Thursday, March 9th, 2023 E-Bulletin

Bears Calendar

March 10	Fri	Pajama Day and/or **Bear Wear Day** Term 2 CSL posted on MyEd Family Portal
Mar 27	Mon	Welcome Back! *No After School Programs Until April*
March 30	Thur	ArtStarts Performance - Colours of Brazil
Future Dates to Note		
Apr 3-6	Mon	Sleep Week After School Program Dates: Monday: Basketball in the Den April 3rd - June 19 Chess Club in the library Apr 3rd, 2023 -June 26th Tuesday: Lights Up in the Music Room April 4 - May 30 Wednesday: Sportball in the Den April 19 - June 21 Friday: Zen Labs in the Learning Commons April 14 - May 12
Apr 4	Tue	Ultimate Game #1
Apr 7	Fri	Good Friday
Apr 10	Mon	Easter Monday

2022/2023 IDEC School Calendar

Learning at iDEC

Hello Families,

What a week!

On Tuesday, we had the pleasure of welcoming School Board Trustee Felicia Zhu and Superintendent Chris Kennedy to Caulfeild to share some of the places, spaces and people that make iDEC unique. Students were proud to show off their simple machine pinball games, thermal energy boxes, class salmon, history research, and so much more.

We were excited to welcome families to Caulfeild on Wednesday for our Student Led Conferences. Every opportunity that we have to welcome families to iDEC is a joy for teachers. We were happy to see students demonstrating the Bear Traits of Reflective, Vulnerable, Supportive and Courageous when sharing their learning with families. It was a pleasure to welcome you to all of our learning spaces once again.

Today we hosted our Jump Rope For Heart School Wide Event. Thanks to our Caulfeild iDEC families, we raised $3335 for the Heart and Stroke Foundation. When we began the Jump Rope initiative, we challenged students to raise $500, and if we did someone would have a chance to throw a pie in Mr. Blackburn's face. For every $500, another pie to the face. Below you'll see that we successfully raised enough money to throw six pies. Even Mrs. Hulme and Ms. Lefeaux got pied! Well done, Caulfeild Community!

Tonight is our Caulfeild Movie Night! Remember that you need to register in advance to participate, and that all students need to be accompanied by an adult. Families can bring blankets and pillows to get cozy, though we'll have some chairs out for those who prefer it.

Communicating Student Learning documents will be posted to the Family Portal by the end of the day on Friday March 10th. We will return to school on Monday, March 27th.

-Nathan

Jump Rope for Heart

Jump Rope for Heart is the school FUNdraising event that nobody wants to skip. Students discover fun ways to get active, practice healthy habits and learn about helping others while raising money to beat heart disease and stroke.

Thank you Caulfeild Families for your generous donations! We had our exciting pie throwing event today where Mr. Blackburn, Mrs. Hulme and Ms. Lefeaux had a total of 6 pies thrown and $3335 raised for the Heart and Stroke Foundation. Classes were invited into the gym to skip with their buddy class as an exciting wrap up event. Thank you to our Local Initiatives Club members and Ms. Lefeaux and Ms. Ellis.

Lost and Found

The lost and found is overflowing! Please take a look to see if anything belongs to your family. We will ask students to do the same throughout the week of March 6 -10. Items left in the lost and found are donated to a North Shore Charity if they remain unclaimed.

Call Back for Lates and Absences

Please remember to use the call back line (604-981-1205) if your child will be late or absent from school. You may also choose to email the teacher along with caulfeild@wvschools.ca with the same information.

Bear Sports

A huge congratulations to our Grade 7 boys basketball team on their 1st place standing after last Thursday's tournament at WVSS. Their final game against Cedardale was a nail biter! The championship trophy will be on display after it is engraved with Caulfeild! Thank you to all the coaches, Mrs. Stevens, Mr. Santos, Mrs. Hulme, Mrs. Vukelic and volunteer high school student, Jason for all of your dedication and expertise this season.

CPAC Announcements March 9th

Grade 7 Farewell Committee

A huge thank you to all the Caulfeild families for making our cupcake sale a great success. The cupcakes were extremely popular and all sold out within ten minutes! We were able to raise $1001.75 for the grade 7 Farewell. It was wonderful to see the grade 7's take leadership and pride in their fundraiser. Thanks once again for making our cupcake sale a great success.

Hot Lunch - Term 3

Hot Lunch ordering for Term 3 will start Monday, March 13th on munchalunch.com. Deadline to order lunch for the first day back is March 20th. Please remember, orders and payment must be received 7 days prior to lunch delivery. If you have any comments about the hot lunch program in terms of how to make it better for 2023-24 school year please send me feedback at candacehavelock75@gmail.com

After School Programs Spring Term

We are pleased to announce that our after school programs will start week of April 3rd, except sportball which will start a week later. Click the Link below to register for after school programs in the spring term.

Link: After School Programs Spring Term

Connect with CPAC

Website: https://westvancouverschools.ca/caulfeild-elementary/parents/
Facebook: CPAC Facebook Group (You need to answer two questions to join this closed group)
Twitter: @CaulfieldPAC
Email: capac@wvschools.ca

WV Community Corner

WVS Premier Sports Academies

The WVS Premier Sports Academies are accepting registrations for the 2023-2024 school year. Please note the following tryout dates for students going into Grade 8 to 12 this September. Students register online for the Basketball Academy (https://westvancouverschools.ca/academies/basketball) and Volleyball Academy (https://westvancouverschools.ca/academies/volleyball) and the Academy Office will provide further communication regarding the try outs.

VOLLEYBALL ACADEMY TRYOUTS
Wednesday March 29th 3:30 to 5:00 West Van Secondary New Gym
Thursday March 30th 3:30 to 5:00 West Van Secondary New Gym

BASKETBALL ACADEMY TRYOUTS
Tuesday April 4th (RTC 1 & 2) 3:30 to 5:00 West Van Secondary Old Gym
Wednesday April 5th (Development) - 3:30 to 5:00 West Van Secondary Old Gym

Premier Academies and District Programs

Summer Learning

2023 Summer Learning with West Vancouver Schools

Are you interested in learning during the summer? West Vancouver Schools will be offering a robust Summer Learning Program for both elementary and secondary students during July 2023.

Online registration for both the elementary and secondary Summer Learning programs opens on Monday, April 3 at 8:00 AM. More information about courses, locations, attendance etc. can be found on the Summer Learning information flyers (elementary or secondary) or on the Summer Learning Website.

Early Learning

Connect With Us

Chris Kennedy Superintendent - WV Schools

Get insight into the thoughts and ideas of Chris Kennedy, Superintendent of the West Vancouver School District. Read his latest blog and follow him on Twitter to learn more from the CEO of WV Schools in: https://cultureofyes.ca/ or https://twitter.com/chrkennedy

We would love to have you connect with us and follow our Caulfeild School Twitter account! Many of our staff are active Twitter users and our CPAC also uses Twitter regularly.

Take a virtual tour of Caulfeild iDEC in less than two minutes. Visit our learning spaces on this narrated tour and begin to understand more about our vision for learning. Please share this video with potential new families to help them learn more about All Things iDEC.

The iDEC News is a wonderful way for us to bring you learning stories happening at iDEC as told by our very own students. We are very pleased to share the link to our YouTube channel to access our most recent iDEC News, as well as, past editions since 2019.

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