Kingswood's Update

Sept. 18, 2023

"Home of the Kingswood Eagles!"

# **Kingswood Eagles News**

Acknowledgement of Territory:



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

## September 18-22, 2023

Monday, Sept. 18	Tuesday, Sept. 19	Wednesday, Sept. 20	Thursday, Sept. 21	Friday, Sept. 22
			Jess Dance Workshops for Grades 4-7, District sponsored Core French dance workshops	Non- Instructional Day: students do not attend school
			Meet the Staff Evening, 5:30 pm	



# DON'T FORGET

Friday, Sept. 22 is a Non-Instructional Day--students do not attend this day

## **Reminder:**

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.

Meet the Staff

## THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 5:30-6:30 PM



We look forward to welcoming families in the school gym on Thursday, September 21 beginning at 5:30 pm to meet our staff

This will be an opportunity for you to meet or re-connect with your child's classroom teacher, to meet support/non-enrolling teachers, as well as those who may provide instruction to your child in other subjects such as Music/Band or Physical Health Education.

Welcome to New Kingswood Staff

We also welcome the following new staff to Kingswood this year:

- Mrs. Gale, Division 3, Grade 5/6
- Mrs. Kiselyova, Music/Band
- Mrs. Hansen, Education Assistant
- Mr. Leung, Division 2, Grade 6/7
- Mr. Samra, Division 5, Grade 4/5
- Mrs. Kaur, Education Assistant
- Mrs. McFarlane, Eduacation Assistant
- Mrs. Khabra, Education Assistant

### **KEV/Cash Online This Year**

In an effort to streamline accounting and to make it easier for families, we are encouraging all families to register for KEV/Cash OnLine for payments this year. Most families were able to do payments to the school online last year, and we are really hoping not to have to collect monies/cheques at school. If you are finding it difficult to register, please make an appointment with Mrs. McCallum, and she will be happy to assist you with set-up. The directions for registering follow and were also sent out as a paper notice to you with the start of year student notice packages sent home to you last week.



The link to KEV/Cash Online can be found on your school website:

www.kingswood.sd38.bc.ca



## Terry Fox Run--Thank you, Kingswood !

On Friday, September 15, we had an amazing, sunny afternoon for our Terry Fox Run!

Thak you to all of the parent volunteers who showed up on Friday morning to cut up twenty bags of oranges and again to Vyom's mom for securing a gift card donation from Superstore, Richmond to offset the costs of the oranges.

It was a refreshing and tasty treat to enjoy as a nutrition break--the children worked hard to run laps on our school track or around the perimeter of our school this day. Be sure to ask your child(ten) how many laps they completed that day!

Thank you Kingswood, for your generosity. We were easily able to surpass our goal of \$430. In total, we collected \$533.95 to donate towards the Terry Fox Foundation.



# **Kingswood Daily Reminders**

### Equity, Diversity & Inclusion Calendar for September...

15-17...... Rosh Hashana Ψ 24..... Kol Nidrei Ψ 24-25...... Yom Kippur Ψ 26-27..... Mawlik-al-Nabi ( 30..... National Day of Truth & Reconcilliation/ Orange Shirt Day

### Daily Health Check

SHOULD I GO TO SCHOOL TODAY?

We appreciate your support in keeping your child home when they are not feeling well. Students should not come to school when they are sick.

If your child is not feeling well please continue to keep them home until their symptoms have resolved. If you know your child will be absent for a range of days, please leave that information as well.

Staying home when sick helps keep our entire school community healthy including teachers, admin staff and students. **Please do your part and stay home when sick**.







### **Dress for the Weather**

At Kingswood, our students go outside each day for both their recess and outside lunch breaks. Several of our classes also go outside for learning in our Kingswood outdoor learning space. Time spent outside is important for student's health and well being. Please ensure that your child is dressed properly for the weather---rain or shine! For our vounger students, this may include an extra change of clothing to be kept at school. Several of our primary classes ask students to leave a pair of indoor shoes at school as well. For all students, once the rainy weather comes along--from grades K-7--if they are wearing boots to school--they NEED to have a pair of shoes to change into for times inside the school. Thank you.





## **Kingswood Reminders/Dates**

### Upcoming Dates to Note/Looking Ahead:

• September 21: Jess Dance Workshops for grades 4-7 (district sponsored program for students who are in Core French learning at school)

- September 21: Meet the Staff evening, 5:30 pm (begin in school gym, followed by classroom visits)
- September 22: Non-Instructional Day for Students

• September 28: Individual Photo Day AM / Recognition Assembly, 1:30 pm

•September 29: Orange Shirt Day Assembly, AM

• September 30: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

• October 2: Observance of National Day for Truth and Reconciliation: No School this Day

- October 9: Thanksgiving Day Holiday
- October 6: first PAC Pizza Day (notice and information to come)
- October 10: PAC meeting, 6:15 pm
- October 10-13: Scholastic Book Fair

•October 17 and 18: Early Dismissal at 1:45 pm for Parent-Teacher Learning Updates

- •October 19: PAC Pizza Day
- •October 20: Provincial Pro-D day--students do not attend
- October 27: Recognition Assembly, 1:30 pm
- October 27: PAC Family movie night
- October 31: Halloween and School Wide Activities





# PAC Upcoming Events and How You Can Help!

It was amazing to see so many parents out helping in the morning for our Terry Fox Run cutting up oranges for the children! Sometimes, for PAC or school events, we only require parents to help out for short amounts of time, i.e. for our upcoming Hot Lunch dates on October 6 and 19, or perhaps helping to receive and distribute items for PAC fundraisers (i.e. the holiday poinsettias in December). These don't require huge amounts of time, and we always appreciate the support. So we encourage you to continue coming out to help when you can, and this also helps build connections with others parents/families. Upcoming events when we could use your help include:

October 6 and 19, Pizza Days: help required from 12:00-12:30
October 27: PAC Movie Night (short bursts of time from 5:00 onwards, can take shifts with other parents until movie night ends typically at 8:00ish



## Scholastic Book Fair at Kingswood, October 10-13 in the Learning Lab Open before school, 8:00-8:40 am and after school, 2:45-4:00 pm

Thank you to Ms. Lau for organizing this popular Book Fair once again!







Drop by our **free monthly pop ups** and meet local service organizations who can help connect you to all kinds of resources, all in one place:



## Second Thursday of every month 3:00 - 5:00 pm



Brighouse Library, 100-7700 Minoru Gate

For more information, please visit: www.richmond.ca/culture/social/accessibility/resources





	Let's get started!	2. Confirm Your Email Check your inbox for the confirmation email and click on the confirmation link in
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<u>Note:</u> When adding a student, you will need your child's pupil number. The pupil number is on the top of the Student Verification form that comes home in September or call the school office for your child's number.

#### View Items or Add Another Student

If you have more children you would like to add, select "Add Another Student" and repeat the steps above. Once you have all desired students added, select "View Items for Students", which will list all available items or activities for purchase.

#### 4. How To Make A Payment Sign In

#### Go to

https://richmondsd38.schoolcashonline.com and click "Sign Into Your Account". Fill in your email/username and password.

#### **View Items**

Select the item that you would like to purchase and click "Add to Cart".

#### Check Out

Once you have finished adding items to you cart, press "Check Out" to make payment.

You can pay for multiple student's items in one Check Out.

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#### Payment methods available:

 <u>Credit Card:</u> Mastercard or Visa are accepted.

#### 2. eCheque:

An electronic version of a paper cheque used to make payments online. To pay with an echeque, enter your information on the payment screen and click submit.

#### 3. myWallet:

An online wallet that can be loaded to hold funds and pay for your child's fees on School Cash Online. If using **wwwallet**, funds need to be added **to mwwallet**, funds need to be added **to mwwallet**, first and then the item needs to be selected and paid for. You have the option to load **mwwallet**, up to \$200.00 at one time. This will allow you to allocate funds to pay for school fees at a later date, as you would with a gift card. **Please note:** It can take up to 7 days from the date the funds are loaded for funds to become available.

#### Need Help Registering?

Please contact the school office (for pupil number) or contact the School Cash Online Parent Help Desk:

Support website:

https://schoolcashonline.com/Home/Support Frequently asked questions, including step by step instructions

• Email:

#### parenthelp@schoolcashonline.com

 Phone:1-866-961-1803 (24hrs/day, 7 days/week)

#### FAQ

#### I've forgotten my login/password!

Click on the "Forgot your password?" link to reset your password. A temporary password will be sent to the email address registered with your account.

#### How secure are my purchases?

KEV Group's top priority is to keep your personal information safe. Go to

#### https://www.schoolcashonline.com/Home/Priv acvpolicy

And see Security for security Policy and Privacy Policy.

#### What if I can't find my student?

Contact your school to confirm your student's pupil number.

#### What if I can't see any items?

Each school creates their own items for purchase and assigns them to the students. Once assigned, they will appear online under the student.

#### What emails will I get from School Cash Online?

Don't worry, we hate spam too! You will receive emails with your receipts and payment reminders when you have things to purchase.

### DISTRICT CODE OF CONDUCT

# HOW WE LEARN AND WORK TOGETHER

The Board of Education recognizes its obligation to provide all members of our school district community with a positive climate and a safe, healthy environment.

#### As we learn and work together, we will...

Show respect for the diversity of the members of our school and district community.

Behave in a safe, considerate and courteous manner.

Not threaten, harass, intimidate or assault, in any way, any person within our school district community, through physical violence, print or electronic media. Not be in possession of weapons, dangerous articles, alcohol or illegal drugs while in school or work.

Show respect and pride in our school district buildings and equipment through care and appropriate use of school district property. Respect the non smoking environment of our schools and school district facilities.

Our expectations for how we learn and work together shall apply to everyone in our schools and at school functions.

> The complete code of conduct is available online at: sd38.bc.ca/codeofconduct