



WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION
PLEASE HAVE THIS TRANSLATED**

**RENSEIGNEMENTS IMPORTANTS
Prière de les faire traduire.**

**重要資料
請找人為你翻譯**

これはたいせつなお知らせです。
どなたかに日本語に訳してもらってください。

**알려드립니다
이것을 번역해 주십시오**

**CHỈ DẪN QUAN TRỌNG
Xin nhờ người dịch hộ**

**ਜ਼ਰੂਰੀ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ
ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਇਸੇ ਵੇਲੇ ਇਸ ਦਾ ਉਲੇਖਾ ਕਰਵਾਓ ।**

**INFORMACIÓN IMPORTANTE
Busque alguien que le traduzca.**

**اطلاعات مهم و سودمند
لطفاً از یک نفر بخواهید که برای شما ترجمه کند**

**ITO AY MAHALAGANG IMPORMASYON
Isalin sa wikang tagalog kung hindi maintindihan**

**يرجى ترجمة هذا
معلومات هامة**

**ВАЖНАЯ ИНФОРМАЦИЯ
Переведите это, пожалуйста.**

E-Bulletin EAGLE HARBOUR MONTESSORI Sept. 22, 2022



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

As you can see from the photos ... a wonderful time was had by all! Special congrats to our 2nd place finisher Madeline and our 4th place finisher Mika!

DATES AT A GLANCE

September	22	Terry Fox Run - Donations of any amount greatly appreciated and will be collected from September 20 - September 28
	23	Professional Development Day – School is not in Session
	27	Student Photography Day - Mountain West Studios
	27	Cross Country Meet #2 - GO TEAM GO!
	29	Orange Shirt Day honoured at School
	30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation - School is not in Session
October	4	Cross Country Meet #3 - GO TEAM GO!
	5-6	Parent Teacher Conferences
	10	THANKSGIVING - School is not in Session
	13	Wine Fundraiser



MONTESSORI EDUCATION NIGHT & WELCOME BACK PICNIC

Thank you to everyone who was able to make it to our Montessori Information / welcome picnic last night (despite the traffic!). We hope you have come away with a better understanding of our various classroom routines, structures and how we approach learning here at this fabulous little school.

TERRY FOX RUN



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CAME OUT TO "TRY LIKE TERRY"!!

We are proud to be participating in this year's run and are almost halfway to our fundraising goal. And - there is still time! **Donations will be accepted until Wednesday, September 28th.** If you haven't already done so, drop your cash donation in the jar at the office or go online to <http://www.terryfox.ca/EagleHarbourMontessori> to donate now.

Together, we can all make a difference.
#terryfoxschoolruns #tryliketerry @terryfoxfoundation



STUDENT PHOTOS TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27



Who doesn't love checking out the annual student photo line up on the fridge ... proof that they are growing up! In order to get the very best from the photo opportunity, Mountain West suggests you visit their [information page](#) for tips on how to prepare for photo day.

INDIGENOUS DRUM MAKING - MONDAY - TUESDAY

We are delighted to have the opportunity, thanks to the support of our PAC and (hopefully) 15 volunteers, to make 30 Indigenous drums for our school. Working in small groups on Monday and Tuesday next week students and **volunteers** will construct the drums and wake them in a **ceremony at 8:30am on Thursday, Sept.29th**, the day we honour [National Day of Truth and Reconciliation](#) as well as the [Orange Shirt Day/Every Child Matters](#) initiative.

We enthusiastically encourage you all to pull out your favourite orange shirt and join us in this legacy ceremony.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Please let Mrs. Legg know (if you have not already done so) if you are able to volunteer for drum making one or both mornings (Monday and/or Tuesday) from 8:30 - noon.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent - teacher conferences are coming on October 5th and 6th. Next week we will provide instructions on how to book your conference online. We are so excited to have these conferences in person. If you are unable to attend in person, teachers will provide a virtual option.

OUR HIGHLY ANTICIPATED WINE NIGHT FUNDRAISER IS BACK OCTOBER 13 6:30PM - 9:30PM



After a two year hiatus our Adult only Wine Night fundraiser will be held **October 13th**.

Randeep (Jordan's Mom) is generously hosting this event at their home. This is a fantastic night and wonderful way for the adults in our community to connect and support our little school in the woods.

MANDATORY ANNUAL FORMS - NOW PAST DUE

[Online Policies and Procedures Forms](#) must be completed asap for each student. These include photo permissions and local off site walk-about permissions (so we can take our classes to the park across the street or the beach!)

[Emergency Release and ID Forms](#) - Two hard copy forms that are vital for the success of our emergency release program. Please complete these forms for each student in your household and return them to the school ASAP.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES 2022/23

2022/23 Class school supplies may still be ordered online from [SchoolStart](#). Please note that ordering from SchoolStart is optional, however the items listed are required. If you prefer to go shopping for your student's supplies, please use the SchoolStart lists as your guide.



MONTESSORI FEES 2022-2023



The annual fee of \$200.00 is due for the 2022-23 school year and available for payment to School District #45 West Vancouver via [SchoolCash Online](#) as soon as possible.

If you have not received an email introducing SchoolCash Online and providing an access PIN by Friday, please email plegg@wvschools.ca and let her know.

DAILY HEALTH CHECK REMINDERS

Performing a Daily Health Check: Families should continue to perform the [daily health check](#) with your child(ren) prior to drop off each morning. If your child is not feeling well, **please do not send them to school**. The [BC Self-Assessment Tool](#) or [When to get tested](#) page are the most up to date resources to determine if you need testing.



We will continue to encourage our families to keep their children home when they are sick – doing so, helps to keep other learners, staff, and other families in our community healthy.

There are some protocols that we will continue to keep in place as they are very helpful and benefit all our learning community members.

If you will be visiting your child's teacher, appointments are still appreciated. We would also ask that you please sign-in in at the main entrance beside the office when you visit inside the school.

MASKS - As per current Ministry mandates, masks are optional for students in Kindergarten to Grade 7.

WE ARE A NUT AWARE SCHOOL



In order to ensure the safest environment for each of our students, we are now a **NUT AWARE** school. What this means for you and your family - we respectfully ask that no nuts or nut butters of any kind come to school or are in the children's lunches.

EAGLE HARBOUR MONTESSORI (EHMS) PAC NEWS



Our after school coordinator has kindly found a new afterschool program. If you are interested in this wonderful physical literacy program please email Sharon sharonleeflynn@gmail.com by September 30. We will need 10 students to run this program.

After School Basketball

Grades 1-5 <https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0/r?tab=wc&pli=1>
2:40-3:40

October 17- December 12 25 2022 (8 classes)

Cost \$180 plus taxes (includes BALL Lab T-shirt)

North Vancouver & West Vancouver Basketball Academy

Our after school basketball program is designed for first time basketball players and players with some experience to learn the basic fundamentals of the game through small sided games. Our focus is on giving all athletes an opportunity to be exposed to the game in an inclusive, fun, and dynamic environment.



The next PAC meeting will be held in person on **October 11, 2022 at 9:00am** in the library. All parents and guardians are welcome to attend. If you prefer to join virtually click this [PAC MEETING LINK](#) Our **October** agenda can be found [HERE](#). **September 13th PAC** meeting minutes can be found [HERE](#)

CLASS PARENTS WANTED



Class parents needed. If you would like to volunteer to be a class parent please contact our PAC chair Andrea andreajoyhladik@gmail.com or see Miss Tobin.

FALL 2022 AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

The EHMS PAC has planned several after school programs for the fall. All programs take place at Eagle Harbour Montessori School and start at 2:40. Saplings instructors pick up children from school and walk with them to Park Verdun.

Please direct any inquiries to our After School Program Coordinator, Sharon Lee - Flynn at sharonleeflynn@gmail.com



SAPLINGS for Grades K-5 - CANCELLED

Unfortunately, due to low enrollment, Saplings has been cancelled.

ARTMANIA - VISUAL ARTS PROGRAM - TUESDAYS

Grades 1-5

2:40-3:40

September 13 - Oct 25 2022 (7 classes) ARCHITECTURE & SCULPTURE

Cost \$189



This class is for the student that loves to build and create! Students will learn how to draw buildings and interiors and sculpt their designs too! Essential concepts include one and two point perspective, drafting floor-plans, elevations and engineering and design- ing structures. [Register Here](#)

Grades K - 5

2:40 - 3:40

November 1 - Dec 13 2022 (7 classes) STORYTELLING THROUGH ART

Cost \$189

Students will hear stories about famous artists throughout history, while learning essential painting skills to build their art toolbox. This is an opportunity to introduce the masters early in your child's art education, that will inspire exploration and discovery. A great way to help children relate to artists from more than a century ago in a memorable way. [Register Here](#)

ARTMANIA - THE ACTING CLUB K-5 - WEDNESDAYS

2:40-3:40

September 14 - Oct 26 (6 classes)

Cost \$162

(no class October 5th)

Join us with your friends to develop your creativity while strengthening your basic knowledge of acting with our industry professionals. Play is essential for the improvement and development of physical, cognitive and emotional well-being of children, helping them forge and reaffirm their personality. Join us once a week this fall for a fun time, getting goofy with your friends! [Register Here](#)



Nov 2 - Dec 14 (7 classes)

Cost \$196

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COMMUNITY NEWS

West Vancouver Board of Education All Candidates Meeting

Wednesday, October 5th at 7pm
Kay Meek Studio Theatre
1700 Mathers Avenue, West Vancouver

On October 15, 2022 voters in the District of West Vancouver, the Village of Lions Bay, Bowen Island Municipality and part of Metro Vancouver Electoral Area A will elect five Trustees for School District 45, West Vancouver Board of Education.

The West Vancouver District Parent Advisory Council (WVDPAC) is hosting an All School Trustee Candidates Meeting on Wednesday October 5th, 2022 in the Kay Meek Studio Theatre.

All members of the public are welcome and encouraged to attend.



Learn more about the candidates
for Trustee at
election.westvancouver.ca



POP UP COFFEE & CONNECTIONS PROGRAM

Who: Families with young children in the British Properties/Chartwell Community

Where: Properties Family Hub Portable at Chartwell School, 1300 Chartwell Drive

Time: Monday, September 26, 1:00 - 2:30pm

Featuring: family Storytime hosted by West Vancouver Memorial Library (1:30)

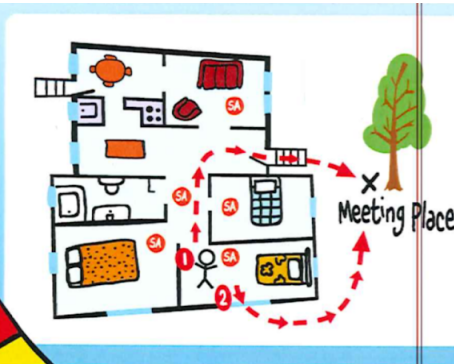
Have questions about services? Child development? Want to meet others with young children? Information and opportunity to connect with community agencies/partners including Vancouver Coastal Health (VCH) dental hygienist, VCH Community health nurse, consultants from North Shore community Resources etc.



LANGARA'S EDUCATION ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Interested In A Career Supporting Children Or Already Working As An Education Assistant In West Vancouver? [This Invitation Is For You!](#)

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK - OCTOBER 9 - 15 For more Information click [HERE](#)



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