Signed by Parent/Guardian

Date