





CAULFEILD IDEC ELEMENTARY **E-BULLETIN**

Thursday, October 15, 2020 E-Bulletin

Bears Calendar

October	15	Admissions for the 2021-22 school year is open
	16	Bear Wear Fridays
	23	Professional Development Day - no school for students
	30	Halloween Costume Parade (Virtual)
November	1	Daylight Savings Time
	5	Photo Retakes
	10	Remembrance Day Virtual Assembly
	11	Pomembrance Day Heliday No School

School Forms are PAST DUE

Click here for the: 2020/2021 IDEC School Calendar

To date we have only received 64% of the online Policies and Procedures form. If you have not

submitted the online form for your child(ren) please do so as soon as possible.

Click the image to watch the video:

How You Can Help!



Please remember to perform a Daily Health Check with your children prior to drop off each morning.

Daily Health Checks

Daily Health Check Translations: Arabic, Farsi, Korean, Simplified Chinese, Tagalog

We are thankful to all our families for being patient and supporting all our Health and Safety policies

Reminders for a Safe and Healthy School

and procedures. This week we have a few reminders to help us create a happy and healthy school. Please continue to do a Daily Health Check (see links above). Watch Ms. Bell's Video from last weeks with tips to help our community (see above).

- Ensure your child/children arrive at school with all the items they need for the day. This
- includes: charged laptops, water bottles, lunches, cutlery and rain gear. The school is not able to provide any of these items to students, and having items dropped off during the school day is challenging to negotiate for our office team. Arrive on time: students are not able to enter the building unaccompanied by a staff member.
- Hand sanitization is part of our entry process and late students affect this process.



well as learning about our Great Canadian Hero. Thank you for your participation! Through your donations we raised **\$412.50** for the Terry

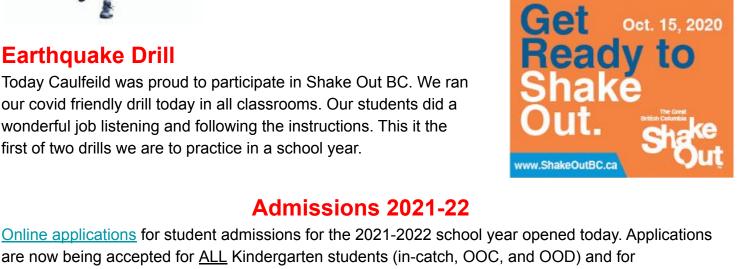
Terry Fox Run Donations It was wonderful to see classes running for Terry Fox last week, as

Fox Foundation to support Cancer Research.

wonderful job listening and following the instructions. This it the

first of two drills we are to practice in a school year. Admissions 2021-22

our covid friendly drill today in all classrooms. Our students did a



<u>IN-CATCHMENT</u> students in Grades 1 – 12. If your child is already attending Caulfeild you **do not**

need to re-apply for next school year. **Registration for High School:** If your first choice high school is Rockridge, you are not required to complete an online application (regardless of where you live). Rockridge counsellors will be visiting Caulfeild in late winter/early spring and distributing transfer forms at that time. However, if your first choice for secondary school

is somewhere other than Rockridge, you must complete an online application according to the student registration timelines.

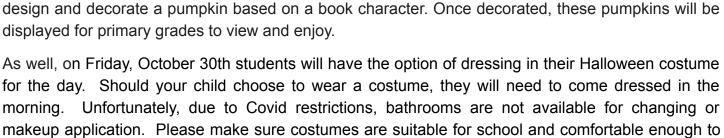
completed this form please click the above link!

classes into the building at their exact entry time.

K-2 students arrive time 8:20-8:30 3-5 student arrive time 8:30-8:40

Halloween Activities

Though this year's Halloween celebrations will look a little different, we will still be having some Covid-friendly Halloween fun in classrooms this year. The Intermediate students will be asked to



be in all day through various activities. We ask that heavy make-up, masks, inflatable costumes and accessories' such as weapons, are not worn to school this year. We will create a school-wide slideshow of all the students costumes by division. Teachers will be able to share this presentation with their classes in the afternoon.

We would love to share our Halloween Slideshow with families but we need all the Policies and Procedures forms completed to ensure we have permission to publish photos. If you have not

Timely Arrival Thank you for assisting your child to arrive at school on time. Schedules and routines are an extremely important part of our Health and Safety procedures. Classes are led into the building one cohort at a time for careful hand sanitization. Late arrivals add a complexity to this procedure we

hope to avoid. Students may arrive up to 10 minutes before their entry time. Teachers take their

6-7 students arrive time 8:40-8:50

Student Absence If your child will be absent we ask that you inform the office before classes begin, either by email to caulfeild@wvschools.ca or by leaving a voicemail at 604-981-1205. Please be sure to inform the office even if you have already notified your child's teacher.

Procedure for Late Arrivals and Early Pick-Ups Though we strongly encourage students to arrive and leave school during their scheduled times, we understand that there are occasionally extenuating circumstances that cannot be helped. When that

Early Pick-Ups: Students needing to leave early Late Arrivals: Students needing to arrive late are

are asked to leave at the beginning of one of the asked to come at the end of one of the two outdoor recess breaks and enter with their class. two outdoor recess breaks and exit through the main doors to be picked up at the top of the K- 3 students at **10:30 am** or **12:20 pm** roundabout. 4-7 students at **10:55 am** or **1:00 pm**

Ms. Bell <u>SBell@wvschools.ca</u> or submit them <u>here</u>.

fundraisers available to us at this point.

is the case please follow the guidelines below:

Caulfeild PAC

K- 3 students at **10:10am or 12:00pm** 4-7 students at 10:35 am or 12:40 pm.

We are starting to collect COVID-related questions/comments for our Board of Education Chair,

Carolyn Broady. Carolyn is also Vice President of the BC School Trustees Association. Carolyn has agreed to bring up the submitted questions and concerns at her upcoming BCSTA meetings. You can

Questions for the West Vancouver Board of Education Chair

submit your question here. We continue collecting Questions for the Principal as well. You may send your questions directly to

Call for Div 8 Room Parent Volunteer We are reaching out to Division 8 parents. You are the only division without the Room Parent. If you

want to have a better connection with your teacher and other families in your division, please consider volunteering for a Div 8 Room Parent position. Contact CPAC at capac@wvschools.ca if you are interested.

Fundraising Committee Initiatives As we are all aware, this year school is very different and with that so is raising much needed funds for the school. In previous years, we have had amazing social functions at Caulfeild IDEC as well as our hot lunch program. These fundraisers helped us to purchase iPads, furniture, water refill stations, just to name a few. This year we have had to change our direction as we don't have many of our traditional

Our awesome fast growing fundraising committee is already putting some wheels into motion and launching several new initiatives. If anyone has any thoughts on ways to fundraise or wants to join the fundraising committee, please contact Rhiannon, the head of the committee: rhi t@hotmail.com



MOM'S PANTRY FUNDRAISER

This year we have partnered with a Canadian company called "Mom's Pantry." This company has created an online fundraising platform for school's all over Canada. It is simple to use, all online and the products look fantastic. Get ready to stock both your pantry and your freezer!

- Simply go to their <u>website</u>
 Select your items to purch
- 2. Select your items to purchase, proceed to checkout when complete
- When checking out, select the FUNDRAISER ORDER (GROUP PICK UP)
 Enter our fundraiser ORDER
- NUMBER: 320798

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- 5. Enter our fundraiser password: <u>36843</u>6. Enter your child/student first and last
- name in the seller's fields.

We will keep the ordering open until October

<u>30th, 2020.</u>

Much like our hot lunch program, Caulfeild IDEC will receive commissions on the sale of products. The commission is 20-40%, depending on the item. Once ordering is closed, products will be delivered within two weeks. They deliver to only one location to ensure they can keep their costs down thus we profit more too. We will set up a drive through delivery with parent volunteers, ensuring all safety protocols are being met. Pick up location will be determined once we have a place that is convenient and safe for everyone.

Please encourage your family and friends to use our codes as well but keep in mind they will be delivered to our location only.

Stock up your pantry and help support CPAC student initiatives at the same time!

Online Chess Club

Online Chess Club registration is NOW open to Caulfeild students at a discounted rate. Presented by: Chess Master James Chan. Beginners and experienced players, aged 6-11 are welcome. Classes will be conducted via zoom. It is recommended that students have an Ipad or laptop for the online lessons. A chesskid.com premium account worth \$70 a year will be included.

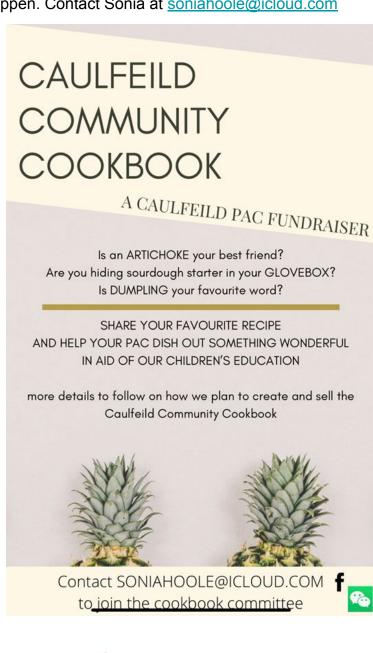


Beginners: *Mondays* 3:30 to 4:30 (October 5th to December 14th) \$125 Age 6+ Intermediate-Advanced: *Tuesdays* 5:00 to 6:30 (October 6th to December 15th) \$220 Ages 7+ Beginners-Intermediate: *Wednesdays* 5:00 to 6:30 (October 7th to December 16th) \$200 Ages 6+ Intermediate-Advanced: *Saturdays* 5:00 to 6:30 (October 10th to December 19th) \$220 Ages 7+

Contact chan_james17@hotmail.com to enroll your child in the online chess club. Pro-rated fees will apply to anyone that joins in the middle of the term. Please mention you are from Caulfeild School and 10% of your registration fees will be donated back to the Caulfeild PAC- thank you!

Caulfeild Community Cookbook entered initiative is still in the planning stage. J

This yummy community-centered initiative is still in the planning stage. Join our special Cookbook Committee to make it happen. Contact Sonia at sonialdole@icloud.com



CPAC Facebook Group: https://www.facebook.com/groups/125976944278678/ (You need to answer

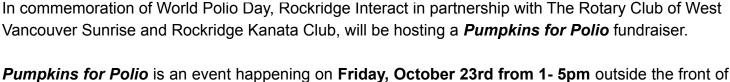
Connect with Us

two questions to join this closed group!)

Email: capac@wvschools.ca

Website: https://westvancouverschools.ca/caulfeild-elementary/parents/

Community Corner



Rockridge Secondary School by the gym entrance. As you enter the school driveway, volunteers will be on hand to provide instructions. Please consider purchasing a pumpkin donated by Save-On Foods with a minimum donation of \$5 to help support End Polio, World Polio Day, and local Rockridge clubs. Pandemic health and safety regulations will be followed.

All proceeds will go towards Rotary International's Polio Plus campaign, a campaign dedicated to eradicating Polio - an infectious, debilitating, and potentially life threatening disease. Every \$5 donated will fully protect a child against Polio.

Feel free to contact us at our email: rockridgeinteract@gmail.com if you have any questions or

comments concerning this event. And please spread the word to help make this event a big success!

West Vancouver District Parent Advisory Council Presents:

TECH, COVID & KIDS: RESET YOUR
HOME FOR HEALTHY HABITS

THE FORUM FOR DIALOGUE AND LEARNING

Wednesday, October 21 | 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Free Virtual Parent Event - REGISTER HERE

Learn about the impact of tech on your children's development, and hear solutions for how to reset unhealthy tech habits.



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