



WEST BAY
ELEMENTARY

THE WOLF

END JUNE, 2023

[West Bay Website](#)



WEST BAY
ELEMENTARY

SCHOOL REPORTS PUBLISHED TODAY

Click [here](#) to access.

Please download before end July.

Due to privacy laws the school is no longer able to email reports.

2023-24 YEAR IN A GLANCE CALENDAR

CLICK [HERE](#) FOR CALENDAR



PAYMENTS DUE

[CLICK HERE TO PAY](#)

23-24 GR 6 OUTDOOR SCHOOL

\$320 fee - due by 31st August



23-24 BOOK BAGS

\$13 for all new K to Gr 3 Students

23-24 IB FEES

\$500 Fee

Due for payment by 31 August.

USEFUL LINKS

[SUPPORTING PYP LEARNER](#)

[MUNCHALUNCH](#)

[MYEDUCATION BC](#)

[SCHOOLCASHONLINE](#)

[OPEN PARACHUTE](#)

[DRIVER'S FORM FOR FIELD TRIPS](#)

HAPPY SUMMER!

The end of every school year is always bittersweet. As we wish our Grade 7s and other departing students the best of luck as they continue their journeys elsewhere and welcoming our newest little wolves in, I love to take some time to reflect on the school year as it comes to a close.

West Bay is a unique community for so many reasons. The school grounds continue to be an envy to anyone who has had to the opportunity to spend time on them. And of course, our PAC contributions continued to enhance these spaces through the Outdoor Door classroom space, the installation of the Stream of Dreams, support of our gardens, and the much-loved demonstration beehive.

All our classes took the learning outside of the walls of the school in experiences that included Outdoor Learning, Outdoor School, local beach visits and cleanups, field trips to the Seymour River, Science World, the Orpheum, canoeing, Grouse Mountain, paddleboarding, and sporting events.

Within the walls, our learners were challenged to take action with their learning and to better understand the impact that they could have on their local and global community. Our learners grew as readers, as athletes, and scholars, as communicators, as citizens, and connected new knowledge to things they already knew.

We welcomed new staff members and will say "see you soon" to some others. On behalf of the West Bay staff, I would like to personally thank all of our families for your continued support and for a remarkable year. I wish you the best for a summer filled with joy, family, rest, and growth and look forward to seeing you all in the fall, albeit from a different vantage point!

SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER!

The first day of classes is SEPTEMBER 5th. Please look forward to emails and information from Mr. Slater over the summer. If your child will not be in attendance on Tuesday, September 5th 2023, please contact the school office sbarrie@wvschools.ca. As we typically experience a high number of registrations over the summer and would like to ensure that all students have a school to attend, we may not be able to guarantee spots will be available for students who are not in attendance the first week of school per the following from [District Administrative Procedures](#):

We look forward to seeing you back in September!

Tuesday 5th September	All Grade 1-7 Students New Students Report to Gym	09:00-10:00
Wednesday 6th September	Kindergarten Group A Kindergarten Group B Grade 1-7 Full Day of School	09:30-11:30 12:30-14:30

SUMMER READING CLUB CLICK [HERE](#) TO REGISTER



The Kids Summer Reading Club is for children who can do a bit of reading on their own with some help, and kids who can read totally on their own. They can read any way they like ... print books, ebooks, audiobooks, books in any language... as long as they read for at least 15 minutes a day for 50 days. Students entering grade seven and our students soon off to secondary school may join the Teen Summer Reading Club. Both are excellent programs that create engagement and support our students' literacy development. Last year we had phenomenal participation and brought home the large school trophy for most participation! The programs are free, and you need only get down to the West Vancouver Memorial Library (1950 Marine Drive) to register. Please join our West Bay community of readers by registering your child for summer reading.



CUBING CLUB COMES TO A CLOSE

The cubing club had their final tournament hosted by Parsia in grade 6. Congratulations to all contestants on their excellent cubing this year.



GRADE 1 END OF YEAR CELEBRATION

Grade ones had their year-end celebration last Friday. It was a beautiful day and a perfect afternoon.

Congratulations Grade One's for all your hard work and determination!

What a great year!



HIGH TEA

Ms. LaBounty and Ms. Richardson recently hosted 4 students for high tea in the office which was one of the auction items at our most recent Gala. The students had a lovely lunch visit and were treated to many delicious goodies.





KINDERGARTEN GRADUATION

Kindergarten students celebrated their learning this week demonstrating their confidence and knowledge they have gained over the year.

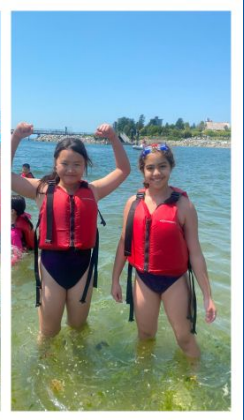
We are so proud of their growth and development throughout the year!

OCEAN AMBASSADORS AND THE GRADE 5s

Division Six had a spectacular day learning about marine conservation, paddle boarding, and swimming with Ocean Ambassadors at Ambleside.

Students paddled hard through the wind and were rewarded by jumping off their paddle boards into the ocean to cool off.

Ms. Robinson had a great time too!!!



WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS SUMMER LEARNING IN PERSON REGISTRATION FOR SECONDARY COURSES

West Vancouver Schools Summer Learning will be holding an in-person late registration session for all secondary courses with available space on Friday, June 30 from 10:00 – 11:00 am at the Inglewood Learning Center meeting room, which is located at 1735 Inglewood Avenue (the eastern portable at the bottom of the West Vancouver Secondary School campus).

Registration will be available for **students currently registered in a West Vancouver School** and will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. The placement priority order which was in place during online registration does not apply to in-person registration. A list of available courses is indicated below but availability of courses cannot be guaranteed on the day. Please also note that registration for secondary full-credit courses will only be available to students who have just completed Grades 9-11.

Current Course Availability

Full-Credit Courses at WVSS (July 3 – 28 from 8:30 am – 1:05 pm)

Grade 10 Courses * Students in Grade 9 and up are eligible to register	Grade 11 Courses * Students in Grade 10 and up are eligible to register	Grade 12 Courses * Students in Grade 10 and up are eligible to register
English First Principles Composition 10 and Literary Studies 10 (English 10) Language and Cultural Literacy 10 (ELL) Social Studies 10	Life Sciences 11 – limited space English First Peoples Literary Studies and Writing 11	Pre-calculus 12 20th Century World History 12

Grades 8 and 9 Preview and Review Courses at WVSS

Session #1: July 3-14 from 8:30 am to 12:50 pm	Session #2: July 17 – 30 from 8:30 am to 12:50 pm
For students in Grades 7 and 8, the following non-credit classes are available: Math 8 Preview and Review For students in Grades 8 and 9, the following non-credit classes are available: Math 8 Preview and Review Science 9 Preview and Review	For students in Grades 7 and 8, the following non-credit classes are available: English 8 Preview and Review Science 8 Preview and Review For students in Grades 8 and 9, the following non-credit classes are available: English 8 Preview and Review Science 8 Preview and Review Math 9 Preview and Review

***PLEASE NOTE ONLY COURSES LISTED HAVE SPACE**

To register in person you will need your child’s nine-digit Personal Education Number (PEN) with them. This number is available on your child’s report card.

NEW KINDERGARTEN AND GRADE 1-3 STUDENTS

Please purchase your Library Book Bag online [here](#) - \$13.00, due by 31 August.



2023-24 SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND STUDENT PLANNERS

ORDER ONLINE [HERE](#) - Using Code 4506

KINDERGARTEN LIST

[GRADE 1 LIST](#)

[GRADE 2 LIST](#)

[GRADE 3 LIST](#)

[GRADE 4 LIST](#)

[GRADE 5 LIST](#)

[GRADE 6 LIST](#)

[GRADE 7 LIST](#)



BYOD LETTER - GRADE 4-7 STUDENTS BRING YOUR OWN DEVICE

Click [here](#) for 23-24 Computer Recommendations.



2023-24 ELEMENTARY BAND FOR GRADE 6 AND 7 STUDENTS

Registration for our band program is now open.

Students are offered a choice of woodwind, brass or percussion instruments to learn and play in our concert band. Students receive two lessons a week.

The Band Program provides school-based instrumental instruction and is funded by supplemental fees.

Registration placed between March 1 – June 1 are \$390 and after June 1 will be \$425. No experience is necessary for students to join the program.

2023 – 2024 Online band registration form

Fees should be paid by credit card at the time of registration, or by cheque, given directly to your band teacher. For alternative payment methods, please phone 604-981-1000.

VOLUNTARY ABSENCES FROM SCHOOL

Please understand that if you are choosing to take extended holidays when classes are in session, teachers cannot replicate the learning that happens within the classroom and are not able to provide online learning opportunities.

Our teachers do their very best to support students during required absences due to illness, however, when the absence is voluntary and a family's choice (such as extending a weekend, holiday, or vacation), it is a family's responsibility to maintain academic learning at home.

Please take time to read with your child, have them write in a "holiday" journal, do Math IXL online, participate in any assignments shared via Google Classroom (intermediate students), and take advantage of other emergent opportunities to practise foundational skills (e.g. following instructions and using math while cooking).

Families may email their child's teacher(s) to see if there is other work their child can do, however, our teachers' energy and focus continues to be on the learning and safety of students within the classroom

DISTRICT/COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

CLICK [HERE](#) FOR REGISTRATION FORM AND CONSENT

Junior Ravens Volleyball Camp



Rockridge Secondary
August 28th-August 31st

Grade 6. 10-11:30 am

Grade 7. 12pm-1:30 pm



Calling All Current
Grade 6 and 7
students who want to
improve on their
volleyball skills
Scan This QR code to
sign up

Limited space available
\$50 sign up ASAP



Camp Ran by Charlotte King and Rockridge senior volleyball players. Charlotte is a Rockridge grade 11 student. She has coached the Rockridge Gr 8 team for 3 years as well as coached for BCO beach and indoor. She has played BCO club volleyball for over 6 years competing at provincials and nationals. As well as played on her school's varsity team for 4 years. She is also a team BC volleyball player for the last 3 years.



contact information

Email:
juniorravensvb@gmail.com



2023

NORTH SHORE

Coed Junior Golf Tournaments



— HOSTED BY GLENEAGLES GOLF CLUB —



AMBLESIDE PAR 3 9 HOLES

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10

Ages 6 - 12 years
\$30 | #148719



GLENEAGLES GOLF COURSE 9 HOLES

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

Ages 10 - 17 years
\$30 | #148720



Join us for two 9 hole golf tournaments and experience the fun, thrill, and challenge of golf competition! Adult caddies will accompany each group of golfers, providing guidance on course etiquette, sportsmanship, and the basic rules of golf.

Prizes, giveaways, snacks, and a lunch will be provided.
Entry fees include green fees, lunch, and prizes.

Questions? Contact Greg or Lynne at northshorejuniorgolf@gmail.com

Visit activewestvanrec.ca to register today!

PROUDLY
SUPPORTED BY



west vancouver



SUMMER CAMP INCLUSION PROGRAM



Did you know? Our **Access Services** team is available to provide support for children who may need assistance during summer camps.

If your family is not providing your own support person, our **Summer Camps Inclusion Program** offers support to children aged 5 – 15 (subject to availability and funding). Your child must be able to use the washroom as well as change and transfer independently. Your child's safety, the safety of other participants, and the safety of District of West Vancouver staff are our primary considerations.

If your child receives full or part-time support of an Education Assistant (EA) during the school year or if your

child requires support to participate in recreation, please fill out a Summer Camp Recreation Inclusion (SCRI) application and let us know when you have registered or are waitlisted by calling 604-925-7279. The SCRI application is also available at any recreation facility front desk.

Children may receive a maximum of 1 – 2 weeks of support during the summer. Applications are processed on a first-come basis.

To learn more, visit westvancouver.ca/access.



SCIP PROGRAM & SUMMER CAMPS

SUMMER DAY CAMPS

Fun for everyone!

Access Services Department of the District of West Vancouver is committed to making summer camps accessible and supportive to children of all abilities. Please complete a **2023 Recreation Inclusion Application Form** online or in person at the West Vancouver Community Centre.

One-to-one inclusion support

If your child requires one-to-one support at camp, arrangements can be made to provide an Inclusion Support Worker for two weeks of summer camp. Inclusion Support Workers are certified:

- Standard First Aid and CPR-C
- Successful Criminal Record - vulnerable sector checks
- Receive on the job training for non-violent crisis intervention and specialized training to equip them to work with your child.

Note: it is the responsibility of the parent or organization to cover the costs of the camp; the Inclusion Support Worker is free to you (pending grant approvals from Canada Summer Jobs).

We are unable to provide support for campers who require transfers, toileting, changing, or are unable to administer their own medications (except for Epi Pens).

Does your child require additional support at camp?

Participants generally require one-to-one support if:

- Extra support is required at school
- Your child is diagnosed with a disability that affects mobility, communication, comprehension, social interaction, and/or behaviour.
- Your child has difficulty participating independently in a group setting.

