



NEWS AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION BULLETIN **SEPTEMBER 25, 2025**

CHARTWELL ELEMENTARY E-BULLETIN

Dear Chartwell Families, This is a reminder that tomorrow is a Professional Development (Pro-D) Day. Students

will not attend school, as staff will be on site engaging in a full day of professional learning.

Our teachers and support staff will be collaborating, sharing expertise, and exploring new strategies to strengthen our practices. Professional development days are such a valuable part of our work; they give us the time and space to deepen our knowledge,

reflect on our teaching, and build consistency across the school. These opportunities

help ensure that we continue to provide the best possible learning experiences for all students. We are grateful for your support and understanding as we dedicate this time to learning and stronger practices back into our classrooms. Warmly,

together. Your encouragement allows us to grow as educators and to bring fresh ideas Ms. Bell

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, September 30th 2025 On September 30th, Canada observes the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, a federal holiday to honour survivors of residential schools, their families, and

communities. This day is an opportunity to reflect on our shared history and the

October 7

importance of reconciliation. Students are invited to wear orange on Monday, September 29th as part of Orange Shirt Day, which recognizes the experiences of Indigenous children and affirms that

Every Child Matters. There will be no school on Tuesday, September 30th in recognition of the holiday. **LOOKING AHEAD**

Professional Development Day - Students Not in Session September 26 **Orange Shirt Day** September 29 September 30 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation - School Not in Session

October 1 - 3 Grade 7 Outdoor School at Keats Camp PAC General Meeting - 9 AM Library October 3

Cross Country Meet #3 at Ambleside

October 8 & 9	Early Dismissal for Parent/Teacher Interviews - Dismissal at 12:03 pm
October 10	PAC General Meeting
October 13	Thanksgiving Monday - students not in session
October 16	Shake Out BC
October 22	Individual Photo RETAKES
October 24	Professional Development Day - Students Not in Session
PARENT ACTION ITEMS	
Parent Teacher Interviews - Oct 8th & 9th	
Parent-teacher conferences are coming up! The conferences will be in-person at the school. We are providing an online appointment booking system through School Interviews. Virtual meetings can be arranged on request.	
Please follow the instructions below to book your interview time. Once you have booked your appointment you will receive a confirmation email.	
Use this booking link https://schoolinterviews.ca/code/25dh2 to book your	

Click on GO

Things to note:

discussion another time. Please note the early dismissal times at 12:03 pm for October 8th & 9th.

If you need to speak further with your child's teacher, email them to continue the

minutes for primary classes, as teachers try to stay on schedule.

Get your Chartwell Spirit Wear! Place your orders now through School Cash Online.

- Grey and Navy T-shirts Final week to Order this Pullover Hoodies in Grey and Navy term - orders close Sept. 30
- belonging, and strengthen our Chartwell community. This is also a fundraiser that directly supports our school—thank you for your participation! Go to: westvancouver.schoolcashonline.com and order now!

PARENT SERIES The Chartwell Parent Series: Growing Together is

Upcoming Speakers (dates and times to be announced)



Chartwell Runs for Terry Fox!

Congratulations Chartwell!

and the QR code are still active.

PLEASE PACK UTENSILS

https://schools.terryfox.ca/ChartwellElementary

SNACKS AND LUNCHES AT SCHOOL

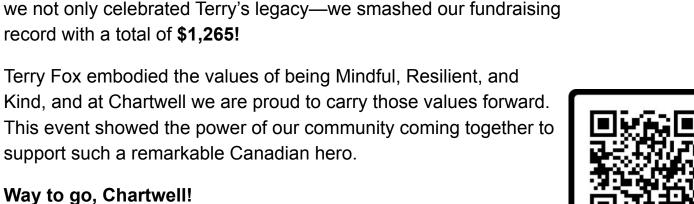
In our first session, Tricia will focus on literacy skills—how parents can support reading and writing at home, and build strong foundations for their children's success. In future

Chartwell Parent Series: Growing Together

insights to help families navigate both learning and life

OUR GOAL

\$1000!!! \$ 900 \$800 \$700 \$600 \$500



Chartwell Reminders

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

Packing enough food for lunches and snacks is so important to ensure our students are fueled for learning. We know that a students are well nourished are better able to self-regulate and

bring reusable cutlery from home.

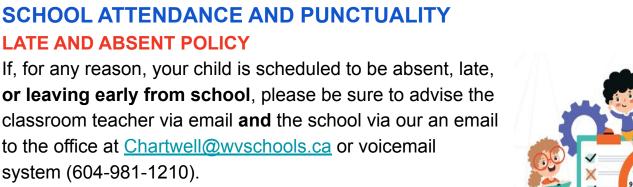
learn new information.

What an incredible Terry Fox Run we had this year! A huge thank

you goes out to Ms. Lee, Mrs. Cameron, and our Grade 7 assembly leaders for inspiring and leading the way. With a new, longer route,

the help of many parent volunteers, and the energy of our students,

If you would still like to contribute to the Terry Fox Foundation and add to the total raised by Chartwell students and staff the link below



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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."

up and drive your child anywhere. Everything is right here at Chartwell! Click here for more information and links to register. FOR INFORMATION ON THE COMING YEAR <u>IMPORTANT DATES 2025 - 2026</u>

date. Clarification of Panago Pizza Size: Panago Provides ONE generous Pizza

slice cut in two pieces for the convenience of the students.

order – the student should report to the OFFICE.

Sincerely,

All inquiries and suggestions regarding Hot Lunch should be sent to chartwellhotlunch@outlook.com Please start your email with your child's name and division. We are looking for CLASS PARENTS for: Div.1

Div.2 Div.6 **Div. 10**

Chartwell PAC

CHARTWELL BELL TIMES **WV Community Corner 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 <a href="https://culture PAC NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

dropping off or picking up children. AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

after school hours. Here are some strategies to assist with traffic flow: Carpool or use other modes of transportation (walk, roll or bus) Drop off and pick-up intermediate students on Camridge Pl. and Camelot Rd. Arrange a meeting place with your child on Chartwell Drive. If your child is not ready to be picked up, you will need to leave the roundabout and re-enter. We recommend you park on Chartwell Drive and walk to the school to connect with your child. See Map HERE Please communicate this information to any other individuals who may be Safe and active routes to school | West Vancouver Schools Back to school: ICBC shares safety tips for drivers, parents and caregivers Check out all the fun and educational after school activities at Chartwell. There are a

Be sure to include the following: child's full name, grade/teacher, and anticipated length of absence. TRAFFIC SAFETY FOR ARRIVAL AND PICK UP Please do your part to follow Chartwell School's drop-off and pick-up procedures and expectations. Traffic is challenging at Chartwell, specifically during peak before and

Each year it is important to pack a little bit more food for your child then the year before, as they are growing and developing. The office can provide an emergency snack for students that are still hungry or who have forgotten their lunches.

large variety of activities every day of the week. The best part? You don't need to pick

CHARTWELL ELEMENTARY PAC Funded by Parents | Powered by CPAC Week of September 22-26 Hot Lunch • Classroom Parents and More! Please do not forget to place your Hot Lunch Order! **Munchalunch** is open, you can place your order four days before the lunch

Important Information: in case a student didn't get the lunch or got a different

Sara Bell Principal

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Chartwell Elementary School

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If your interested in becoming a liaison in communicating between the teacher and other parents, assisting with classroom communication and events, please email to CHPac@wvsschools.ca CPAC is wishing everyone a great long weekend!

Bookings will be available starting tomorrow, Friday, September 26th at **3:00 pm**. Choose your child's teacher

If you are prompted for an event code, enter: **25dh2** • Enter your information (parent email, parent name, phone # and student name) Here you can indicate the number of students that you need to book for Choose the date and time that works best for you from the options provided. Please be on time for your scheduled conference. Please respect the time limit of 10 minutes for intermediate classes and 15

interviews.

We have: New this year: Grey or Navy full-zip Hoodies T-shirts are in stock and will be delivered promptly. All other items will arrive in October. Wearing Spirit Wear is a wonderful way for students to show their pride, feel a sense of

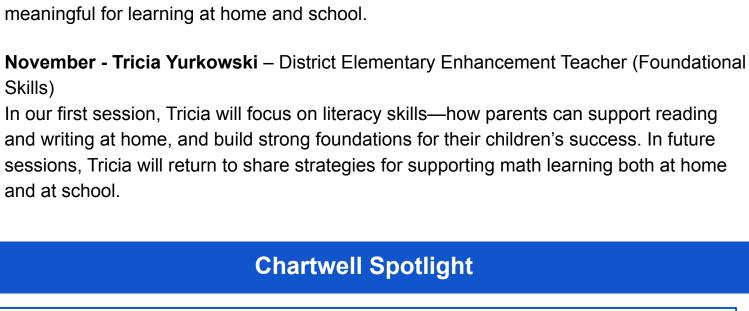
GROWIN designed to bring parents and educators together to learn, share, and support one another in raising mindful, resilient, and kind learners. Each session features engaging speakers who offer practical MINDFUL, RESILIENT, KIND strategies, new perspectives, and research-based

October - Cari Wilson – District Vice Principal of Innovation and Technology

Cari will share ways parents can support their children in a digital world—exploring the opportunities and challenges of technology, online safety, and how to make technology

About the Series

at home and school.



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