

## SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR 4 MORE SLEEPS ...

Click [here](#) for more information of timings.

### Note :

Monday 20th after school the Field will be open for the Family Shopping Event.



## LEARNING COMMONS WEEK 20TH NOVEMBER

**MONDAY 20TH**  
MATH BEFORE SCHOOL - DIV 1

**WEDNESDAY 22ND**  
DEBATE BEFORE SCHOOL - DIV 6

**THURSDAY 23RD**  
QUIET READERS IN L COMMONS

**FRIDAY 24TH**  
CHESS IN L COMMONS

NOVEMBER	
<b>20-23</b>	<b>Scholastic Book Fair</b>
21	Boys Volleyball Jamboree @ 1:30 - Rockridge
<b>22</b>	<b>PAC Meeting @ 09:15 AM</b>
23	Girls Volleyball Jamboree @ 1:30 - Rockridge
<b>27</b>	<b>Grade 6 Vaccination Clinic</b>
28	Collect Holiday Plants from CP
DECEMBER	
1	Gr 7 vs Staff VB Game @ 12:40
1	Gr 7 Craft Fair, 3:30-5:30 PM
<b>4</b>	<b>Professional Development Day</b>
5-8	Field Hockey for all Students AM
6	Last Debate Club
7-15	Hanukkah
8	Hamper Wrapping in LC
8	Festive Friday - Holiday Hats
8	1st Report Card Published
11	Grade 6s to Space Centre
13	Willy Wonka DR at Kay Meek 7:00 pm Evening Performance
14	7:00 pm Evening Performance
15	Festive Friday - Holiday Sweaters
22	Singalong at 10:50-11:20 Early Dismissal at 11:45 Festive Friday - Holiday PJs

## VOLLEYBALL JAMBOREES

We wish both teams good luck in their upcoming jamborees next week - **Boys will play on 21 and Girls on 23 November at Rockridge.**



## PAC MEETING

**WEDNESDAY 22ND NOVEMBER  
@ 09:15 AM ON ZOOM**

[ZOOM LINK HERE](#)

Meeting ID: 862 8742 2080  
Passcode: 371473

At this meeting parents will be voting for two members at large, one for Kindergarten and the other for parents already at West Bay.



**STUDENTS  
NEED TO  
PROVIDE THEIR  
OWN MASKS.**

## VOLUNTARY ABSENCES

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).

**Grade 6 Field Trip**  
[CLICK HERE TO PAY](#)

11 December by School Bus to Space Centre \$42 due by 24 November.  
Permission Slip [here](#) due by 24 Nov.

**SCO ONLINE PAYMENTS CLICK [HERE](#)**  
**WILLY WONKA PERFORMANCES**  
**(GRADE 4-7 STUDENTS)**  
**KAY MEEK THEATRE @ 7:00 PM**  
**13TH AND 14TH DECEMBER**

**ORDER TICKETS BY DEADLINE TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT**



**Willy Wonka Chorus Tickets**  
**2 tickets per family for each night**  
**PLEASE ORDER BY DEADLINE**  
**22nd November**

**Sign Up for Remaining tickets**  
Will be sent out on 23 November

**DRESS REHEARSAL INFORMATION FOR 13TH DECEMBER - CLICK [HERE](#)**



## STILL LIFE GOURDS - WHAT DO WE SEE - GR 1,DIV 14



## GR 4S JOURNEY ACROSS ANTARCTICA AT THE ORPHEUM



## ECOSYSTEM/FOOD CHAIN ART - GRADE 3, DIV 10



### Chiran L

I made this food chain art all by myself. It first starts with an alligator, then the alligator eats the bull, the bulls are herbivores because they eat grass so they are herbivores

### Milana M

I made this food chain art you can see that a bear is eating a fox and a fox is eating a bunny.



## MORE IB INFORMATION BELOW

[23-24 PROGRAM OF INQUIRY](#)

[SUPPORTING PYP LEARNER](#)

[IB PYP PROGRAM OF INQUIRY](#)



## HOLIDAY HAMPERS TIS THE SEASON TO GIVE BACK!



West Bay's holiday tradition of giving is back, and we need your help! Our West Bay elves will be supporting 16 families from Westview (North Van) and Edmonds (Burnaby) Schools. Let's make these children and their families' holiday season a little brighter by providing healthy meals and ensuring every child has a gift to open.

We are asking all West Bay parents to look at our holiday hamper wish list and bring in an item to donate!

Please visit the Holiday Hamper [link here](#) to input your donation of choice. Then have your West Bay student elf bring in the unwrapped gift item to be placed in the donation bins. Donation bins are located in each divisions' classroom.

- For gift cards or grocery cards for donation, please write the amount on the card and have your student take the cards to Mrs. Barrie in the office for safekeeping.

Last change to bring your donated items will be December 6<sup>th</sup> but please help us by bringing in your gift quickly so we can fill any gaps.

Please join us make a difference in these families' lives.

Thank you for your support in continuing this West Bay tradition!





**HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR - 1ST DECEMBER**  
**SIGN UP HERE TO BOOK A TABLE**

West Bay Elementary's

# **HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR**



**Gr 7 Bake Sale &  
Hot Chocolate Station**

**Photos with Santa**

**Arts and Craft Sale**

**Toys and Games**

**DEC 1  
2023**

**3.30-5.30PM**

**Gym**

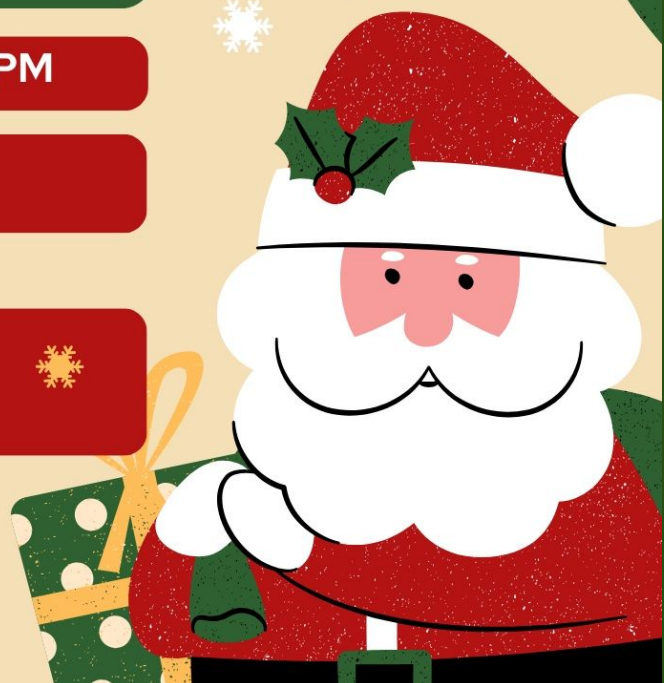


**PLEASE BRING SMALL  
BILLS AND CHANGE**



**PROCEEDS BENEFIT  
GRADE 7 GRAD**

For more info, contact [danirenouf@gmail.com](mailto:danirenouf@gmail.com)



**RESPECTING OUR SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT**  
**“Pack it in Pack it out Lunches”**

We ask that whatever comes in your child’s lunch bag goes home in their lunch bag, including empty juice boxes and wrappers. This way we will create far less garbage at school and you will have a better idea of what your child is finishing for lunch.

**STUDENT ABSENCES**

IF YOUR CHILD IS GOING TO BE ABSENT FROM SCHOOL PLEASE EMAIL THE SCHOOL OFFICE [sbarrie@wvschools.ca](mailto:sbarrie@wvschools.ca) or call 604-981-1260

**LEAVING EARLIER THAN 3:00 PM**

Please email the office on the email above the morning of so that teaching staff are aware. *Students are responsible for getting themselves to the office for early departures. Please reinforce this change of process with your child/ren.*

**ORDER YOUR PHOTOS [HERE](#)**

**DEADLINE FOR ORDERING**  
**MONDAY NOVEMBER 20TH**  
(after that date a late fee is applied)

To find out more about ordering:  
Phone: 1.888.644.4494

Email: [help@mountainwest.ca](mailto:help@mountainwest.ca)

Contact the office if you have misplaced your CODE.  
Delivery to Home.

**PREPARING**  
**FOR WINTER WEATHER**  
**[CLICK HERE](#)**  
**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

**USEFUL LINKS**

[23-24 YEAR IN A GLANCE CALENDAR](#)

[23-24 PROGRAM OF INQUIRY](#)

[MUNCHALUNCH](#)

[MYEDUCATION BC](#)  
[MYED PARENT PORTAL HELP](#)  
[VIDEO VERSION HERE](#)

[SCHOOLCASHONLINE](#)

[OPEN PARACHUTE](#)

[DRIVER’S FORM FOR FIELD TRIP](#)

**K-3 STUDENT SNACK SCHEDULE**  
**Nov 22**

Mandarin Orange and Yoghurt

**Nov 29**

Hummus/Mini Cucumbers

**Dec 6**

Seed Crackers/Cheese

**Dec 13**

Half Bagel/Cream Cheese

**Dec 20**

Banana and Cheese String

**Jan 10**

Nut Free Granola, Raisins and Yoghurt

**Jan 17**

Edamame and Seed Crackers

**WHEN SHOULD I KEEP MY SICK CHILD**  
**HOME FROM SCHOOL?**

**Things to consider if your child feels unwell :**

1. Without proper rest, a child may have a hard time fighting an illness or be at risk for other illnesses.
2. The ability of your child to actively take part and learn at school.
3. The school staff cannot care for a sick child and give them the support that they may need.
4. The protection of other children

**Please keep your child home if they :**

- ❖ Have a fever
- ❖ Are too sick to take part in all normal school activities
- ❖ Have a suspected or known communicable disease (i.e. strep throat, chicken pox or measles)
- ❖ Is vomiting or has diarrhea. *It is recommended that students be symptom free for at least 24 hours before returning to school.*

**GRADE 7 FAMILIES - HIGH SCHOOL**

Families do not need to register for Rockridge. If you are applying for another district high school, and reside out of catchment for that school, you cannot register ONLINE before 15 January 2024.

If you need your vaccination records for applications please click [here](#) to access with your BC Services Card.

**TOUR OF THE ROCK DAY**

Any family interested in registering at Rockridge in the future that would like a school tour -

Monday, November 20th. RSVP:  
[rockridge@wvschools.ca](mailto:rockridge@wvschools.ca)

**HOT LUNCH PROGRAM**

Munch-a-Lunch system remains open until December 11 for ordering/editing. Please place your order and make any changes by 5pm on Mondays, the week before your order.

Also, please make sure you are paying for your orders when placing the order or soon after. **The system is designed to delete any unpaid orders after 24 hours and we don't want anyone missing out on their hot lunch days.**

If you have any issues please feel free to reach out to Emily at [hotlunchwb@gmail.com](mailto:hotlunchwb@gmail.com).

- Monday:**  
Domino's Pizza and Pasta
- Wednesday:**  
Sushi, Subway
- Fridays:**  
WellFed

Returning parents can login [here](#)  
New parents can login [here](#)

**FEEDING FUTURES INITIATIVE**

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 their school principal ([Scott Slater](#)) if they need support with food-related costs. Please be assured that all requests will be addressed with sensitivity, respect, and confidentiality.

Please use your WeChat to scan and join us!

请使用微信扫码，加入我们吧！

West Bay Mandarin Speaking



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I acknowledge and am thankful to live, learn, and work on the territory of the Coast Salish people, specifically the Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish) Nation, on whose territory West Vancouver Schools resides.