

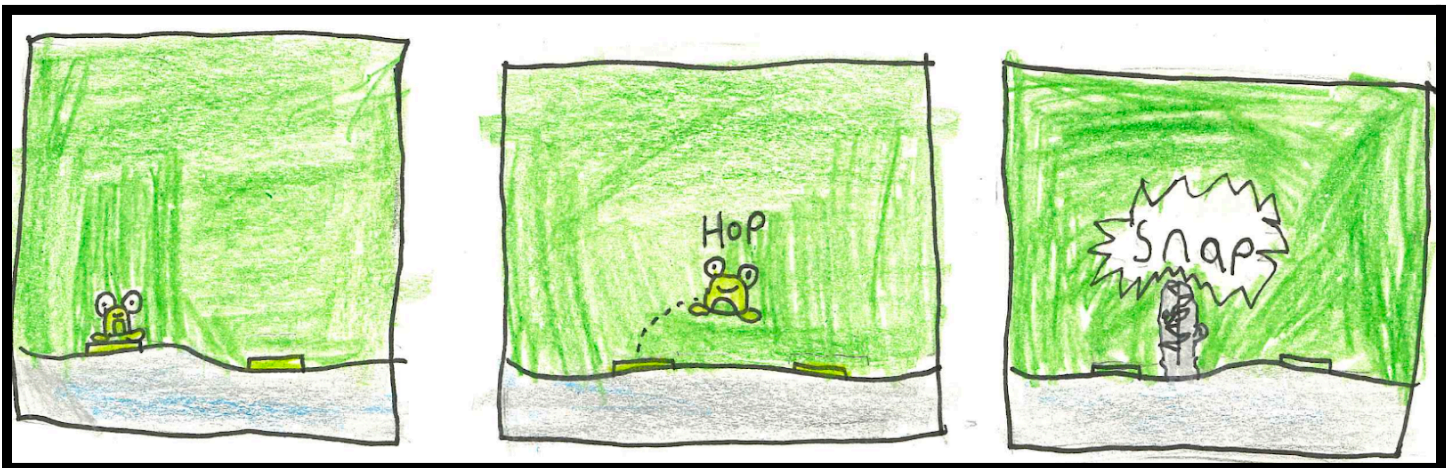
E-Bulletin EAGLE HARBOUR MONTESSORI April 25, 2024



Families, thank you for participating in our Emergency Release drill last week. We learned a great deal and the children were exceptionally well behaved as we all worked our way through this very important drill. **We would like to extend a very special thank you to Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. Mackenzie** for their skillful organization and preparedness with this drill.

We welcome any feedback or questions you may have regarding our emergency release drill. Please email Miss Tobin dtobin@wvschools.ca or Mrs. Atkinson atkinson@wvschools.ca with your questions or thoughts. We will be preparing an FAQ and emergency information document that will be shared with our Eagle Harbour families.

JORDAN'S ALMOST FAMOUS COMICS



EHMS CALENDAR

April 25	Thursday	Digital Literacy Presentation with Cari Wilson 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m at Caulfeild Elementary Learning Commons
April 26	Friday	PAC Movie Night - If you signed up Remember your \$20 Cash
May 9	Thursday	Welcome to K 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
May 16	Thursday	Sports Day - Early Dismissal 12:05 p.m.
May 17	Friday	Professional Development Day - School Not in Session
May 23	Thursday	EHMS Carnival and Silent Auction - 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
May 30	Thursday	Field Events for Upper Elementary Students 3:15 p.m.

[EHMS SCHOOL CALENDAR 2023/24](#)

SILENT AUCTION AND CARNIVAL FUNDRAISER MAY 23

Our Silent Auction is back and we are looking for **DONATIONS!**



Another exciting year and another fun Silent Auction is on the horizon. This year we are hosting our Silent Auction during the school carnival - to create more engagement and ultimately get more "BIDDING WARS" which will mean more funds for our school.

As the date approaches we are looking for donations! Use this [Donation Letter](#) to reach out to your employers, local businesses you frequent OR your friends. Some suggestions for donated items are: gift cards, gift baskets, wine, logo'd merchandise, and gift certificates to local businesses. We are hoping each family can source at least one donation for the silent auction - please reach out to Randeep rstjacques83@gmail.com if you have any questions.



JOIN US FOR A DIGITAL LITERACY PRESENTATION APRIL 25 FROM 4:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. AT CAULFEILD ELEMENTARY

We have invited Cari Wilson, the District Principal of Technology to help us understand the Digital Literacy world. If you are curious about the current trends in the digital world and how they affect our kids and the curriculum, please join us! All parents are welcome.



FEEDING FUTURES INITIATIVE



As part of the Ministry of Education and Childcare [Feeding Futures initiative](#), the West Vancouver School District has established a food security structure to confidentially assist students and families. The West Vancouver School District Food Security Plan will help students and families by providing confidential financial support for families facing food insecurity. Families are encouraged to reach out directly to their school principal if they need support with food-related costs. Please be assured that all requests will be addressed with sensitivity,

respect and confidentiality.

LATE ARRIVALS AND ABSENCES

Schedules and routines are extremely important to a child's development and academic achievement as key concepts and lessons begin at the start of our school day. When students are late they:

- miss the chance to meet with their teachers and peers at the door to start the day
- miss the routines and structures that each teacher strategically plans to promote self-regulation to help students get settled in a calm manner



We realize each family juggles many schedules and expectations, and we are grateful that your planning includes ensuring that each of our students is supported with the ability to start the day right. In the event of an absence please be sure to call (604) 981 - 1380 or email the office at aatkinson@wvschools.ca or jmackenzie@wvschools.ca .

2024 SUMMER LEARNING WITH WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS



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 2024.

Online registration for both the elementary and secondary Summer Learning programs is **now open**. Elementary registration closes on May 10. Secondary registration closes on June 14.

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](#).

DAILY HEALTH CHECK REMINDERS AND NOTICES



Parents are asked to do daily health checks of children before sending them to school. As flu and cold season is upon us, we ask for your assistance to ensure that your child is healthy and well enough to participate in normal school activities. If your child is unwell, please report their absence by emailing Mrs. Atkinson aatkinson@wvschools.ca or calling 604-981-1380. Parents are also

reminded that communicable diseases should be reported to your classroom teacher or to the school office. This would include lice, chicken pox, measles, etc.

EAGLE HARBOUR MONTESSORI PAC NEWS

MAY 14TH IS OUR PAC AGM MEETING

Thank you to all those who attended this month's PAC meeting. Please find Meeting Minutes [HERE](#).

Our next meeting will be our **Annual General Meeting on May 14th at 8:45 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.** For our next school year, we are looking to nominate a new Fundraising Chair and After School Coordinator; please reach out to Andrea at ehpac@wvschools.ca if you are interested!



EAGLE HARBOUR MONTESSORI PAC FUNDRAISERS

MABEL'S LABELS - FUNDRAISER

The logo for Mabel's Labels, featuring the brand name in a white, cursive font on a bright pink rounded rectangular background.

Get some handy personalized waterproof name labels for your kids' stuff! Free Shipping and our school gets 20% of profits. Simply visit Mabel's Labels and select our school under the "[Support a](#)

[Fundraiser](#)" tab. We are listed as Eagle Harbour Montessori School. Happy labelling!

TRU EARTH LAUNDRY DETERGENT STRIPS!

If you happen to use Tru Earth Laundry Detergent strips or are interested in some of their other products, please [order through this link](#) to support our school with 20% of your order going to our school. Thank you for your support!



SILENT AUCTION AND CARNIVAL FUNDRAISER MAY 23

**SILENT
AUCTION
ITEMS** 

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HOT LUNCH WINTER/SPRING SESSION



Important

Our **SPRING** Session is open and will remain open for the rest of the school year.

- 1) Visit [Munch a Lunch](#) website.
- 2) You can pay for your orders by credit card.

Click [HOT LUNCH FAQs](#) for frequently asked questions or to contact our hot lunch coordinator at thipfner_foley@yahoo.com



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COMMUNITY NEWS AND OPPORTUNITIES

WEST VANCOUVER BASKETBALL CLUBS SUMMER CAMPS



The **WVBC** is proud to be offering its 16th year of summer camps this July and August. This year, the WVBC will be offering 4 weeks of camps beginning July 8 for players in Grades 2-10.

All camps will be held at West Van Secondary School and will be led by former Canadian Men's National Team player and WVS Teacher/**Basketball Academy Head Coach Greg Meldrum.**

To view the full schedule of camps and to register, please go to <http://www.wvbc.ca>

ACTIVITIES AT WEST VANCOUVER COMMUNITY CENTRE & GLENEAGLES COMMUNITY CENTRE

Spring Term General Recreation Programs have begun:

Important Dates: Summer Camp Registration Opens May 1st www.westvancouver.ca/camps
Other Summer program Registrations open on Wednesday, June 19th.

Browse all your recreation activities and programs here:

<https://westvancouver.ca/parks-recreation/recreation-programs-services/recreation-activities>

Are you new in West Vancouver? Come, discover and join us: www.westvancouver.ca/newcomers

Adult American Sign Language (NEW!), Beginner French, Indigenous Arts & Culture, Science, Chess, etc: www.westvancouver.ca/learning

Music for Various Ages:

<http://www.westvancouver.ca/music>

Pro-D Day Camps (May 17): [Visit here](#)



WEST VANCOUVER MEMORIAL LIBRARY APRIL/MAY NEWSLETTER



The WVML Late April / May 2024 [NEWSLETTER](#) ! for kids, families and educators here! We still have lots going on, even with the weather taking a beautiful turn.

As always: everything is free, open to all and no library card is required.

PARENT WORKSHOPS - CHECK THEM OUT



Parent Workshop Series #1 We are all in this together

**Simple solutions for building durable kids.
Engaging and empowering parents & caregivers**

When: Saturday, May 4, 2024 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: West Vancouver Community Centre

Who: Parents & guardians of children (birth-6 years)

To register for this workshop please email asweeney@wvschools.ca

Limited childcare spots available at Cypress Corner for children 4-6 years. To register for childcare call 604-925-7270 and mention the workshop with code 166007

this parent series is hosted in partnership with the West Vancouver Community Centre

Questions: email mparackal@wvschools.ca

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Parent Workshop Series #2 Exploring the world around us

Communication & Literacies

When: Wednesday, May 29th, 2024 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Where: West Vancouver Community Centre

Who: Parents & guardians of children (birth-6 years)

To register for this workshop email asweeney@wvschools.ca

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TO REGISTER PLEASE EMAIL - ASWEENEY@WVSCHOOLS.CA

CHRIS KENNEDY, WV SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT

Get insight into the thoughts and ideas of Chris Kennedy, Superintendent of the West Vancouver School District. Read his latest blogs and follow him on Twitter to learn more from the CEO of WV Schools in: <https://cultureofyes.ca/> or <https://twitter.com/chrkennedy>

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