

SPUL'U'KWUKS NEWS

We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the **hən̓ q̓ əm̓n̓ əm̓** (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live.



Dates for Your Calendar

- March 19: Band Concert for families 1:45pm
- March 20: Ramadan Food Drive Ends
- March 25: Universal Hot Lunch
- March 30: Report Cards released electronically
- March 31: Talent Show Performance #1
- April 1: Talent Show Performance #2
- April 2 (**THURSDAY**): Last day of school before Spring Break

If your child is going to be absent or late, we ask that you use the Early Warning Line (604-303-5108) to let us know. You may also email the school at spulukwuks@sd38.bc.ca.



Thank you to Mr. Milks and students in Divisions 1-5 for their band performances this week!

They treated us to a variety of musical performances and showcased the work that they have put in to learning their songs and growing as musicians.

Families of band students, your turn is next week! Please join us on Thursday, March 19 at 1:45 in the gym for your performance. Don't miss out!

Community Outreach

This week, RCMP, City of Richmond Bylaws Team, and volunteers (organized through ICBC) were around our school to do a Community Outreach called, "Think of Me".

The purpose was to address road safety concerns by giving drivers cards designed by children to remind them about proper road safety.

We share the responsibility to keep our children safe. That means we must follow the "rules of the road". We understand that families do not get in their vehicles with an intent to cause harm, but some of the choices being made on the road can do just that. We saw some great examples of safe driving (Thank you!), but also saw the need for some reminders, which include:

- Following the speed limit
- Observing parking/stopping signs
- Using signals when turning
- Not making u-turns
- Putting cell phones away when behind the wheel
- Making sure children are wearing seatbelts until the vehicle stops moving
- Using the crosswalks
- Not pulling into other people's driveways/complexes



We observed that drivers who were not following the above were causing significant delays in traffic flow.

It was also suggested to us more families could be walking instead of driving. This will reduce congestion in the school zone, making it safer for everyone. If you can't walk the whole way, consider parking further from the school and walking the rest of the way in.

We have some work to do before the next visit. Let's show that our community is the most responsible and safest in Richmond!

Thank you!

News from the Library

Primary Reader's Choice: (K-3)

Over the last 7 weeks our primary students participated in our first **"Spul'u'kwuks Reader's Choice."** We curated 7 unique picture books and each week primary students read one of the stories in the library. This week students voted on their favourite book.... Ask your child: "what book did you vote for?"

The winning book will receive the "Spul'u'kwuks Students' Choice Award" sticker and a copy of the book will be provided to each primary classroom.

Why is it important students evaluate literature?

We want to invoke critical thinking skills in our student. By reflecting, comparing, and evaluating the books, our students are transitioning from passive readers to active thinkers. Reader's choice is a fun and engaging way for our students to practice these important skills and since it requires no writing to participate, every student can access this activity.

Happy Reading,

Ms. Chura and Ms. Leigh

Free T-Shirts for all Spul'u'kwuks Students!

Our Spul'u'kwuks PAC is generously providing a free, 25th Anniversary Spul'u'kwuks t-shirt to all students!

You will receive a message in the near future telling you when you are able to order.

Please pay careful attention to the size charts provided!

To order, you will need to use the MunchALunch platform. Many of you already have accounts you use to order Hot Lunch and Universal Hot Lunch. You only need to wait for the email.

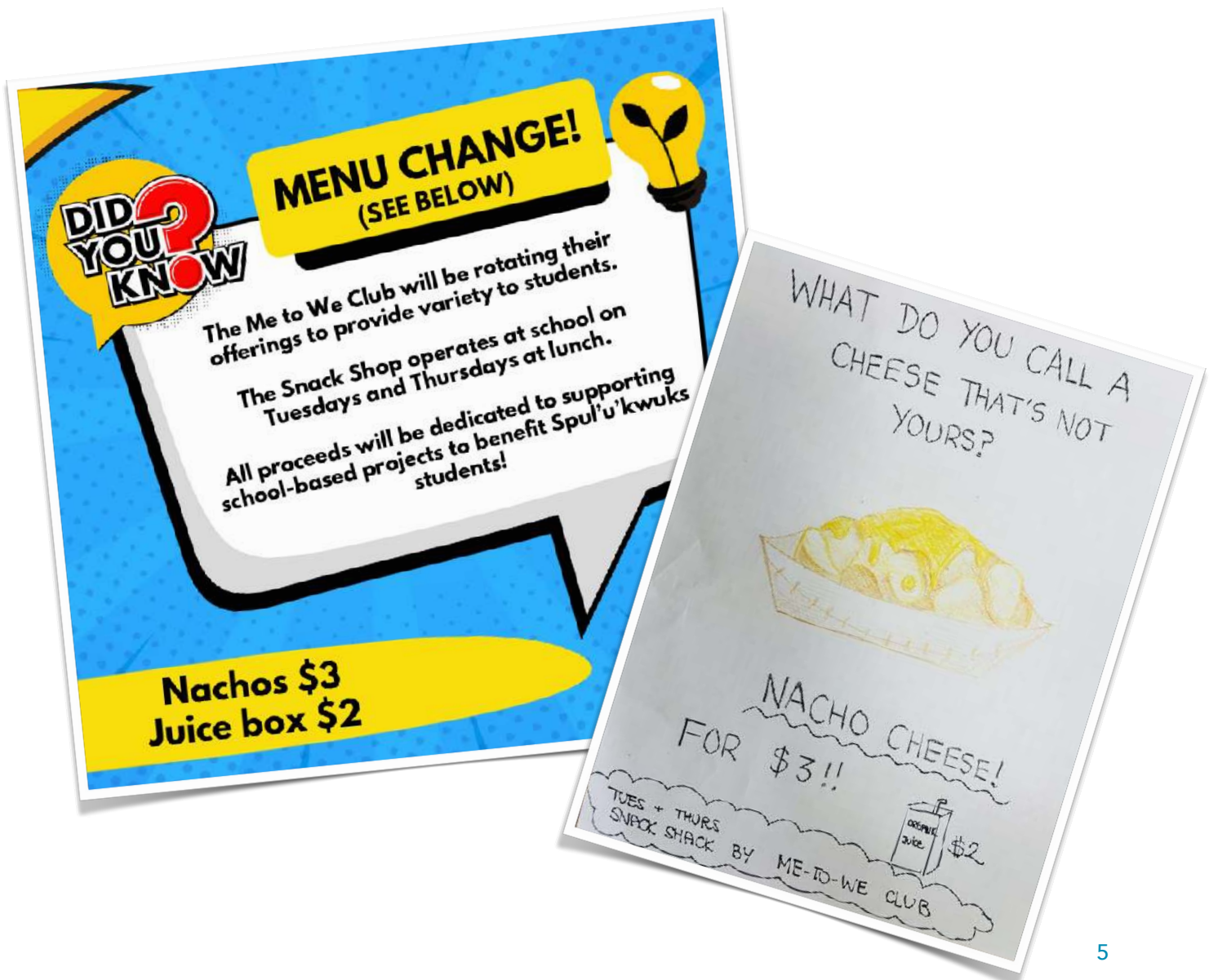
If you do not have an account, please click on the MunchALunch link and follow the directions to create an account, then wait for the email.



We would love to see all our students wearing this special shirt highlighting the primary and intermediate winners of the 25th Anniversary t-shirt contest!



Keep those donations coming! Our box is filling up and we don't want to stop! Please send non-perishable food. The food drive will end on March 20th.





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Donut miss out before Spring Break!

PRE-ORDER THROUGH

By March 27
Munch-a-Lunch



PICK-UP DAY

Thurs, April 2nd
2:45 - 3:15 pm
Primary Playground

FUND RAISING IN A BOX

\$20
per dozen

\$2 each
Limited quantities available

All proceeds go toward
Spul'u'kwuks 25th anniversary
t-shirts for students and staff.





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家委会筹款活动

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通过以下方式预订

预订截止：3月27日

Munch-a-Lunch



取货日期

4月2日
星期四

2:45 - 3:15 pm
(低年级操场)

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每个 \$2
数量有限，售完为止

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Spul'u'kwuks 小学学生和教职
员工制作 25 周年纪念 T 恤。

