



# EAGLE HARBOUR MONTESSORI SCHOOL E-BULLETIN

May 22, 2025

## UPCOMING EVENTS



### **MAY 22 TONIGHT!**

Movie Night  
5-7:00PM



### **MAY 23**

PJ Day



### **MAY 29**

Parent  
Appreciation  
Breakfast 7:45-9:00  
AM



### **JUNE 2-6**

Walk and Wheel  
Week

## SPORTS DAY

Thank you  
to the  
teachers for  
creating a  
successful  
and fun  
Sports day!  
Congrats to  
the Blue  
team!



## Parent Appreciation Breakfast: May 29

**Student Learning (FESL) Parent Feedback** Eagle Harbour is in its third year of their strategic goal and we need your input! Please take a moment to answer this (5 minute) survey to help us better understand the parent perspective: [PARENT SURVEY](#)

**COPS FOR CANCER TOONIE DRIVE** Local WVPD has joined forces with the "Cops For Cancer" Tour de Coast. They are collecting toonies in support of childhood cancer research. Bring a toonie or donate here: [COPS FOR CANCER](#)

### **Grade 5 Leadership Team**

Our eldest students have planned a few "Fun Fridays" for the remainder of the year:

**May 23** PJ Day

**May 30** Spirit Wear Day

**June 6** Crazy Hat or Hair Day

**June 13** Athlete Day



We are looking for volunteers to help with our June 12th carnival. There are many roles to make this event a success, so please consider donating an hour of your time to support it. Please contact Jessie (Stella & Daisy's mom) [jessieprice@126.com](mailto:jessieprice@126.com) or Becky (Ines' mom) [rebeccaloyomayo@gmail.com](mailto:rebeccaloyomayo@gmail.com) if you can help in any way!

## 2025-26 MONTESSORI FEES

Our annual Montessori School Fees are now due. Payment may be made all at once or over three installments through [SCHOOL CASH ONLINE](#)

# PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL UPDATES

## SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL!

Click on the logos below to learn more about our current PAC Fundraisers.



Order your hot lunch here!

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Don't forget to label that awesome Spirit Wear!

**TRU EARTH**

Order your Eco Friendly Laundry Detergent Strips here

**TONIGHT!**

## PARENTS NIGHT OUT MOVIE NIGHT IS TONIGHT!

5-7 PM! Wear your PJs, bring a blanket and settle in for a movie, pizza dinner, popcorn and a drink.

**Cost is \$25 cash at the door**

\*\*Please note this event is for current K-5 students only and does not include younger siblings **UNLESS** a parent is also in attendance.



## The Silent Auction Is Back – Donations Needed!

We're excited to announce that our Silent Auction will return this year as part of the School Carnival. To get things started, we're looking for donations!

Whether it's a gift card, gift basket, wine, merchandise or a certificate to a local business, every item helps create an exciting auction and supports our school. We invite every family to help us source at least one donation. To make it easy, we've prepared a [Donation Request Letter](#) you can use when reaching out to employers, local businesses, or friends.

**If you have any questions please don't hesitate to reach out to Rosemarie at [rosemariegromer@gmail.com](mailto:rosemariegromer@gmail.com)**

## PAC FUNDRAISER: BOOK YOUR FAMILY PHOTOS MAY 29TH!



The Parent Appreciation Breakfast is on **May 29 from 7:45am-9:00am**.

While the teachers are spoiling us with breakfast, the amazing photographer Tatiana (Vera's Mom) will be doing (very reasonably priced) family portraits outside. Please support your PAC and sign up below!

Suggested donation: \$25 per photo session (please e-transfer to [rosemariegromer@gmail.com](mailto:rosemariegromer@gmail.com)). [SIGN UP HERE](#) to reserve your spot.

**LAST CHANCE**



# Book Drive



We are **collecting** pre-loved **books and puzzles** for a book sale in the fall to raise funds for the school and we need your help. We are hoping to collect 1000 books!

Your child will be bringing home 10 flyers for you to drop off with neighbours/family/friends/colleagues.  
**Please help your child gather donations!**

1. **Read** the flyer, and **fill in the date** you will collect the books
2. **Distribute** the flyers
3. **Collect** donations on the date you selected
4. **Bring** the books to school by 2nd June.

**Thanks so much for your help supporting our little school in the woods.**

If you would like more information, would like a PDF of the flyer to print/share, or would like to help out, please contact Katy (Bertie & Lucy's Mum) or Tonia (Sienna's Mom)

Thank you for reading all these updates and for your much needed participation in all things PAC! It's a busy time of year so it is **MUCH APPRECIATED!**



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Montessori School

## CARNIVAL TOMBOLA DRIVE



### WHAT'S A TOMBOLA?

It's a prize draw where you pick a number from a hat and win the matching prize.

### WHAT GOES IN A TOMBOLA?

Pre-loved or new small items that would fit in a sandwich sized Ziploc bag.

Think ...

- ✧ Lego, puzzles, marbles, dice, hotwheels
- ✧ Art supplies, stickers, temporary tattoos
- ✧ Jokes, magic tricks, skipping ropes, bouncy balls
- ✧ Goodies you get in party bags
- ✧ Anything that kids would love to win!



*Every contribution makes a BIG difference.*

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

Please help by donating 2-4 prefilled Tombola bags. Drop your pre-filled Ziploc bags to the office by **May 30th**.

Questions? Contact Rebecca Loyo Mayo or Shiyi Su  
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## 2024/2025 Legacy Project Underway!

Each year the PAC endeavors to pay for a transformative project that will last for multiple years. This is called our Legacy Project. Some recent examples were the Indigenous drums and 10 new iPads.

This year we are doing a very ambitious Legacy Project of painting a new school mural. You may have noticed the old mural has been removed and the Mural Committee has been hard at work preparing the wall for a big, bold and colourful mural that is going to transform our school exterior. We can't wait for you to see it!

A lot of work has gone into this project. A big thanks to Talia (Noga's Mom) and Emilyn (Mason's Mom) and Ms. Richardson for putting in a lot of extra hours to bring this idea to life.

If you are interested in volunteering in painting or helping out in anyway, please reach out to Andrea [ehpac@wvschools.ca](mailto:ehpac@wvschools.ca). The painting is currently scheduled for the week of June 3.

## DISTRICT UPDATES

### District News

We want to make information accessible and easy to find when looking for local programs, events, and resources in West Vancouver.

Check out this link [HERE](#) for more information.

### 2025 Summer Learning with West Vancouver Schools

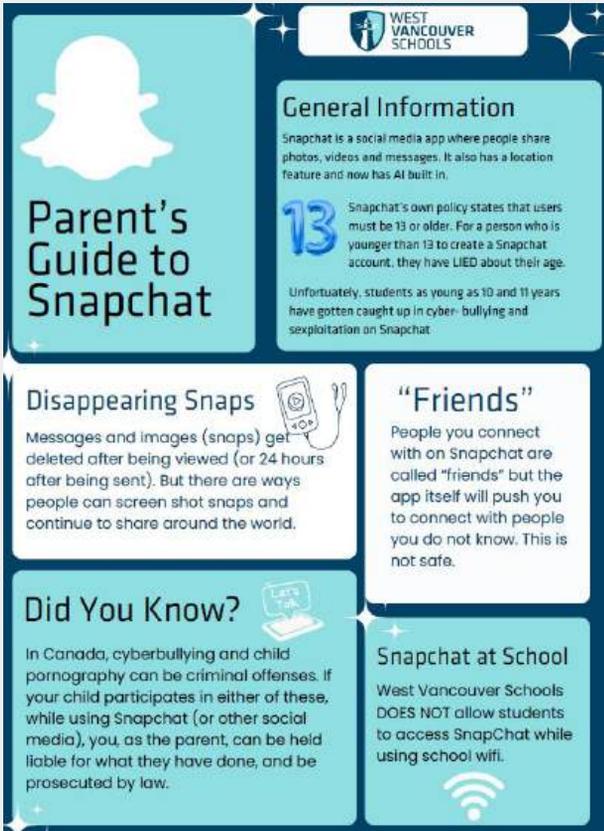
Are you interested in learning during the summer? West Vancouver Schools will be offering a robust Summer Learning Program for both elementary and secondary students during July 2025.

Online registration for both the elementary and secondary Summer Learning programs opens on Monday, April 7 at 8:00 AM. Elementary registration closes on May 9. Secondary registration closes on June 13.

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](#).



# DISTRICT UPDATES



**WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS**

## Parent's Guide to Snapchat

**General Information**  
Snapchat is a social media app where people share photos, videos and messages. It also has a location feature and now has AI built in.

**13** Snapchat's own policy states that users must be 13 or older. For a person who is younger than 13 to create a Snapchat account, they have LIED about their age.

Unfortunately, students as young as 10 and 11 years have gotten caught up in cyber-bullying and exploitation on Snapchat.

**Disappearing Snaps**  
Messages and images (snaps) get deleted after being viewed (or 24 hours after being sent). But there are ways people can screen shot snaps and continue to share around the world.

**"Friends"**  
People you connect with on Snapchat are called "friends" but the app itself will push you to connect with people you do not know. This is not safe.

**Did You Know?**  
In Canada, cyberbullying and child pornography can be criminal offenses. If your child participates in either of these, while using Snapchat (or other social media), you, as the parent, can be held liable for what they have done, and be prosecuted by law.

**Snapchat at School**  
West Vancouver Schools DOES NOT allow students to access SnapChat while using school wifi.

## If your child is under 13

- They SHOULD NOT be using Snapchat
- As soon as they enter school grounds, their phone should be put away and not brought out again until they leave school grounds
- Consider holding off on getting them a phone as long as possible and if you do get them a phone, make sure you rules and guidelines over its use.

## Did you know?

- Snapchat has gamified many of its features, in order to appeal to younger users. Snapstreaks and snapscore are two ways to keep kids interested in the app.
- Snapchat is used by drug dealers and sexual predators as a way to "friend" and then access young people.
- Snapmap allows people to show others exactly where they are. This can be dangerous.
- The "Discover" section of Snapchat can expose students to inappropriate content.

## If your child has Snapchat

- Make sure they are old enough to be on it - remember, at least 13!!
- Make sure you are one of their "friends" and monitor their account
- Talk to them about their Snapchat use on a regular basis
- Make sure they know how to block and report users and content
- Familiarize yourself with all of the settings and features then talk to your child about safety and your family values and rules
- Remember, YOU are the adult! If your child is not using their phone safely, you can take it away or shut off their data.



**WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS**  
*A world of opportunity*

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**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。このお知らせを翻訳してもらってください。

**알려드립니다**  
아장중 번역해 주십시오

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