

November 2, 2023

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME CHANGE – THIS WEEKEND!

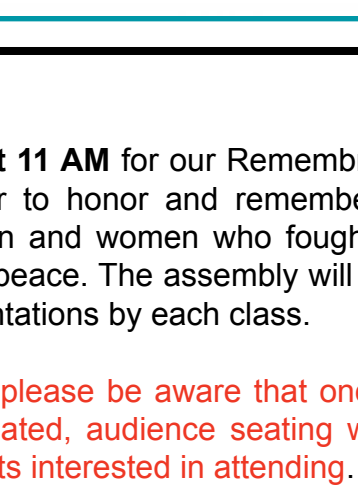
A reminder that Daylight Savings time ends on Sunday, November 5th. Please remember to turn your clocks **BACK** on hour at 2:00am on Sunday morning. Enjoy the extra hour of sleep.



LOOKING AHEAD	
November 3	Field Hockey AM only
November 5	Daylight Savings - clock fall back one hour
November 8	Indigenous Veterans Day
November 9	IB Parent Info Night 6:00-7:00 PM
November 10	Remembrance Day Assembly in the gym 11:00
November 12	Happy Diwali
November 13	Remembrance Day stat - school not in session
November 14	Reading Day Break - school not in session
November 16	Parent Social at the Orchard 7:00-9:00 PM
November 28	PAC Meeting 9:15 AM in the gym
November 30	Movie Night in the gym
December 1	Our First Festive Friday
December 4	Professional Development Day (school not in session)

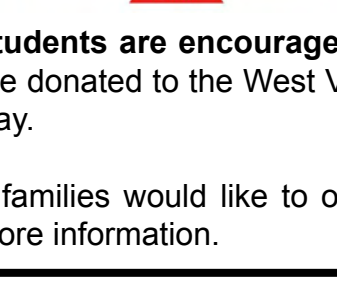
IB PARENT NIGHT

Have you been wondering what all this "IB" talk is about? Would you like to better understand the way your child is learning? Would you like to find ways to foster the learner profile at home? We hope so! Please join us for this parent only event.



- Thursday, November 9th @ 6:00 - 7:00 PM
- Cypress Park Library

UPCOMING REMEMBRANCE DAY ASSEMBLY



Join us on **Friday, November 10th at 11 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. The assembly will begin at 11:00 AM with performances/presentations by each class.

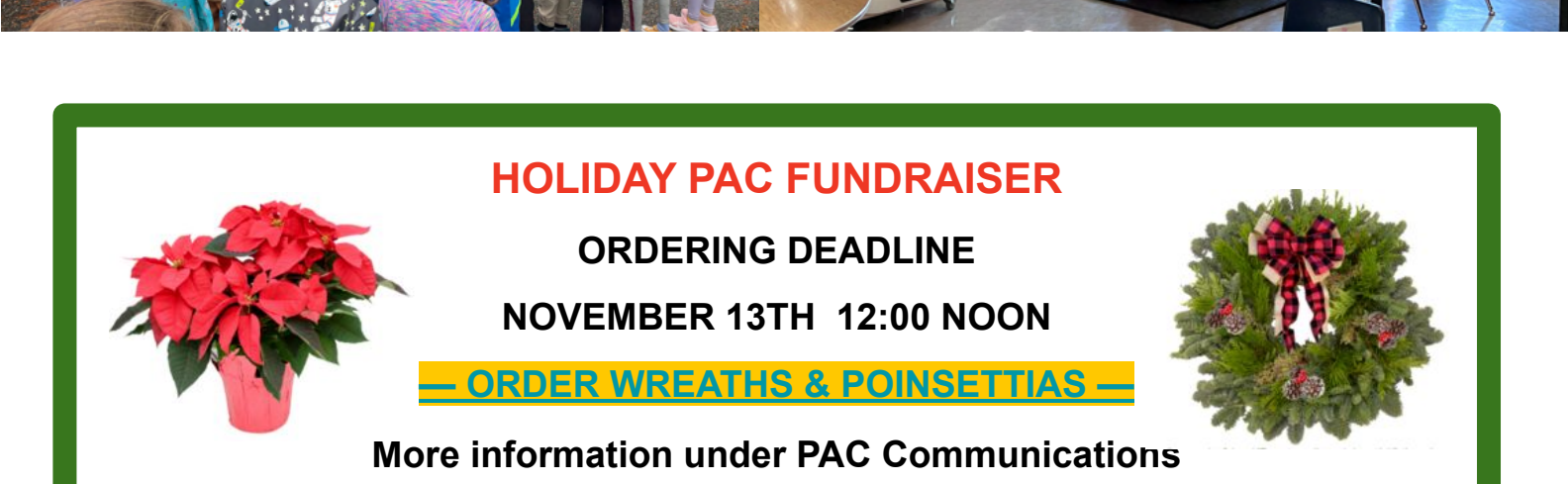
Families are welcome to join us, but please be aware that once we have all of our students and staff seated, audience seating will be limited. Doors open at 10:50 for parents interested in attending.

Students 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.

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

As part of the Grade 1's Inquiry into Who We Are, they have been learning about their community. We were fortunate to have visitors from the WVFD and WVPD to share their roles and responsibilities in our community. Students were respectful and asked many thoughtful questions.



HOLIDAY PAC FUNDRAISER

ORDERING DEADLINE

NOVEMBER 13TH 12:00 NOON

— ORDER WREATHS & POINSETTIAS —

More information under PAC Communications



K-3 UNIVERSAL SNACK PROGRAM



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.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

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

HALLOWEEN AT CYPRESS PARK



IN PREPARATION OF WINTER WEATHER

CLICK HERE FOR INFORMATION

NO SUCH THING AS BAD WEATHER - JUST INAPPROPRIATE CLOTHING



The wet weather has arrived! Students are outside for approximately 45 minutes for morning and lunch recesses and will need to keep warm and dry. Please ensure your child/ren come to school in appropriate waterproofed clothing and footwear. Please also make sure to add a change of dry clothing in their backpack.



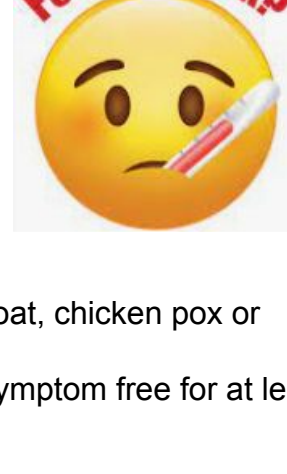
WHEN SHOULD I KEEP MY SICK CHILD HOME FROM SCHOOL?

Things to consider if your child feels unwell :

1. Without proper rest, a child may have a hard time fighting an illness or be at risk for other illnesses.
2. The ability of your child to actively take part and learn at school.
3. The school staff cannot care for a sick child and give them the support that they may need.
4. The protection of other children

Please keep your child home if they :

- ❖ Have a fever
- ❖ Are too sick to take part in all normal school activities
- ❖ Have a suspected or known communicable disease (i.e. strep throat, chicken pox or measles)
- ❖ Is vomiting or has diarrhea. It is recommended that students be symptom free for at least 24 hours before returning to School.



More information can be found online at Vancouver Coastal Health link [vch.ca](#)

CYPRESS PARK WEBSITE

[YEAR TO DATE CALENDAR 2023-2024](#)

[CYPRESS PARK PLAYGROUND RULES](#)

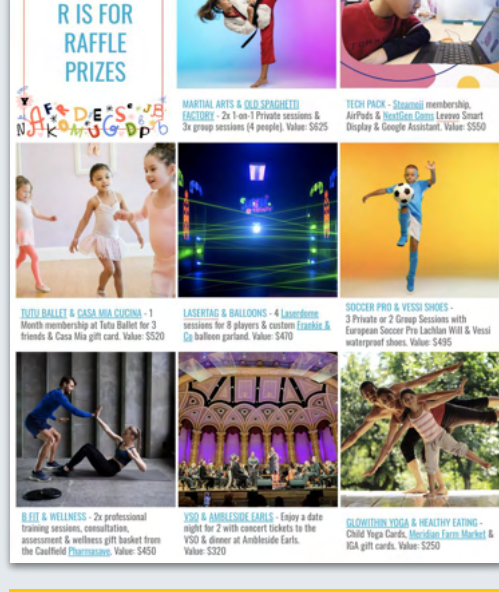
[CYPRESS PARK BELL TIMES](#)

PAC NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

R IS FOR RAFFLE

Good Luck for Raffle selling!

Congrats to the students that have already **Sold Out** of tickets! If you need more, please don't hesitate to ask. The student with the most tickets sold will win any non-top prize of their choosing - valued at up to \$625! These prizes are on the last page of the [brochure](#).



— WIN GRAND PRIZE —

- **EARLY BIRD DRAW:** Thurs, Nov 9
- **FINAL DRAW:** Thurs, Nov 30 - Join us for a LIVE draw at Family Movie Night

TICKET RETURN: Please return your sold ticket books and transfer your full ticket amount (\$200) to info.paccpp@gmail.com.

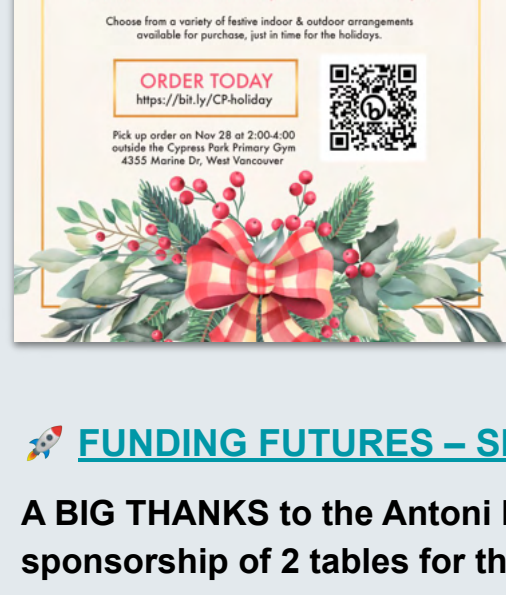
HOLIDAY FUNDRAISER

Premium poinsettias, holiday wreaths & beautiful indoor & outdoor planters

Help support Cypress Park & check off your holiday shopping at the same time. If you're looking for a healthy alternative to cookies, a complementary gift with chocolates, or just something to add a pop of colour & cheer for the holidays - this fundraiser is for you!

ORDER DEADLINE Nov 13 & pick-up Nov 28

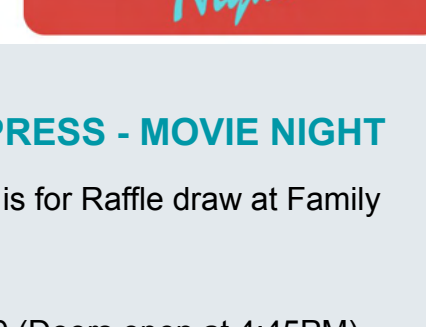
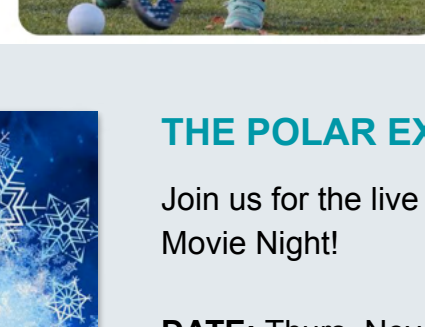
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Order Oct 26 - Nov 13
Holiday Fundraiser
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Choose from a variety of festive indoor & outdoor arrangements available for purchase just in time for the holidays.
ORDER TODAY
<https://bit.ly/CPHoliday>
Pick up order on Nov 28 at 2:00-4:00 inside the Cypress Park Primary Gym 4322 Hastings St. West Vancouver

FUNDING FUTURES – SPONSOR TODAY

A BIG THANKS to the Antoni Family & Nicholas in Grade 1, for the generous sponsorship of 2 tables for the kindies & the Dosen Family & Avery in Grade 1 for more books! Did you have fun at the Fall Fair? Did you know that Field Hockey starts this week & Movie Night is coming up soon? Please consider sponsoring one of these fun events for next year! [SPONSOR TODAY...](#)



THE POLAR EXPRESS - MOVIE NIGHT

Join us for the live R is for Raffle draw at Family Movie Night!

DATE: Thurs, Nov 30 (Doors open at 4:45PM)
MOVIE: The Polar Express
LOCATION: Cypress Park School Gym
DETAILS: PJ's, Blankets, Stuffedies, Hot Chocolate, Treats, & More!

BREWING SUCCESS

Gift Card Sale Fundraiser

Isetta, Casa Mia Cucina & The Orchard have generously agreed to donate back 15% of all gift cards that we sell. Please transfer to info.paccpp@gmail.com with the amount you'd like to purchase & which coffee shop.



PARENTS SOCIAL AT THE ORCHARD

Our Parent Social at The Orchard is a casual & fun way to meet other parents.

- **When:** Thurs, Nov 16, 7-9PM
- **Where:** The Orchard, 6190 Marine Dr

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I acknowledge and am thankful to live, learn, and work on the territory of the Coast Salish people, specifically the Skw̓w̓w̓7mesh (Squamish) Nation, on whose territory West Vancouver Schools resides.