

HOLLYBURN THIS WEEK: April 15th-19th



The Week Ahead	
Monday	Ultimate Practice 3:00-3:45pm on Hollyburn Field
Tuesday	Ultimate Game #2 (Grade 7's)
Wednesday	Reading Link Challenge Competition (For any interested Grade 4/5 students)
Thursday	Class Photo Day! Ultimate Practice 8:00-8:45am on Hollyburn Field
Friday	
UPCOMING...	See more details on our calendar at the end of this document

Information, Request, Reminders

Congratulations Math Centrum Participants!



Congratulations to all of our Math Centrum Contest participants. We had an excellent turnout of students, who were eager to show off their numeracy skills during Wednesday's contest. We are proud of all of our participants from Grade 3 to Grade 7!



A big thank you to all the teachers and staff members who supported Math Club, specifically Ms. Forward, Ms. Murray, and Mr. Loewen. Participants can look forward to receiving their results in June.



Congratulations Moses!



Congratulations to Moses Li, in Division 7, who recently competed in the British Columbia Youth Chess Tournament. Moses won first place for the under 10 section as a proud Hollyburn student! Moses won in the fourth round of a grueling 3 hrs game. Well done Moses!



**CARI WILSON
PRESENTATION
on
DIGITAL
CITIZENSHIP**

Cari Wilson, District Vice-Principal of Innovation and Technology, presented to PAC on Digital Citizenship and cyberbullying.



Ms. Wilson shares: “Parents are a vital part of the equation when it comes to raising responsible digital citizens. Educate yourself about your child's digital life - it is likely to be very different from what you experienced as a child. Keep the lines of communication open with your child, other parents and your child's school. Remember, it takes a village to raise a child!”

Below are some helpful websites that Ms. Wilson shared:

Media Smarts is a Canadian not-for-profit organization. Their website includes all kinds of information that is helpful to parents, including tip sheets and guides for navigating parenting in the digital age.

Common Sense Media is an American organization - The parent section of their website includes reviews of books, movies and video games, as well as what parents need to know about hot topics like cell phones, TikTok, Fortnite and Online Safety. Be sure to check out the "Parents Need to Know" section

Connect Safely Quick Guide - This website has a bunch of "quick guides" to help parents navigate topics such as social media with kids.

Check out Cari

**HOLLYBURN
COMICS &
GAMES DESIGN
LUNCHTIME
CLASS**



Hollyburn – Comics and Game Design Lunch Time Class

Apr 18 to Jun 6 : Thursdays : 12:10pm - 12:50pm

Age 6-13 (Grades 1-7) Located at Hollyburn Elementary \$176

In this course you will learn from the work of famous concept artists, illustrators, and designers about techniques for creating memorable characters and stories. Before we ever had video games, board games reigned supreme for immersing us in fantasy worlds.

Create your own board game complete with resin game pieces!




The sky is really the limit when it comes to games, so it's the perfect outlet for creative kids!



These are exciting classes co written by our illustrator and game on designer staff.

For our lunch time classes our students bring their lunches with them to the library and are often watching the weekly lesson while eating their lunch.

Let our teachers show you how to make a board game your whole family will have fun playing!

Register [here!](#)

<p>PAC: "WE NEED YOU!"</p>	<p>Calling all parents and guardians! Hollyburn PAC is looking for people who are interested in joining their incredible team. There are 2 positions available that need to be filled- Treasurer & Hot Lunch Admin. If you are interested in either of the positions, or learning more about PAC, please email: Sogol Zaimi, sogol.zaimi@gmail.com</p> 
<p>2024 SUMMER LEARNING WITH WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS</p>	<p>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 opens on Monday, April 8 at 8:00AM. Elementary registration closes on May 10. Secondary registration closes on June 14.</p>  <p>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.</p>
<p>FESL UPDATE (Framework for Enhancing Student Learning) PARENT SURVEY</p>	<p>Hollyburn is interested in collecting parent voices as we continue working towards achievement of our school goal. Please follow the link below to add your input and contribute to Hollyburn's learning. The survey should take no longer than 5 minutes.</p>  <p>https://forms.office.com/r/dkMUykydKn</p>

<p>BABY PLAY GROUP</p>	 <p>Parents/caregivers and their babies 0-12 months old (who are not walking yet) are invited to our complimentary Baby Play Group starting April 8th at Hollyburn. Register here.</p>
<p>K-3 MULTI-SPORT AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM</p>	<p>This excitement-filled program focuses on FUN, physical literacy and sport skill improvement through fun games and activities. Participants will move through a variety of sports such as basketball, soccer, tennis, football, hockey, volleyball, handball, and more. Participants will be fully submerged in the world of sports and are bound to leave the day with a smile on their face, eager for the next day!</p> <p>NOTE: This is a non-competitive program and is suitable for athletes of any experience or level</p> <p>Dates: Wednesdays, April 17, 2024 - June 19, 2024 Times: 2:50-3:50pm Grades: K-3 Cost: \$180 + GST Registration: Sign up here</p>
<p>SKWXWU7MESH LANGUAGE LESSONS</p>	 <p>In the coming months, all of our classes at Hollyburn will be learning Skwxwu7mesh Language Lessons with K’etximtn (Mr. Alroy Baker). K’etximtn is a Skwxwu7mesh elder, weaver, language holder, and knowledge keeper. We are so lucky to have him as part of our Hollyburn community and he will be running weekly sessions with classes from January until June.</p>
<p>WV DISTRICT FOOD SECURITY PLAN</p>	<p>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 the school principal (blloyd@wvschools.ca) if support is needed with food-related</p>

	<p>costs. Please be assured that all requests will be addressed with sensitivity, respect and confidentiality.</p>
<p>SPRING PLANT SALE</p>	<div data-bbox="467 310 727 508" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><i>Hollyburn is holding a Spring Plant fundraiser to raise money for our school initiatives! Please support our school by purchasing beautiful hanging baskets, patio planters, herbs and much more!</i></p> <p><i>Delivery will be May 7, just in time for Mother's Day. These plants will make great Mother's Day gifts or perfect to start your summer garden!</i></p> <p><i>Please follow this link https://hollyburn.growingsmilesfundraising.com to check out the products available, to place your order and pay online. Last day to order is April 21st.</i></p> <p><i>Thank you very much in advance for your support! If you have any questions, please email Mrs. D at jdelucrezia@wvschools.ca.</i></p>
<p>BC CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL FUNDRAISER AND JEANS DAY</p>	<p>This April, Hollyburn School is helping kids at BC Children's Hospital get out of their hospital gowns and back into their jeans.</p> <p>As the only children's hospital in the province, kids count on BC Children's for specialized care they often can't receive anywhere else. Although many strides have been made in improving children's health care, so much more needs to be done. You can make a big difference in the lives of children and families with serious and life-long childhood diseases across our province.</p> <p>Please consider donating to our Hollyburn fundraising page HERE. Students, staff, and families are invited to wear jeans on Tuesday April 30th as a celebration of our fundraising efforts.</p> <p>Plus, your donation will be generously matched by Odium Brown*, so don't miss this chance to double your impact and help support us by making a secure online donation to my fundraising page. Thank you for your support!</p> <p><i>* Gifts will be matched from April 3-30, up to a cumulative total of \$30,000.</i></p>

In the community	
CIRCLE OF SECURITY - PARENTING PROGRAM	<p>Hollyburn Family Services is pleased to present Circle of Security - 8 Week Parenting Program. Click HERE for more information.</p> <p>Eligibility: Must be the parent/caregiver of a child between the ages of 0-5 and living on the North Shore/Bowen Island.</p>
WV LITTLE LEAGUE REGISTRATION	<p>West Vancouver Little League registration is open! Spring baseball for ages 5-16 We have girls only programs this year! https://wvll.ca/registration/</p>

COMING UP!

Tuesday, April 23rd

- Ultimate Game #3 (Grade 7's)

Wednesday, April 24th

- Div. 10, 11, 12 to Beatty Museum

Friday, April 26th

- Family Friday

Tuesday, April 30th

- Jeans Day

Thursday, May 2nd

- Ultimate Tournament 1-5pm

Friday, May 3rd

- NSBIT (Delayed Start - 9:50am)