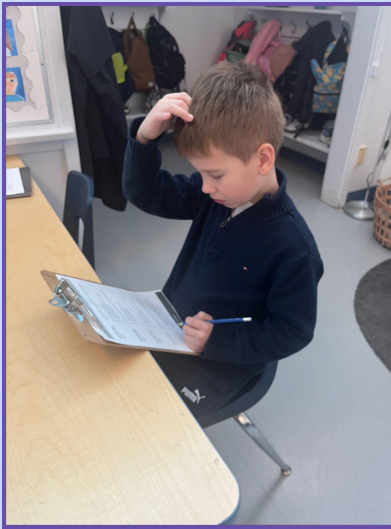


HOLLYBURN THIS WEEK: APRIL 7th - 11th



THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY	2025 Summer Learning Registration OPENS!
TUESDAY	9am PAC MEETING 3:45 ULTIMATE GAME #1
WEDNESDAY	TRIAD CONFERENCES early dismissal at 11:10 for all students
THURSDAY	TRIAD CONFERENCES early dismissal at 11:10 for all students *PURDY'S PICK UP
FRIDAY	Tim Hortons Foundation Camps In-Community Program (Div 3, 4, & 5)

UPCOMING EVENTS... see at the bottom of the document

Information, Request, Reminders

The Card Project

Hollyburn families—it's time to celebrate your child's creativity! Order high-quality products like greeting cards, mugs, tote bags, notebooks, and more, all featuring your child's own artwork.



Ordering is now open and closes on April 13th.



Ordering instructions were sent home earlier this week. If you need a reminder or have any questions, feel free to reach out.

This is a fantastic fundraiser that supports Hollyburn while showcasing the incredible talent of our students. These keepsakes also make great gifts!



Visit www.thecardproject.ca to place your order today!

Triad Conferences – Have You Signed Up?

Triad Conferences provide a meaningful opportunity for students, parents/guardians, and teachers to come together to discuss learning progress, strengths, and goals. This is a valuable chance to hear from your child about their learning and engage in a conversation about their growth. Please ensure you have signed up using the link shared by your child's teacher.



2025 Summer Learning with West Vancouver Schools

Save the date! Summer Learning registration opens on Monday, April 7 at 8:00 a.m. For more information, please refer to the Summer Learning information flyers ([elementary](#) or [secondary](#)) or the [Summer Learning Website](#).

Volunteer with North Shore Highlands Challenger Baseball!

The Highlands Little League Challenger Baseball Division is seeking volunteers > 13 years of age to help fill the role of "Buddy" for our upcoming 2025 season. This is a fantastic opportunity for anyone

seeking a fun, rewarding experience working with youth and adults with disabilities, in an outdoor sports setting!

Volunteer with North Shore Highlands Challenger Baseball!

Challenger Baseball is a national organization that helps local leagues provide individuals with cognitive and physical disabilities (both youths and adults) the chance to be on a team, in a uniform, having fun engaging in a sporting activity with those of similar ability. Each year, Highlands Challenger Baseball assists between 70-80 North and West Vancouver residents who can't participate in regular baseball leagues due to varying types of disabilities. We provide participants with more than an opportunity to play - we also provide a much-needed break from therapies and appointments that typically fill up much of the weekly schedule for both players and parents.

What is Challenger Baseball?

The 2025 Challenger season will run from Sat Apr 12/25 to Sat Jun 28/25 inclusive, with games played each Saturday from 10:00 to 11:15-11:30am (11 games total for the season). An all-day Jamboree event for all BC Challenger teams will also be scheduled in June for those able to attend, with details and location to be announced.

Want to get involved and join the Highlands Challenger Family?

Please contact our Highlands Buddy Coordinators at challengerbuddies@gmail.com for more information.

What does a Buddy do?

Each Highlands Challenger player is partnered with a "Buddy" - a volunteer who acts as a partner, guide, protector and friend during game days. Buddies are responsible for keeping their player safe on the field, assisting their player with batting, running bases, and catching, and being supportive and uplifting to both their player and all the players at the field.

Challenger players look forward to the fun and friendship that comes with seeing their Buddy each week, and Buddies can look forward to not only a great time on the field, but also to gaining a greater appreciation of diversity and enhanced capacity for inclusion.

ATTENTION PARENTS OF STUDENTS IN GRADE 4 & 7:

Learning Surveys



Each year in British Columbia, students in grades 4 and 7 are asked to complete the Learning Surveys. The learning survey asks students questions about their school experiences. Parents with children in Grades 4 and 7 are also invited to complete a parent survey. A parent may complete a survey for each child in the targeted grades. The parent survey is available in English,

	French and 16 other languages. Parents can complete surveys on their own time by clicking <u>LEARNING SURVEY</u>
WEST VANCOUVER FOOD SECURITY PLAN	<p>As part of the Ministry of Education and Childcare <u>Feeding Futures initiative</u>, 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 (blloyd@wvschools.ca) or to feedingfutures@wvschools.ca if they need support with food-related costs.</p> <p>Please be assured that all requests will be addressed with sensitivity, respect, and confidentiality</p>



HPAC UPDATES

Next HPAC meeting is scheduled for Tuesday April 8th, 2025, 9am at the school library. Everyone is welcome

100% of funds raised by the HPAC are returned to the school. With your support we are able to purchase personal electronic devices (iPads & Chromebooks) for the school. HPAC also provides teachers with funds for classroom supplies, classroom workshops, PE/sports equipment, musical instruments and more!

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

We are changing how we share community news and events. Starting now, individual "Community Connections" will no longer be included in our school bulletins. Instead, all local programs, events, and resources will be found in one convenient location, accessible through a [single link](#) that we'll update and share with you each week.

All school-specific information will continue to be featured in our regular



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

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Coming Up!

Friday, April 5	NSBIT - school starts at 9:50 a.m.
Tuesday, April 8	HPAC meeting in the library - all welcome! 9:00 a.m.
Tuesday, April 8	Ultimate game # 1 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.
Wednesday, April 9	Triad conferences - dismissal at 11:10 a.m.
Thursday, April 10	Triad conferences - dismissal at 11:10 a.m.
Thursday, April 10	Purdy's chocolate orders ready for pick up
Tuesday, April 15	Ultimate game #2 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.
Thursday, April 17	Class and Panorama photos
Friday, April 18	Good Friday holiday - no school today
Monday, April 21	Easter Monday holiday - no school today
Tuesday, April 22	Ultimate game #3 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.
Thursday, May 1	Ultimate tournament at Hugo Ray Park 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.