



CHARTWELL ELEMENTARY E-BULLETIN

November 9, 2023 NEWS AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION BULLETIN

IMPORTANT THIS WEEK:

- **Remembrance Day Ceremony Tomorrow**
- Spirit Wear on sale!

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November 10	Remembrance Day Ceremony - 10:50am
November 13	Remembrance Day Stat Holiday - SCHOOL CLOSED
November 14	Reading Break - SCHOOL CLOSED
November 17	Family Badminton Starts
December 4	Professional Development Day - SCHOOL CLOSED
December 8	Student Learning Update

UPCOMING SCHOOL CLOSURES

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13 All schools are closed Monday, November 13 for the Remembrance Day statutory holiday. All West Vancouver schools will be closed. We encourage families to join the District of West Vancouver in recognizing this important day at the public ceremony at the West Vancouver Cenotaph, across the street from the public library on Marine Drive.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Reading Day break and school will not be in session this day.

UPCOMING REMEMBRANCE DAY ASSEMBLY



Join us on tomorrow, November 10th at 10:50 AM for our Remembrance Day assembly as we come together to honor and remember the sacrifices of our brave Canadian men and women who fought and continue to fight for our freedom and peace.

Families are welcome to join us, but please be aware that once we have all of our students and staff seated, audience seating will be limited. Doors open at 10:35 for parents interested in attending.

Suggents are encouraged to bring a small donation (\$1 or \$2) for their poppy. All proceeds are donated to the West Vancouver Legion to support their ongoing efforts around Remembrance Day.

If families would like to observe Remembrance Day services in West Vancouver, click here for more information.

Diwali, India's biggest and most important holiday of the year, is a festival of lights that celebrates the triumph of light over darkness, good over evil and the human ability to overcome. Wishing your Diwali and life to be abundant with joy, light, and love. Happy Diwali!



CSL Reports/Family Portal (GR K-7)

In December, First Term Communicating Student Learning Reports will be posted on the Family Portal. NO COMMUNICATING STUDENT LEARNING DOCUMENTS WILL BE SENT HOME IN PAPER FORM. (Please be sure to print a copy for your records.) Our hope is to ensure that you are ready to access these documents by setting up your MyEd BC Family Portal now. To date an email with information about how to set up your Family Portal account was sent out to new families from systemadmin@myeducation.gov.bc.ca. Further information about the Family Portal and your My Education BC Password was sent to new families earlier this month from Chartwell school. The district has provided a great deal of useful information and has answered frequently asked questions about the Family Portal at this

link: https://westvancouverschools.ca/family-portal

Troubleshooting Tips:

- The portal will not work with a cell phone or tablet. You will need to use a PC or laptop. 1.
- The portal works best if you are using Google Chrome. 2.
- Don't copy and paste your username and password. You will need to type it in. 3.
- Enable pop ups. 4.
- Video instructions (4 min) 5.
- Families who have an existing Family Portal -When you log in it will say "Your password 6. has expired. Please create a new password". Hit OK and follow the instructions on how to create a new password.
- Click "I forgot my password" if you cannot remember your password a reset link will be 7. sent to your email as with other secure sites.

Please contact Ms. Douglas at jdouglas@wvschools.ca if you need further assistance.

MyEd: Parent Student Login - BC Services card Login Option

There is now a new option for MyEd Logins. This change will give parents and students the option to login to their MyEd accounts using their BC Services Card. The hope is that this will remove the need for updating or resetting forgotten passwords for those who choose this option. Please note that this is not available for staff who are also parents. Please see these attachments for more information: <u>BC Service Card Login Parents</u> and <u>BC Service Card Login</u> **Students**

VOLLEYBALL

The volleyball season is well underway, with the team jamborees happening on November 21st (Boys) and November 23rd (Girls) at the Rockridge Gymnasium. My thanks to coaches Ms. Ross and Mr. Parslow for a great season!

I have been very impressed with the level of play and improvement overall. Here are a few pictures from the season so far.



CHARTWELL TRAFFIC !!!

Traffic in the Chartwell and Sentinel community is challenging and we understand the frustrations many families feel when dropping-off or picking-up their children. Our community has grown and with that so has our staff. Every single parking spot is used by staff members. There is no parent parking or drop-off/pick-up in the staff parking area. Please consider the map below and park on the street in one of the green circled areas. Parking and walking is the best solution if you are uncomfortable dropping your child off in the round-about.

Please consider the safety of our students and community members when dropping-off or picking up your child.



IMPORTANT! - There is no left-hand turn at the top of our driveway onto Chartwell Dr.

We understand that traffic is frustrating but it is essential that **ALL** families follow our drop-off and pick-up expectations.



Chartwell Reminders



PLEASE PACK UTENSILS

Students need to bring a fork, spoon or chopsticks from home to eat their lunches. The office does not have extra for our students. Being mindful of single use plastics we are looking to have our students bring reusable cutlery from home.



DID YOU PACK ENOUGH?

Please ask your child if they have enough to eat during the day. In order to learn at an optimal level, our bodies need the appropriate amount of fuel. If your family is experiencing difficulties and would like assistance, please reach out to Ms. Bell directly. All inquiries to access the hardship fund will be treated with respect and confidentiality.



FOR INFORMATION ON THE COMING YEAR

YEAR TO DATE CALENDAR 2023-2024

CHARTWELL BELL TIMES

PAC NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



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NOVEMBER 2023						
Sun 🧖	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5	6	7 Hot Lunch	8 CPAC Meeting@9am Hot Lunch	9 Hot Lunch	10 LAST DAY FOR SPIRIT WEAR ORDERS!	
12	13 NO SCHOOL	14 NO SCHOOL	15 Hot Lunch	16 Hot Lunch	17 _{First day of} Family Badminton	18
19	20	21 Hot Lunch	22 Hot Lunch	23 Hot Lunch	24 HOT LUNCH SPECIAL (Frying Pand Express)	25
26	27	28 Hot Lunch	29 Hot Lunch	30 Hot Lunch	1	2
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Dear Chartwell Families,

Thank you to all the parents who attended the November CPAC meeting yesterday. It was great seeing so many of you.

BADMINTON:

As mentioned before, Family Badminton starts on November 17th (3:15-6:00). All family members and all skill levels are welcome, please register through munchalunch. Since this is an after-school program, we ask parents to accompany their children at all times. You can find all the details here: **Badminton Information Link**

SPIRIT WEAR:

If you have not purchased your Spirit Wear yet, you have until tomorrow at 3:00 pm to finalize your orders through munchalunch.

FUN LUNCH:

This month we have a fun lunch organized for **Friday November 24**th, please order through munchalunch. Special thanks to all the parents and grandparent who kindly volunteer for the hot lunch program. Hot lunch is our **biggest CPAC fundraiser**, and we truly appreciate their support

and hard work.

MORNING MOVIE:

CPAC is organizing Morning Movie and Muffins on Friday December 8th at 7:30am. You are all welcome to come in your Pyjamas, parents can join or drop off kids for this fun Winter event. Tickets are for sale on munchalunch and each ticket gives access to a movie, muffin and juice.

THANK YOU:

Thanks to many wonderful parent volunteers. We now have class parents for all divisions, and they have sent their first email to all the parents in their divisions. If you have not received the introductory email please notify your class parent, teacher or CPAC. Class parents send out important information and reminders for all CPAC related events.





COME IN YOUR PYJAMAS FOR A MORNING OF FUN! EACH TICKET GIVES ACCESS TO A MOVIE, MUFFIN AND JUICE. DROP OFFS ARE WELCOMED.



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8th - 7:30am CHARTWELL ELEMENTARY GYM **BUY YOUR TICKETS AT MUNCHALUNCH.COM**

Chartwell Class Parents

Div 7

Div 8

Div 9

Div 10

Div 11

Div 12

Daren Cheng

Golnaz Yazdi

Rasmene Aujla

Azadeh Marzara

Anita Shayegan

Aileen Liu

Div 1	Jennifer Zhu and Neelke Kruger-Logan
Div 2	Brenda Weeks
Div 3	Elham Yazdi
Div 4	Jocelyn Lymburner

Div 5 Jenny Sui Mahta Boozari Div 6

> Sara Bell **Principal Chartwell Elementary School** T 604 981-1210

I acknowledge and am thankful to live, learn, and work on the territory of the Coast Salish people, specifically the Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish) Nation, whose territory West Vancouver Schools resides.

