Kingswood's Update

June 16, 2023

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Kindly please report any absences, lates, early dismissals, etc. to our

Early Warning Line at (604) 668-6220

Please include your child's name, Division,

why they will be away and for how long. Thank you.

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Kingswood Eagles News

cknowledgement of Territory



We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the Handaminam (Hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn, and live.

June 19-23, 2023

| Monday, | Tuesday, | Wednesday, | Thursday, | Friday, |
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| June 19 | June 20 | June 21 | June 22 | June 23 |
| Ping Pong Club at 12:00 Talent Show, 1:30 pm | Chess Club at 12:00 in the library Band Concerts, 1:30 pm and 6:00 pm | Final Breakfast Club 8:00-8:45 am National Indigenous Peoples Day | Division 3 Fine Arts Performance, 1:15 and 6:00 pm | Frozen Friday Freezie Sales after School! 1:30 pm Farewell Assembly/Spirit Video |



DON'T FORGET

Talent Show on Monday, June 19, 1:30 pm. Families are welcome to attend!

Staffing Updates

Each year, for a variety of reasons, we have to say farewell to some of our staff members. We would like to take this opportunity to thank them for their dedication to our students and school community and wish them the very best in their future endeavours. We hope to be able to welcome them back to Kingswood in the future!

- Ms. Chen, Division 2, Grade 6/7
- Mr. Delorenzi, Helping Teacher and Prep Relief
- Ms. Stevenson, Division 4, Grade 4/5
- Ms. Nguyen, Division 8, Grade K/1
- Ms. Fawcus, our Helping Teacher
- Mrs. Harowitz, our Helping Teacher
- Mrs. Leithmann, our school counsellor

While we will miss these staff members,we also look forward to welcoming back the following Kingswood staff!

• Mr. Leung, who was at Kingswood two years ago is returning! Mr. Leung will be the 6/7 teacher, in Division 2.

• Ms. Lougheed will also be returning in September! She hererole as the K/1 teacher in Division 8.

"Once an Eagle, always an Eagle!







SPORTS DAY, JUNE 16



Well Done, Kingswood!

What a great day everyone! Thank you to all parents/families for supporting the students, running the concession, helping with pizza lunches, and making this such a fun day! Thank you to all staff for their efforts to set up and help clean up at the end, and to our senior students for demonstrating great leadership. We're proud of all of our Eagles' and their sportsmanship today! Way to "level up" Kingswood!

























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On May 31, students in Division 2 went on a fun field trip to Science World via Skytrain! Thank you so much to all of the efforts of parent drivers who drove their own children as well as those who drove other students to/from the Lansdowne Skytrain station, and for picking children up too at the end of the day. Thank you also to Ms. Chen for organizing this special day for our students--field trips take a lot of time and planning and we appreciate your efforts. Huge thank you also to the following adults who helped supervise our students on the trip: Mrs. Sutherland-Pearson, Ms. Tolley, Mr. Chen, Ms. Lau. The students were safe and respectable and also enjoyed eating their lunch in scenic and beautiful, Concord Pacific Park!

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Kingswood Staff Appreciation Luncheon



Thank YOU! On behalf of the Kingswood staff, thank you to the PAC for providing funds for our Staff **Appreciation** Luncheon scheduled for our hardworking Kingswood crew on **Tuesday, June 20th!** Thank you to **Devinder Bassi and** Amrit Dhanoya for taking the lead in organizing this treat and to all families who have offered to support this generous luncheon too!



Upcoming Dates to Note:

- June 19: Talent Show,1:30 pm
- June 20: Band Concert, 1:30 and 6:00 pm
- June 21: National Indigenous Peoples Day
- June 22: Division 3 Fine Arts Performance, 1:30 and 6:00 pr
- June 23: School Farewell Assembly, 1:30 pm

• June 23: PAC MOVIE NIGHT: Super Mario Movie, door op at 5:30, movie starts at 6:00 (Parents you can not drop off your children and leave them unsupervised).

• June 27: PAC AGM---6:15 pm. We need volunteers for our PAC for next year!

- June 29: Grade 7 Farewell, shortly after 9:00 am
- •June 29: last day of school for all students
- June 30: Administration Day--students do not atten



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Thank you for continuing to support our Grade 7 Farewell fundraising activities! Our next frozen Friday is planned for Friday, June 23. (We are selling whatever we have left in our freezers!) Freezies will be \$1.50 each. Thank you to our staff and parent volunteers who jumped in to help with sales the last few Fridays!

PAC AGM June 27, 6:15 pm

Dear Kingswood families,

There is an urgent need for volunteers to run the Kingswood PAC next year. Without volunteers, there is a chance that there will be no PAC next year.

What does that mean? The reality is that, without a PAC, our school is at risk of losing thousands of dollars from both government PAC grants and fundraising money. That money is used to purchase classroom supplies and fund field trips, school improvement projects, guest speakers, sports equipment, musical instruments, and MANY more essential items that all of our children benefit from. The time to step up is now. If you can fill one of the roles described below, please reach out to kingswoodpac@gmail.com as soon as possible. All volunteer roles can be shared and training/orientation is available. Thank you!

PAC Executive Positions

Volunteering for a PAC executive position is a great opportunity for parents and guardians who would like to volunteer but may not be available during school hours. The PAC is especially in need of volunteers for the Chair, Secretary and Treasurer executive positions. These positions must be filled to hold official status as a PAC.

1. The President/Chair:

Prepares for and runs PAC meetings;ensures that policies and procedures are followed; acts as a signing officer,serves as the principal spokesperson of the Council.

2. Treasurer:

Book-keeping/accounting experience is recommended.

Keeps financial records and renders financial statements to the Officers, Members, and others when required; acts as a signing officer, assists the Executive to prepare a budget and tentative plan of expenditures for the Council.

3. Secretary

Records the minutes of the meetings of the Members and Executive; issues and receives correspondence on behalf of the organization; has custody of all records and documents of the Council.

If you are able to fill one of the positions listed below or would like to nominate another parent (with their permission) for a position, please contact the Kingswood PAC at kingswoodpac@gmail.com as soon as possible. **All roles can be shared.**

Other Important Roles

Food Day Volunteering

• Food Day Coordinator - Order Management:

There is an opening for a volunteer to manage the hot lunch days ordering system. This volunteer does not need to be on-site during lunches--but can also coordinate with parents who volunteer to help on hot lunch days

• Fundraising Coordinator- seeks out fundraising opportunities for the school, arranges for online orders

Sun Smart and Be a Helmet Head!



As the weather gets warmer, we notice several of our students riding bikes to school/after school, or riding scooters. We remind students that they should be wearing helmets! Bikes should be locked up at the bike racks, and scooters need to be "parked" in the school office, not in classrooms/cloakrooms. From ICBC: "Always wear an approved bicycle helmet that meets safety standards (CSA, ANSI, ASTM or SNELL B-95) and occasionally check for signs of wear. Wearing a helmet is the law in B.C. and you could be fined for not wearing one." So we remind our students to take care of their own safety;;;be a "Helmet Head!"



BREAKFAST CLUB EVERY WEDNESDAY, 8:00=8:45



At our last Breakfast Club of the year, (June 21), we will continue to offer toast with jam, cheese toast, fresh fruit and juice. We will also be offering PANCAKES! We will also be extending our Breakfast Club until 8:45 am, but students **must enter no later than 8:30 am**. Once students have finished eating up and cleaning up after themselves, they may participate in "Just Dance' and other movement activities, if they wish to do so, or can simply socialize with one another!