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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。

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INFORMACIÓN IMPORTANTE

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ВАЖНАЯ ИНФОРМАЦИЯ
Переведите это, пожалуйста.

April 24, 2025

School Enrollment for 2025-26

Planning for the next school year is now in progress, and we are actively accepting registrations for new students entering our schools in September 2025. To assist us with offering placements for new students, and to provide a smooth transition for all students to their next grade level, parents are asked to inform the school office if your child will not be returning in September.

A form was sent home with all Gleneagles families this past week; families at Lions Bay school are asked to contact the school office and let Ms. Cox know if your child will not be returning in September. Thank you for your cooperation and assistance with this important task.

**As you make travel and return to school plans, please refer to AP 300: "Enrolled students will be removed from the school's register if the student has not returned to school by 3:00 pm on the Thursday after school opening." (ie. September 4, 2025)*

Student Learning Conferences

A reminder that Student Learning Conferences are being held this week at both GEC & LB and parents are encouraged to attend and take advantage of this opportunity to see firsthand what your child is working on in their classroom. Please mark your calendars (Lions Bay: April 24, Gleneagles: April 25) and see details below for times and specifics. We look forward to seeing you soon!

GLENEAGLES NEWS

Student Learning Conferences – please join us!

All parents are invited to this event which will take place tomorrow: **Friday, April 25th**. The GEC PAC will host a parent coffee time in the gym from 8:30 to 9:00 am, followed by a school-wide open house from 9:00 to 10:00 am where parents can visit classrooms and enjoy a conference time with their child(ren). Students will engage in learning with their parent(s) and offer a firsthand look at what they are working on at school.

Willy Wonka Jr. – it's Show Time!

Our shows are only a couple of days away, and we can't wait! This is your last chance to get tickets; don't miss out. We are almost sold out!

This is the final call for tickets sales for all grade 4 to 7 families through [School Cash Online](#); ticket sales are limited to 4 per family (space is limited due to fire regulations in the gym). Extra tickets may be requested through our waitlist – please email Ms. Pistilli to request extra tickets at mapistilli@wvschools.ca.

Students in kindergarten through to grade 3 will have an opportunity to watch our dress rehearsal on the afternoon of Monday, April 28th, along with our friends from Lions Bay school who will be joining us that day. Please note: this is a closed dress rehearsal for students and staff only.

Monday, April 28th, 6:30 pm Tickets are \$5.00 each	Featuring all cast members along with students in Division 2 (Mrs. Staples), 3 (Ms. McIntyre) and 4 (Ms. Zandvliet)
Tuesday, April 29th, 6:30 pm Tickets are \$5.00 each	Featuring all cast members along with students in Division 1 (Ms. Philip), 5 (Mrs. Foster) and 6 (Ms. Maledy)

Costume Requirements: Grade 4 to 7 students (who are not a featured cast member) will be performing during their assigned show and have been rehearsing during music class with Ms. Inkster. These students are asked to wear a plain white or brown t-shirt (no large logos please) with dark bottoms. Additional accessories will be provided at school. Thank you!



Photo Day coming soon!

Come to school looking sharp on **Thursday, May 1st** as our school photographer from Edge Imaging will be on site to take class photos, our grade 7 group photo and a school-wide panorama photo. Photos will begin at 9:00 am on this day. All students will receive a complimentary digital copy of their class photo at a later date, courtesy of Edge Imaging.

GEC PAC Fundraiser

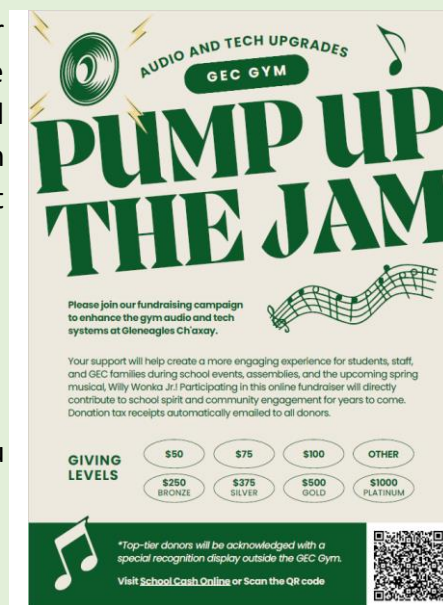
To date, we have raised \$5890 towards our goal of \$25 000! Thank you to all of our families who have donated so far. If you have not yet made your donation, please consider doing so as soon as possible. You will receive a donation receipt for your contribution - any donation amount is greatly appreciated!

The Gleneagles PAC is upgrading the gym AV and Tech systems in time for the Spring musical. As part of this initiative, we will be upgrading multiple speakers, microphones, projector unit and screen, control boards, and more! The estimated cost of this entire audio and tech project may reach up to \$25,000! Participating in this online fundraiser will directly benefit GEC for years to come.

Please donate through our School Cash Online Fundraising Link here:

[PUMP UP THE JAM AT GEC](#)

****Please make sure to select the “Gleneagles PAC: Pump Up The Jam! Gym Audio & Tech” as the fund destination if not already selected.** If you have any questions, please reach out to Emily at gecpacchair@gmail.com. Thank you for your support!



Sports Explorers Program

A two-week in school program will be held at Gleneagles from **May 5 – 15th** for all students in Kindergarten through to grade 7. We are fortunate to have partnered with PCC (Private Coaching Collective) and are looking forward to having talented coaches from PCC visit our school and lead an exciting sports program for our kids. This program will be run during our PE blocks and all classes will have an opportunity to work with the coaches and be introduced to a variety of sports and physical activities in a fun, engaging, and non-competitive environment.



There is a \$15 user fee in place for all students to help offset the cost of this program. Please submit payment through [School Cash Online](#) as soon as possible.

For more information about our PCC coaches, please visit [PCC Coaching Team](#)

School Newspaper

Students in our Creative Club meet weekly with Ms. Dykstra and have lots of fun working on different projects and sharing ideas. They have put together a school newspaper, please have a look here:

[GEC 1st Edition Newspaper](#)

Traffic Advisory

Beginning, **Monday April 28th**, watermain construction on Eagleridge Drive, between HWY 1 Exit 2A/Eagleridge Drive and Marine Drive will be taking place. Construction is expected to take 3 months, depending on underground conditions encountered. Construction impacts can be expected as follows:

- Full road closure during work hours on Eagleridge Drive, between HWY 1 Exit 2A/Eagleridge Drive and Marine Drive. Local access will remain, however, there may be temporary delays or parking restrictions.
- Construction signage and traffic control personnel will be on-site to facilitate traffic flow and pedestrian safety.
- Work will take place Monday to Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., or as necessary to complete the project.
- Emergency vehicle access will always remain during construction.

Please be aware that access to Marine Drive and HWY 1 via Eagleridge Drive will be limited during work hours; detours should take place via Horseshoe Bay Drive.

Project updates will be provided at westvancouver.ca/traffic when available.

LIONS BAY NEWS

Spirit Day

This **Friday, April 25th** is our next Spirit Day; Bring your stuffies to school tomorrow! Our grade 3's have decided it's "bring your stuffy to school day" on this day and everyone is invited to join in!

Fieldtrip to Gleneagles

Lions Bay students will be visiting our friends at GEC on **Monday, April 28th** with a scheduled departure time of 9:45 am. Bus transportation has been organized for this day and students will return to school by approximately 2:30 pm. While at Gleneagles, students will have the opportunity to watch the dress rehearsal of the Willy Wonka show, have lunch and then explore the Gleneagles playground and community. Students are reminded to bring a small backpack with a healthy snack, their lunch, and a water bottle. We will be outside for part of the day, so please check the weather and dress accordingly.

Pancake Breakfast

Join the Lions Bay PAC for a delicious pancake breakfast along with sausages, coffee and juice, on **Friday, May 2nd**. All Lions Bay families are welcome to attend!

Please reserve your spot by submitting an etransfer payment to lionsbaypac45@gmail.com.

Thank you to our Lions Bay PAC for organizing this event.



PAC Meeting

The next PAC meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, May 8th at 6:00 pm**. Please see the [agenda here](#).

This meeting will take place via Teams, please follow the links below to join the meeting. We encourage all LB parents to join us!

Microsoft Teams: [Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 241 653 025 961

Passcode: amr4qm

Earth Day

Our students did a terrific job of cleaning up our school grounds on Earth Day and learning about environmental awareness and care for the planet.



DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday, April 24 th	Simple Machines workshop for Divisions 4/5/6 at GEC Student Learning Conferences at LB, with early dismissal at 12:15 pm
Friday, April 25 th	GEC Parent coffee in the gym at 8:30am Student Learning Conferences in classrooms at GEC, 9:00 – 10:00am Reading Link Challenge in Learning Commons, gr. 4/5
Monday, April 28 th	LB students visiting GEC Willy Wonka Jr! Opening Night, 6:30pm (class performances by Divisions 2, 3, 4)
Tuesday, April 29 th	Willy Wonka Jr! Closing Night, 6:30pm (class performances by Divisions 1, 5, 6)
Thursday, May 1 st	Photo Day at GEC – classes, grade 7 group & school panorama Ultimate Tournament @ Hugo Ray Park, 1:00 pm

	Bob Baker (Sahplek) visit at LB
Friday, May 2 nd	Pancake Breakfast at LB, 8:00 am
May 5 to 15 th	Sports Explorers Program at GEC, all classes
Monday, May 5 th	Cops for Cancer Toonie Drive begins
Tuesday, May 6 th	Class & Panorama photos at LB
Wednesday, May 7 th	District Reading Link Challenge at WVML, 10:30 am
Thursday, May 8 th	LB PAC Meeting, 6:00 pm
Friday, May 9 th	Pancake Breakfast at GEC, 7:00 am

COMMUNITY NEWS

Please visit our [District Community Connections page](#) to see upcoming community news and events.

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 opened on Monday, April 7. 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](#).

Registration is Open for the following West Vancouver Schools Academy Programs:

Basketball: <https://westvancouver.schools.ca/academies/basketball/>

Field Hockey: <https://westvancouver.schools.ca/academies/field-hockey/>

Soccer: <https://westvancouver.schools.ca/academies/soccer/>

Tennis: <https://westvancouver.schools.ca/academies/tennis/>

Taste of the Bay



WEDNESDAY MAY 28th 2025

5:30PM - 8:30PM

TICKETS ON SALE MAY 1ST: ADULTS \$30 / CHILDREN \$15

AVAILABLE AT TROLL'S BLENZ, GLENEAGLES COMMUNITY CENTRE

PADDLE YOUR WAY AROUND HORSESHOE BAY

VISIT THE PARTICIPATING BUSINESSES FOR A SAMPLING OF FOOD, DRINK AND OTHER GOODIES.

ENTER YOUR TICKET AT THE END FOR AMAZING PRIZES.

THREE ADULT PRIZE DRAWS LIVE MUSIC

KIDS PADDLE BOARD PRIZE DRAW



HORSESHOE BAY

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