





CYPRESS PARK PRIMARY = E-BULLETIN

THURSDAY, June 8, 2023

CYPRESS PARK VARIETY SHOW

We are excited to announce a fun opportunity for our school community to participate in a virtual variety show. The purpose of the Cypress Park Variety Show is to provide an opportunity for students to showcase their artistic talents in the performing arts. Examples of performing arts can be: singing, dancing, acting, or playing a musical instrument. Performances may be solo or a partner/group act. Please have your permission form in by the end of the week. Video submission deadline has been extended to June 16th



For more information and permission forms please <u>click here</u>.

LOOKING AHEAD

June 9	FUN RUN Pledge Sheets are due tomorrow, Friday June 9th.
June 12	Grade 3 Year End Cheakamus Centre Squamish fieldtrip - schoolcashonline
June 13	Grade 1 fieldtrip to Lynn Valley Ecology Centre - schoolcashonline
June 12 - 16	All library books DUE back to school
June 13	10:30 PAC meeting - last one for this year.
June 15	Last Run Club!
June 16	Fun Run and End of Year Celebration - Get your Tickets Today!
June 18	Father's Day
June 22	Grade 3 leaving ceremony
June 23	Virtual Talent Show Assembly
June 28	Beach Day
June 29	Last day of classes - Term 3 Student Reports posted to MyEd
	YEAR TO DATE CALENDAR 2023-2024

GRADE ONE BOOK DRIVE

The GRADE ONES are planning to have a USED BOOK SALE to raise money for the library and to practice our financial literacy! The class has collected many books and will continue accepting gently used books into next week.

The Book Sale will take place on June 16th at the Fun Run. This is a student organized and organised event to support our financial literacy curriculum. The books will cost one or two dollars each. Please come to the Fun Run with change to make your purchases!



NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLE DAY - Tuesday June 21st.



Did you know that since June 21st, 1996, National Indigenous People Day has been recognized annually in Canada? June 21st marks the Summer Solstice, the longest day of the year, which holds significance for many Indigenous cultures. In West Vancouver Schools, we work hard to acknowledge and celebrate our local Indigenous connections. Visit the West Vancouver Schools webpage here, to learn about Squamish Nation Canoe Culture, History and Traditions, and Legends. To learn more about National Indigenous People Day, click HERE.

PRIDE MONTH



Please join us in celebrating Pride Month on Friday, June 23rd. To celebrate the diversity of our community we invited all our CP Learners to join our Rainbow Day on June 23rd. Each colour of the flag represents a specific quality. Red represents life, Orange represents healing, Yellow represents sunlight, Green represents nature, Blue is harmony and Purple represents spirit. These are all great qualities and we encourage our students to wear a colour of their choice or all the colours on June 23rd. We will celebrate our inclusive community and what makes us special.

SCHOOL PANORAMA PHOTO

The code to view and order a printed copy of the school panorama photo is: Webcode: CYPPARPRI23PAN

Instructions:

- 1. Visit myorder.mountainwest.ca
- 2. Enter your email and the code given above.
- Select the Panorama image and "Add to favourites." 3. Click on "Products" and click on "Sheets" or "Digital 4. Download."
- Select the Panorama image and add it to the cart. 5.
- 6. Click on "Cart" to pay.

7. DEADLINE TO ORDER: June 25th, 2023

All orders will be mailed directly to homes.

Please contact Mountain West Studios for assistance at 1.888.644.4494 (Toll Free) Or email help@mountainwest.ca

ANNUAL CYPRESS PARK'S SUMMER POSTCARD CHALLENGE

Are you looking for a fun way for your child to continue writing throughout the summer? This year



Cypress Park students are invited to participate in a summer long postcard challenge.

If you are travelling this summer or even if you are planning a "stay-cation," have your child write postcards or letters from different destinations. This can be from a place around town or abroad.

Our school FESL goal is to "Connect and Communicate" through writing. We are looking to provide opportunities for authentic writing at home and school to improve our students' written expression. If you are interested in looking at our FESL planning document please follow the link here.

Students that send in "postcards" will be part of a fun welcome back assembly presentation and display board. I encourage every household to get involved by sending at least one card. Our goal is 75 postcards!

Dear Cypress Park, Your child's message here!	
Please remember we like to honour all our writers and where they are in their learning journey. Authentic writing by your child is what we are looking for.	Cypress Park Primary School 4355 Marine Drive West Vancouver, BC V7V 1P2
Short, long or somewhere in the middle it is all great!	
If postcards are not available send photos, letters or cards.	
Love Ms. Bell	

SUMMER READING CLUB REGISTRATION OPEN NOW **CLICK HERE TO REGISTER**



Lets see if CP can win the award again this year!!!

LOST AND FOUND

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year.

The Challenge is on!

Calling all students in grades K-3! The Kids Summer Reading Club is for for kids who can do a bit of reading on their own with some help, and kids who can read totally on their own. Read anything you like! Books, ebooks, audiobooks, books in any language... Read for at least 15 minutes a day for 50 days to earn your reading medal!

Track Your Reading

Pick up your reading records and bookmark at the Library, upstairs in the Youth Department. After you register, you'll receive a confirmation email with your SRC Starter Kit within 48 hours.

CHECK OUT FURTHER LIBRARY EVENTS HERE



RUN CLUB COMPLETED KM Congratulations to the following students who have completed 10KM this week! Kindergarten - Jeevan Grade 1 - Jonah Grade 2 - Hana, Aviana, Austin Grade 3 - Jessica Congratulations to the following students who have completed 20KM this week! Grade 2 - Daniel, Mason, Rory Grade 3 - Arthur **Congratulations** to the following students who have completed **30KM** this week! Grade 2 - Declan

Grade 3 - Raf Run Club will continue every Tuesday and Thursday morning at 8:10am - 8:30am.

2023 SUMMER LEARNING with WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS Online Registration Opens 3rd April @ 08:00 AM

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.

HEALTH AWARENESS

All are welcome!

With respiratory illness season underway, please remain vigilant in following Provincial Communicable Disease Guidelines for K-12.

- Practice health awareness regularly checking for symptoms of respiratory
- illness, and to stay home when sick. We are a mask friendly school and we respect and support each person's
- choice. Information is available here at the <u>BC Centre for Disease Control</u>.

It remains important to practice health awareness and do a daily health check if you or your child is feeling unwell.

PAC NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next PAC meeting, next Tuesday June 13 at 10:30am, please make some time to attend. Click

here to view the agenda for the upcoming meeting, we will be voting on next year's **Budget and** PAC executive.

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DUE FRIDAY, JUNE 9 - Please submit to your teachers.

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ICE CREAM FOR THE WHOLE CLASS! Get your child to come up with a lap goal and then ask your grandparents, uncles, aunts, cousins, neighbors & friends to pledge!

Top Pledge & Top Laps winners will each receive a \$25 gift card to Earnest Ice Cream. As leaders, they will also have the first chance to get their Deluxe Mom's Grilled Cheese sandwiches, Johnny's Pops popsicles & first chance at the bouncy castle!

The Top Pledge Prize also includes Earnest Ice Cream for their entire class! The Top Laps Prize also includes introducing their pick of fun new sporting equipment to the school such as pickleball or handball!

If you didn't receive a pledge sheet in your backpack, please feel free to download and print another!

🏃 FUN RUN & YEAR-END CELEBRATION 🏃 **FRIDAY, JUNE 16**

12:30 - 2:00 PM | PARENTS PRE-SOCIAL (Tickets: \$25)

100% of these tickets here go towards the school! Socialize & get to know fellow Cypress Park parents & sign-up to sponsor important school initiatives. Tickets include 2 drinks. Pre-Social hosted across the street from the school at 4339 Morgan Crescent, West Vancouver.

★ GET YOUR TICKETS ★ https://bit.ly/CP-Year-End

2:00 - 5:00 PM | FUN RUN, FOOD & FESTIVITIES

Cheer on our students & show some Cypress Park spirit! Post Fun Run, ALL 2022/23 CYPRESS **PARK STUDENTS** will receive a Deluxe Grilled Cheese from Mom's Grilled Cheese Truck and a popsicle from local company Johnny's Pops, plus an afternoon of fun entertainment, sponsored by the PAC! There will also be a farmers' market with produce grown by Cypress Park students, a bouncy castle, face painting, glitter tattoos, games & a live auction of student artwork!

Additional Food Tickets for parents, siblings & guests are \$25 per person (i.e anyone not enrolled as a student at Cypress Park)



FUNDING FUTURES 🚀 EXPERTS-IN-RESIDENCE & PROGRAM RESOURCES

Did you know that the PAC helps fund the following initiatives & expert-in residence programs?

EarthBites: Seasonal workshops that provide an immersive environment for students to learn about growing organic food & creating nutritious snacks. **UBC Beaty Boxes:** Outreach kits with touchable specimens, information about UBC research scientists, and hands-on activities that explore biodiversity.

Enhanced Programs: Science, Music, Dance, Health, Languages & more!

★ SPONSOR TODAY ★ https://bit.ly/Funding-Futures

AT \$8,140, WE ARE 41% OF THE WAY TO OUR FUNDRAISING GOAL!

To participate, <u>sign-up</u> for an item, then pay using <u>school cash online</u>. We've put a paper copy of the sign-up sheet at the Kindergarten entrance for your convenience. Please feel free to share this with grandparents, aunts, uncles & friends. Whanks again for your support!



DISTRICT AND COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

ParticipACTION and the COMMUNITY **CHALLENGE – TOGETHER WE MOVE! District-Wide Participation Encouraged**

The What

The ParticipACTION Community Better Challenge is a national physical activity initiative that encourages Canadians to get active in search of Canada's Most Active Community.

It is open to everyone, and all minutes tracked on the app and website from June 1-30 count toward a community's total score. At the conclusion of the challenge, one community will earn the top prize of \$100,000 and title of being Canada's most active. In addition to the national winner, there will also be prizing for the most active community in each province and territory.

The When – June 1- June 30, 2023

Starting June 1, the idea is to track the minutes of every person within a group. Such activities can be in-person or virtual group exercise classes, practices, events or even lunchtime walks. Every minute tracked goes toward West Vancouver district's community's score.

ParticipACTION Instructions please <u>click here</u>.





WEST VANCOUVER BASKETBALL CLUB SUMMER CAMPS

May is here which means that the WVBC Summer camps are just around the corner. This summer, the WVBC will be offering 4 weeks of camps beginning July 10 for players in Grades 2-10. All camps will be held at West Van Secondary School. To view the full schedule of camps and to register, please go to http://www.wvbc.ca

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Camps: PD Day camps & Summer camps – Summer Camp registrations start on May 3rd.

Learning Programs for everyone. Including Lego, Chess, Science, STEAM with Zen Maker Lab, Language programs (French DELF, Spanish, Korean and Mandarin Chinese), Indigenous Arts & Culture, and more

Looking for Summer Camps? Try ULTIMATE Frisbee!

If you are looking for an outdoor, physically active, and FUN summer camp for your students, check out Elevate Ultimate's Ultimate Frisbee summer camps! The camps are running at Confederation Turf throughout the month of July, 2023.

Ultimate frisbee is a great sport for everyone of all genders and skill levels. Elevate Ultimate's professional staff promote values such as open-mindedness, sportspersonship, and inclusivity.

Elevate Ultimate is owned by former Team Canada Ultimate Frisbee representatives, Ari Nitikman and Danie Proby. Both Ari and Danie have played the sport at an elite level and currently coach at all levels.For more information, please see the attached flyer. Please use code Westvan50 for \$50 off any summer camp!

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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, on whose territory West Vancouver Schools resides