



McKenzie Weekly



Thursday, November 10, 2022

McKenzie Elementary School wishes to recognize and acknowledge the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations, on whose traditional territories, we live, we learn, we play and we do our work.

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Thank you so much to everyone that was able to attend our first in-person Remembrance Day Assembly. We are very grateful for all of the families that were able to contribute family photos and details for our slideshow. We hope that each of you will take a moment tomorrow to attend a community Remembrance Day Service or to pause at 11:00 A.M. for a moment of silence to remember all of our military veterans and active members of our Armed Forces.



Carmen

Carmen Gauvreau (she/her)

Monday
Nov. 14

PRO D-DAY
(No school for students)

Tuesday
Nov. 15

Skating
Div. 6 and 7
@9:30-10:30 A.M.
Div. 4 and 12
@10:45-11:45 A.M.

Strong Start
closed

Wednesday
Nov. 16

Thursday
Nov. 17

Skating
Div. 2 and 8
@9:30-10:30 A.M.

Salish Sea
Div. 1 and 3
@9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

Friday
Nov. 18

PAC
Hot lunch

UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE

Nov. 21 - Victoria Disability Awareness Centre presentation for Grade 3 students
Nov. 22 - Skating Div. 1, 9, 10, and 11
Nov. 22 - Field Trip to Swan Lake Div. 5
Nov. 24 - Skating Div. 2 and 3
Nov. 28 - Victoria Disability Awareness Centre presentation Grade 4&5

Nov. 29 - Skating Div. 6 and 7
Dec. 5 - Choir City Hall
Dec. 9 - PAC Hot lunch
Dec. 14 - PAC Meeting
Dec. 15 - Winter Concert

CLOTHING EXCHANGE PROGRAM

The Clothing Exchange is a FREE resource for ALL McKenzie families, it also comes in handy when kids have accidents or falls and need to change into dry clothes at school.



Please pop by the office to visit the clothing exchange or make a drop off.

NOTE: We need larger size clothes (pants and warm coats are needed most).

REMINDER: SPECIAL FOOD DAY!



The next Special Food Day is next Friday, November 18 for Pizza and Sushi.

Order deadline is on Sunday 13. Orders can be placed by visiting:

<https://mckenzie.hotlunches.net>

Any questions? Please email mckenziehotlunch@gmail.com

1Up Victoria Single Parent Resource Centre

1Up Victoria Single Parent Resource Centre is a registered charitable organization that has been committed to serving the varied and changing needs of single parent families in the Greater Victoria area since 1978. They provide practical support, opportunities for growth and a sense of hope to single parent families across Greater Victoria.

Guided by skilled and committed staff and trained volunteers, as 1Up offers important services to create foundations for personal and community growth in a welcoming and non-judgmental environment. We are committed to offering effective services that accommodate individual differences and respond to changing needs. Currently we are serving over 1,800 families in the Greater Victoria community. Please see the link below for more details:

<https://singleparentvictoria.ca/>

Mental Health and Wellness SNAPSHOT

November 2022 Early Learning and Elementary Snapshot. This month's topic is ***The power of sleep!***

You will find more information on our McKenzie website:

<https://mckenzie.sd61.bc.ca/snap-shot/>



The POWER of SLEEP

November 2022

MCKENZIE PAC & INTERACTIVITY BOARD GAME CAFE PRESENT:

BOARD GAME NIGHT

November 24th • 6-7:30 PM
McKenzie School Library

ENTRANCE BY DONATION.
SNACKS FOR SALE - CASH ONLY




SIGN UP NOW!

Greater Victoria GREEN TEAM
GreaterVictoriaCanada.ca

RESTORE NATURE AND MAKE FRIENDS IN SAANICH WITH THE GREATER VICTORIA GREEN TEAM

Date: Saturday November 12, 2022
Time: 9:45am-1pm
Location: Cuthbert Holmes Park, Saanich
Sign-Up: bit.ly/nov12greenteam



NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY! All ages, abilities & experience levels welcome. Instruction, tools, gloves & refreshments provided.

Activity made possible through funding from Saanich Community Grants and The Victoria Foundation




Questions? Email Maria Varem, Program Manager, at maria@greenteamsCanada.ca

VICTORIA ROYALS HOCKEY GAMES

The Victoria Royals is offering a \$15.00 ticket promo price for SD61 families to attend select hockey games this upcoming season.

VICTORIA ROYALS HOCKEY CLUB
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GREATER VICTORIA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61

\$15* TICKETS USING PROMO CODE: **SD61**



VISIT SELECTYOURTICKETS.COM
*Excluding the Nov. 20th game. \$20 TICKETS will be available for the Nov. 28th game. LIMITED AVAILABILITY

AVAILABLE GAMES

NOV 12 HOCKEY FOR ALL VS. PORTLAND	JAN 14 LUNAR NEW YEAR VS. KELOWNA
NOV 26 KIDS TAKE OVER VS. REGINA	JAN 28 ECO NIGHT VS. KAMLOOPS
DEC 16 TEDDY BEAR TOSS VS. TRI-CITY	FEB 20 FAMILY DAY (SKATE WITH PLAYERS) VS. SEATTLE
DEC 17 CHRISTMAS CLASSIC VS. TRI-CITY	FEB 26 STAR WARS DAY VS. EVERETT


