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November 24, 2023

Mural Fundraiser!!!

What: We're having a Rummage Sale!!!

Where: School Gym

When: November 30 and December 1 (During the school day for students and open after school from 2:45 to 3:30 for students and families)

Why: To raise money for the school mural AND get rid of extra things in your house you don't need!

How: **Donate items in good condition until Nov. 29th.** We will get them organized and ready for sale. All classes will be signed up for an opportunity to come to the gym to look at and purchase items.



You can donate toys, games, children's books, art/craft supplies, puzzles, packaged teas, stuffies in NEW condition, ornaments, and home décor

All items must be in giftable condition (Remember, some of this will be coming back to your house!)

The price range will be from \$1 to \$10

Other Mural Fundraisers...

- Donate your **Return-It refund** to our mural fund.
Enter 604-303-5100 at the kiosk.
- **Hot chocolate** sales continue!

Thank you for your support of our mural fundraising!

SCHOOL-AGED CHILD CARE DEMAND PARENT SURVEY

The Ministry of Education and Child Care has requested our support in distributing survey information to parents with children in Kindergarten to Grade 7. This data collection will be valuable in informing the expansion of

child care in B.C. You will have received an email from the school with additional information and a link to access the survey. The survey is available in 18 languages and is open until December 14th.



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SCHOOL MESSENGER – SMS/TEXT MESSAGING OPT-IN



Parent/Caregivers received an email from the district on November 15th, requesting they opt-in to a new SMS/text messaging communication feature. This is being implemented to improve the ability for the district/school to deliver time-sensitive information to you, including emergency notifications. To opt-in, please send a text message with a Y or YES to 978338, before November 30th.

Once you have opted in, you should receive a confirmation text message from School Messenger.

Attachment: [SMS District Notice – Nov. 15 English](#) or [SMS District Notice – Nov. 15 Chinese](#)

COME AND SEE YOUR CHILD(REN) PERFORM!



On Friday, December 8th, we will be hosting a community event for our families! You are invited to stay at school in the morning after drop off and join your child’s/children’s classes until 9:15 for an activity and snacks. At that time, family members will be called to the gym and can enjoy performances from all of our classes. Please use this [link](#) to let us know if you will be attending so we know how much food to order and how many guests will be in the gym. Your snacks will be sent to the first classroom you visit. We hope that you can come and spend some time with us! **THE DUE DATE TO REGISTER FOR THIS EVENT IS WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29th.**

REMINDER: TERM 1 REPORT CARDS

Report cards will be made available ELECTRONICALLY on Monday, December 4th. Please note that you will not be receiving a paper copy from the office. All parents received information from the School District about how to access the MyEd Parent Portal. If you have not yet accessed your account, directions were attached to last week’s newsletter.



DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

- November 27 TCO2 Presentations Gr. 4/5 & Gr. 6/7
- November 27 Hot Chocolate sale at lunch \$2
- November 29 Hip Hop 101 Presentation
- November 29 Colt’s Volleyball Tournament
- November 30 Rummage Sale
- December 1 Rummage Sale
- December 1 PAC Poster Contest Due Date
- December 4 Report Cards Home
- December 6 Purdy’s Chocolate order pickup
- December 8 Community Event
- December 8 Last Day of School before Winter Break
- January 8 School Reopens



Take the Richmond Child Care Strategy Survey today!



The City is developing a new 10 year child care strategy. If you are a parent or guardian of a child 0 - 12 years of age, we want to hear from you. Complete the survey to help inform this important work.

How to complete the survey:

- Scan the QR code below or visit LetsTalkRichmond.ca/ChildCare2023
- Pick up a paper copy at any of these locations:
 - City Hall
 - Richmond library branches
 - Recreation centres





Complete the survey by Sunday, November 26, 2023.

Contact childcare@richmond.ca for more information.