

DeBeck News

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Howard DeBeck Elementary 8600 Ash Street Richmond, BC V6Y 2S3 **Kathy Pantaleo** Principal **Cori Anderson** Vice Principal

School Schedule:

8:40 - Welcome Bell 8:45 - Classes Begin 9:55 - 10:10 Recess 12:00 -12:50 Lunch 2:45 - Dismissal

Important Dates!

| Nov 8 | Indigenous Veterans Day |
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| Nov 8 | Birthday of Guru Nanak Dev Sahib |
| Nov 9 | PAC Meeting |
| Nov 10 | Remembrance Day Assembly - families are welcome to join |
| Nov 10 | Photo re-takes after lunch |
| Nov 11 | Remembrance Day - No School |
| Nov 21 - 24 | Scholastic Book Fair! |
| Nov 25 | Professional Learning Day - School is Closed |

Nov 7th - Nov 11th Week at a Glance Monday Grade 6/7 Volleyball Away Game at Lee Tuesday Wednesday Grade 6/7 Volleyball Practice at lunch Thursday Grade 6/7 Volleyball Practice at lunch Remembrance Day Assembly Photo Re-Takes in the afternoon Remembrance Day - No School Friday

Dear Families,

Thank you to our PAC for organizing our first Movie Night in over two years! It was a huge success and a fun night for all. There is certainly a lot of positivity around the school with families being able to return to our assemblies, watch our volleyball games, hot lunch days, and volunteer.

On Tuesday, November 8th, we will be observing National Aboriginal Veterans Day in recognition of Aboriginal contributions to military service, particularly in the First and Second World Wars, and the Korean War. You will notice that our school flags will be lowered on this day.

As shared in an earlier newsletter, how teachers are communicating student learning will look different this year. Recently, there was a webinar for parents hosted by staff of the Richmond School District. If you missed the presentation, the recording can be found using the link below.

https://sd38.bc.ca/news/2022-10-28/k-12-reporting-update

With the change in weather, we are noticing an increase of traffic in the parking lot. We are encouraging all families to find other options for dropping off and picking up your children such as parking on Dayton Avenue. We are seeing unsafe driving and we are concerned that it is putting children and families at risk.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at kpantaleo@sd38.bc.ca or coanderson@sd38.bc.ca.

Wishing you all good health,

Kathy Pantaleo and Cori Anderson



This Thursday, November 10th we will be having our Remembrance Day Assembly.

Families are welcome to join us. Please remember that this is a somber assembly and we hold our applause after presentations.

Assembly times for classes are: 10:30 - 11:00: Div 2, 4, 5, 10, 11, 15, 16 11:15 - 11:45: Div 1, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14



Tuesday, November 8 is the Birthday of Guru Nanak Dev Sahib. This day is one of the most significant festivals of the Sikh community and commemorates Guru Nanak Sahib who was the founder of Sikhism and the first Sikh Guru.



Remember to dress for the weather! We will be going outside rain or shine.

Photo Re-Takes



Thursday, November 10th