







WEEK AT A GLANCE

DeBeck Elementary

April 7 - April 11, 2025

Mon. April 7	 Our gym is now open.
Tue. April 8	 Run Club @ Recess Student Leadership Team @ Lunch
Wed. April 9	 Dragon Band @ Lunch
Thu. April 10	 Run Club @ Recess
Fri. April 11	Track Attack- Day 1- Gr 4-7 1:45-2:45 PM Games Club with Ms. Abrams @ Lunch Egg Tart Sale- After School

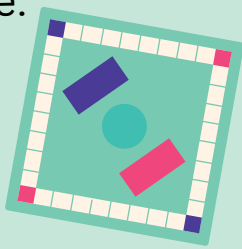
Music/Band Update from Ms. Abrams

Ms. Abrams is excited for the band students to showcase all of their learning with two concerts on **Tuesday, May 20th @ 1:30 PM and 6:30 PM**. Please save the date.

For practicing the Music Monday Song: 😊

https://youtu.be/qXJtAE_kLNc?si=dccjSjOJzRBLCxvF

From April 4th to June 20th, Ms. Abrams will be hosting Friday Games Club in the Music Portable from 12:10-12:40 PM. All are welcome.



Track and Field Information Grade 4-7

Track Attack is a great way to have all students try all events that are at the track meet before we select students for events. Track attack will happen on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays starting on Friday, April 11th until Friday, May 2nd. Track Attack happens from 1:40-2:40 PM. Students in grade 4-7 will rotate through stations and given the opportunity to try the track events such as long distance running, 200 M, relays, softball throw, long jump and Shot Put/Discus (grade 6/7s only).

Our Zone Track Meet @ Minoru is Wednesday, May 21st

Dress for the Weather

Students will play outside in all types of weather. We recommend that students wear layers, have rain gear at school, and wear sunscreen.



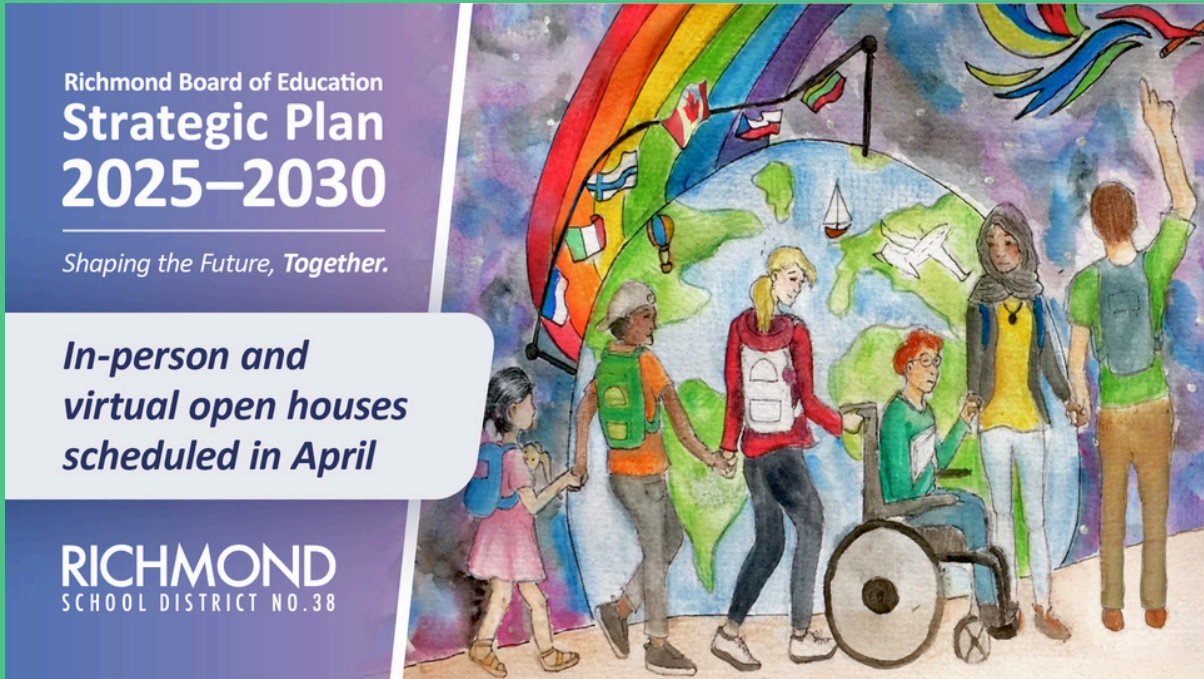
SD 38 Strategic Plan Information

The Richmond School District is hosting a series of open houses in April to engage parents and caregivers in the 2025-2030 Strategic Plan process. These sessions will provide an opportunity to learn more about the plan, ask questions, and share feedback that will help shape the district’s priorities for the next five years.

Upcoming Open Houses

- April 8, 2025 | 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at McMath Secondary
- April 14, 2025 | 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at Palmer Secondary
- April 15, 2025 | 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at Burnett Secondary
- April 24, 2025 | 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at Cambie Secondary
- April 28, 2025 | 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Online session ([Click here to register](#))

For more details and ongoing updates on the strategic planning process, please visit sd38.bc.ca/strategicplan.



Save the Date

UPCOMING DATE

APRIL

- 14 Hot Lunch: Pizza (Fusions Feast)
- 18 Good Friday- No School
- 21 Easter Monday- No School
- 22 Earth Day- Earth Day Assembly
- 23 Popcorn Snack (Kernels)
- 23 White Hatter- Parent Session- Internet Safety
- 25 White Hatter- Student Sessions (gr.4-7)
- 28 PAC Hot Lunch- Curry Day
- 29 Term 2 Report Cards posted to MyEd

MAY

- 5 PAC Hot Lunch-Sushi
- 12 PAC Hot Lunch- Pizza
- 14 Welcome to Kindergarten @ 1:00 PM
- 16 Professional Development Day- No School
- 19 Victoria Day- No School
- 20 Band Concert 1:30 PM and 6:30 PM
- 21 Zone Track Meet @ Minoru Grade 4-7



Grade 7 Fundraiser Upcoming Events

The Grade 7 Grad Committee has two upcoming fundraising events.

Please use the QR codes on the posters to pre-order:

April 11th- Egg Tarts

April 25th- Mango Mochi



Significant Dates in Our Community



- April 12 Hanuman Jayanti- Hinduism
- April 12-20 Passover/Pesach- Judaism
- April 13- Vaisakhi- Sikhism
- April 18- Good Friday- Christianity
- April 20- Easter Sunday- Christianity

Happy
Passover

AROUND THE SCHOOL- Collaboration Edition



Ms. Borthwick, our teacher librarian, works with all classes during collaboration blocks, throughout the school year. Here are some photos of Division 16 engaging in Story Workshop. Story workshop gives students the opportunities to practice their oral language, build vocabulary and share their growing understanding of stories. These are foundational skills for growing readers.

