



Eagle Harbour
Montessori School

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E-Bulletin EAGLE HARBOUR MONTESSORI October 3, 2024



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CROSS COUNTRY

Eagle Harbour had a great Cross Country season with lots of fun, development and running! A special thank you to Ms. Cameron for coaching.





TERRY FOX September 26

Eagle Harbour celebrated Terry Fox with our annual run on Thursday, September 26, 2024. We surpassed our \$500 goal—we have raised \$553.65!! Thank you EHMS community!



NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

Eagle Harbour recognized National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Day on Friday, September 27, 2024. Students started the day with a school-wide drum circle, led by Ms. Harden, and then participated in various activities throughout the day. Be sure to check out our Heart Garden located at the front of the school.



BEFORE SCHOOL REMINDER

A reminder that our school day starts at 8:30 am, and students are invited into the building at that time. If your child arrives prior to 8:30 am, they are welcome to leave their backpacks in the undercover area and play on our playground, but we do not have

supervision at this time. Mornings are a valuable time for staff to prepare for the day, and we would appreciate your support in reminding students not to enter the building before 8:30 am, unless they have a scheduled meeting with a teacher. Thank you in advance for your help and understanding with this.

PARENT CONFERENCES SIGN UP

Parent-teacher conferences sign up is now available for October 9th and 10th on School Interviews. Please note students are DISMISSED at 12:58 PM on both days. Parents can book a time by:

- 1) Going to the school interviews website (<http://www.schoolinterviews.ca/>),
- 2) clicking on “make a booking”, and entering the event code **gpaq3**
- 3) Clicking on the following **BOOKING LINK**: <https://schoolinterviews.ca/code/gpaq3>
- 4) Scanning this:



AFTER SCHOOL PICK UP

As we settle into October, a reminder about after school dismissal and pick up. Students are dismissed at 2:35pm every day. Staff are usually outside for about 5 minutes to ensure students connect with their family members. If students are not picked up within 15 minutes of the dismissal time, we call home to ensure they have a ride/parents are on their way, as we want to be sure they are safe and connected with their families. We do not have adult supervision after school, and the office closes shortly after dismissal. If you need additional child care after school, we do have on-site after school care and programs available.

Kindergarten Information Session

WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS
A world of opportunity

WELCOME TO YOUR FUTURE

Opportunity awaits!

Parents & Guardians of children entering Kindergarten in September 2025 (children born in 2020) are invited to join us for our K info session.

Please join us for an evening with our school district staff to learn about the Kindergarten registration process and the offerings we have in West Vancouver Schools.

This event is for parents and guardians only, please note that child care will not be available.

PLEASE REGISTER HERE

Date: Thursday, October 3rd, 2024 6:30-7:30 pm
Location: Kay Meek Studio Theatre, 1700 Mathers Avenue, West Vancouver

www.wvschools.ca

K registration for the 25/26 year opens on Monday, October 15th, 2024

DATES AT A GLANCE

OCTOBER	
4	World Teachers Day
8	PAC meeting 8:45-10:00 am in the library
9-10	Parent Conferences (EARLY DISMISSAL 12:58 PM)
14	Thanksgiving Holiday (no school)
25	Professional Development Day
30	Historical Halloween part 1
31	Historical Halloween part 2 (Halloween Day)

CUTLERY FOR HOT LUNCH/LUNCH

REMINDER: Please remember to send cutlery to school for your child if they are participating in the hot lunch program/need it for their regular lunch. We will not be handing out cutlery to our students and the vendors do not supply cutlery with the children's meals.



EAGLE HARBOUR MONTESSORI (EHMS) PAC NEWS

Next PAC Meeting October 8th 8:45 - 10 AM

We're off to a great start this year and lots more to discuss for the coming months! Please join us to add your two cents on our PAC initiatives. Next meeting is **October 8th 8:45 - 10 AM**. Meeting agenda can be found [HERE](#).

Connect with the Eagle Harbour PAC

1. **PAC Facebook group** - join our Facebook group; the place to post questions, get recommendations, or share information with the entire EH school community. [Join Group](#)
2. **WhatsApp Class Group** - every class has a permanent WhatsApp group (same group every year). Parents can update each other, ask questions, set playdates, and whatever else relevant to that class. A parent can choose to join or not and leave the group whenever it's not needed anymore (kid graduated class for example).

***Thanks to all the parents who have volunteered to take on the Class Parent role. Your help is so appreciated!

To join, click the below link from your mobile device:

- Class Parent - **Vanessa (Ben's Mom)** [Ms. Stephen](#)
- Class Parent - **Melissa (Angus' Mom)** [Ms. Hardern](#)
- Class Parent - **Katy (Bertie's Mom)** [Ms. Richardson](#)
- Class Parent - **Helena (Harcus' Mom)** [Mr. Price](#)

Subscribe to the School Calendar

Did you know you can subscribe to the School Calendar so all school and District events are automatically and conveniently added into your calendar? <https://westvancouver.schools.ca/eagleharbour-montessori/events/>

Mabel's Labels Fundraiser

We're fundraising with Mabel's Labels to help support our school. 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 labeling!

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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!



Parent Fundraiser Night

We hope you can join us for a night of mystery and fun with the EHMS community! Wednesday, October 23, 2024 at The Orchard. See flyer for details.

Hot Lunch Ordering is NOW OPEN!



Parents can NOW log onto their Munch-a-lunch accounts and place Hot Lunch Orders for our Fall Session. Fall Session runs from September 25, 2024 until January 17, 2025 (with a two week break during Christmas holidays)

What are the Hot Lunch Options?

1- **Wednesdays- A Moveable Feast** • Options include Hot Dogs, Chicken Fingers, Pasta & Grilled Cheese (Gluten Free & Vegetarian Options available)

2- **Thursdays- Fresh Bay Pizza** • Options include individual slice Pizza, 2 Slices & Brownie Bites (Gluten Free & Vegetarian Options available)

3- **Fridays- Sushi Ichiban** • Options include a variety of Sushi rolls, Miso soup, Gyoza, Teriyaki options & Spring Rolls (Vegetarian options available)

How to Order:

NEW PARENT & EXISTING PARENT to Eagle Harbour

1. Visit Munch a Lunch website (see links below)
2. Create your family account by clicking on “New Users click here” and follow the prompts. If you already have an account from last year, your login and password remain the same. NEW parents register here: <https://munchalunch.com/schools/EagleHarbour>
RETURNING parents login here <https://munchalunch.com/login>
3. Scroll down all the way to the bottom to verify your order then press “Submit My Order”. Remember, there are **no refunds or changes after the deadline.**
4. You can pay for your orders by credit card and MUST BE PAID within 1 hour
 - Ordering is left OPEN all semester in the event you want or need to make a change to an existing order or cancel an order all together (This must be done 7 days prior to hot lunch day)
 - Orders must be placed at least 7 days prior to the next upcoming lunch date
 - If your Child’s food preferences change and they want to make a change to their upcoming hot lunch, YOU CAN!
 - **If you book a vacation** or know your child will be away 7 days prior to their hot lunch day, you can cancel the order in your account: just log into your account, cancel the order, and then reorder something different from the menu or keep it canceled.
 - **If you choose to cancel**, a credit will be reflected in your account to use for future orders or if not used up by end of year, your Hot Lunch Coordinator can issue a cheque for the refund.
 - **If your child is sick or away** on a Hot Lunch Day, Please email Jenny/Allayne, JMackenzie@wvschools.ca, aatkinson@wvschools.ca if you want to pick it up, otherwise it may be distributed as needed.

CONNECT WITH THE EAGLE HARBOUR HOT LUNCH COORDINATOR:

Tricia Foley (Evelyn & Juliet’s Mom) triciafoleycoach@gmail.com

DISTRICT NEWS: WEST VANCOUVER RECREATION CENTRE

Indigenous Arts & Culture Workshop [this fall](#).

Small Group Music Classes: [Ukulele, Acoustic Guitar and Singing Classes are starting in September](#).

Language Program for Various Ages:

[Give yourself a gift of language skills in French, Spanish, Mandarin, Farsi, Korean, American Sign Language \(ASL\), Ukrainian and English as a Second/Third Language.](#)

Click here for [PD Day Camps](#)

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

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I acknowledge and am thankful to live, learn, and work on the territory of the Coast Salish people, specifically the Sʷwx_wú7mesh (Squamish) Nation, whose territory West Vancouver Schools resides.