



Millgrove School's Annual Terry Fox Run

"Anything is possible if you try". - Terry Fox

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Scheduled School Run: Wednesday, September 29th

Time: 1:45pm to 2:45 pm

Millgrove will continue with its annual Terry Fox Run this year. Terry ran in all types of weather and the Terry Fox School Run will occur rain or shine on that day.

Due to Covid protocols we are **not** able to have volunteers or spectators come to the school on the day of the run.

Why Are We Running?

Simply Put: To end cancer.

Cancer has, unfortunately, touched the lives of so many people and almost every family has had a loved one affected by this terrible disease.

On the day of the run place this sticker on your child's back to show who they are running for.



How to Donate?

Online:

- Our school's fundraising page is:
<http://www.terryfox.ca/MillgrovePSMillgrove>

We are **NOT** able to accept cash or cheque donations due to Covid protocols.



Buy at T-shirt:

- \$15 for youth - Size 6X or 10
- \$20 for adult

Go to <https://shop.terryfox.org/collections/2021-terry-fox-run-t-shirt> Orders can be made individually, due to Covid protocols, the school is unable to make a bulk order through Terry Fox School Run. Your purchase will not be added to Millgrove's fundraising total but it is going towards cancer research.

The story behind this year's shirt:

The Fox Family are proud Canadians. Like many families, they wanted to research their heritage and discovered their Métis lineage on the Gladue side of the family (Betty Fox's mom was Marian Gladue). To honour this history, the family liaised with Métis Nation BC to create the 2021 Terry Fox Run t-shirt.

The design celebrates Terry's heritage, with illustrations of traditional Métis floral beading created by Métis artist Mal Blondeau (the Métis are known as the Flower Beadwork People.) The flowers chosen honour the land where Terry's ancestors lived: the prairie crocus of Manitoba and the wild prairie rose of North Dakota. The Foundation's mission - to fund cancer research - is written in English, French and the Métis traditional language of Michif, as is the phrase "Try Like Terry", in honour of his remarkable effort. The back of the shirt includes a mouse track beadwork border with the Métis infinity symbol.

We look forward to another successful Terry Fox Run at Millgrove School.

Thanks again for all your support,

Alison Mason