

November 14th, 2024 NEWS AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION BULLETIN

Dear Chartwell Families,

I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks for your cooperation and patience during yesterday's Emergency Release Drill. These drills are a vital part of our preparedness plan, ensuring that both students and staff are well-equipped to respond appropriately in the event of an emergency. Your support in this process is crucial, as it helps us refine our procedures and be more efficient in a real situation should it ever arise.

I also want to commend you for being so mindful, resilient, and kind throughout the drill. Your understanding and teamwork make a significant difference, not only in ensuring the safety of our students but also in creating a positive and supportive school community.

Looking ahead, I would like to remind families that Student Learning Updates (report cards) will be published on December 6th. Please take a moment to ensure that you are able to log into the MyED Family Portal to view and download these important documents.

Thank you once again for your continued support.

Warm regards,
Sara Bell

LOOKING AHEAD

November 22	Immunization Clinic - Kindergarten & Grade 6
November 27	Boys Volleyball Jamboree
November 28	Girls Volleyball Jamboree
December 20	Chartwell Christmas Sing-A-Long Last Day of School before Winter Break
January 6th, 2025	First day back to School after Winter Break
January 7th	<i>Sentinel Secondary: Information Night 6:30 - 8:30 PM</i>
January 8th	<i>West Vancouver Secondary: Information Night 6:30 - 8:30 PM</i>
January 15th	Black Excellence Day
January 15th	PAC Meeting 9AM - Chartwell School Library
January 24th	Lunar New Year Celebration
January 27th	Professional Development Day - School not in Session

IMPORTANT THIS WEEK:

- MyEd Logins for Student Report Cards
- PAC Update

PARENT ACTION ITEMS

MyED Parent Portal Access

Our first term marks will be posted on the My Ed Parent Portal in December. If you are not familiar with this site, now is a good time to make sure you can access your account. Here is a helpful link to access your Parent Portal. Please email aundseth@wvschools.ca if you need any assistance with your login or password.

Chartwell Reminders

EXTRA-CURRICULAR PROGRAMS

As the first term is drawing to a close, we are working on programs for next term. Yoga will be returning (Wed), as will Sport Explorers, formerly "Multi-Sport" (Mon), Red Fox (Wed), Hoops (Thur) and Parent Badminton Club (Fri). We also currently setting up a Drama program that will run Friday after school. More information to come soon.

Chartwell Sport Explorers After School Program

Location: Chartwell Gymnasium
Dates: Mondays, January 13 - March 10 (No session Jan 27, Feb 17)
Time: 2:45-4:15
Grades: 4-7
Pricing: \$210 + GST (7 Sessions)

Program Description:
Unlock your child's potential through our engaging, multi-sport after-school programs designed to inspire and energize! Led by experienced coaching staff dedicated to providing an unforgettable experience, Sport Explorers introduces athletes to a world of fun, teamwork, and skill-building in a safe, inclusive environment. Each session offers a mix of sports that keeps kids excited, moving, and discovering new talents. Perfect for all experience levels, Sport Explorers makes after-school time active, social, and full of adventure. Sports include Soccer, Basketball, Volleyball, Handball, Hockey, Pickleball and more! Register today to secure your child's spot for sport exploration!

Registration Link:
<https://privatecoachingco.uplifterinc.com/registration/product-detail/ChartwellSEASPTerm2>

After School Weekly Kids Yoga "Yoga and our Second Brain"

Children will become aware about making good food choices and how practicing yoga can help us to digest the nutrients in our food. Yoga also helps the digestive tract making us think better and feel clearer.

Wednesdays in the Chartwell Library.
More details to come soon.



FOR INFORMATION ON THE COMING YEAR

[IMPORTANT DATES 2024 - 2025](#)

[CHARTWELL BELL TIMES](#)

West Vancouver Community Events

We are changing how we share community news and events. Starting now, individual "Community Connections" will no longer be included in our school bulletins. Instead, all local programs, events, and resources will be found in one convenient location, accessible through a [single link](#) that we'll update and share with you each week.

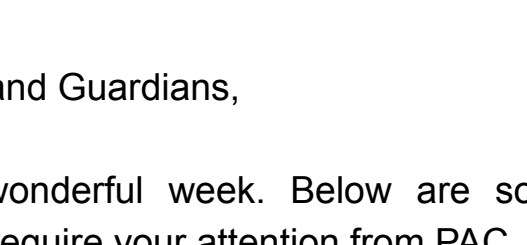
All school-specific information will continue to be featured in our regular ebulletin.

Sara Bell
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"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."

PAC NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



Dear Chartwell Parents and Guardians,

Hope you all had a wonderful week. Below are some important updates and upcoming activities that require your attention from PAC.

1. Family Basketball Weekend - Parents are Invited

Join us for an exciting Family Basketball Event on November 16th and 17th! This is a great opportunity for parents and kids to bond over fun team games, win prizes, and enjoy a showcase of pro-level basketball skills. Kids can also learn the basics of basketball in a supportive, fun environment. This a fundraising event for all the Chartwell families. Your contribution will greatly benefit our school!



Date & Time:
November 16th, 3-6 PM – For Kindergarten to Grade 4
November 17th, 4-6 PM – For Grade 5 to Grade 7

Location:
Ball Lab Training and Academy (North Vancouver)

- Highlights:**
- **Basketball Skills Training**
 - **Parents Involved Fun Games with Prizes**
 - **Pro Basketball Exhibition**

Admission: \$25 per kid (Free for parents)

Registration is on Munchalunch!

2. Next School Event-Christmas Market on December 13th

Join us for the Christmas Market on December 13th—a festive fundraiser that brings our school community together for a wonderful cause! Parents are invited to adopt a booth and showcase arts and crafts, handmade gifts, and seasonal treats. Further information will be given next week.

Thank you for your attention to these important updates. Your involvement is essential to making these events and activities successful for the Chartwell community.

Best regards,

Jasmine Ni

PAC Chair