

# SPUL'U'KWUKS NEWS

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

## Scouts, Guides, and Cadets Wanted!

If your child participates in Cubs, Beavers, Scouts, Sparks, Embers, Guides, Pathfinders, or Cadets, and they would like to wear their uniform to school next Friday, November 8th for our Remembrance Day Ceremony, **please let the office know**. We will call for any students in their uniforms before the assembly, and they can walk in behind our flag bearers.

## KidsRun

There will be a 1K and 2.5K run for children at Imperial Landing in Steveston on January 12th. Adults can run with their kids and can also enter the 8K IceBreaker run. See attached.

## Math Circles at UBC

If your child in Gr. 5-7 is interested in joining the Math Circles at UBC, please see the attachment.



## Poppy Fund

All students will receive a poppy from their teacher on Friday, November 8th. The main purpose of the poppy fund is to provide immediate assistance to ex-servicemen, women and their families in need. This may include food, shelter or medical attention for them or their families. Funds raised during the Poppy Campaign are also used for such things as: educational bursaries, comforts for veterans in hospital, medical appliances or facilities such as ramps into homes, and many other very valuable supports. Please consider making a small contribution to support this important organization:

<https://richmondsd38.schoolcashonline.com/Fee/Details/86803/125/False/True>



## Dates for your Calendar

### Happy Diwali!

### We would also like to recognize that today is Musqueam Day.

- Nov. 8: Remembrance Day Assembly
- Nov 11: School Closed for Remembrance Day
- Nov. 14 and 15: PAC Family Photo Night - book [here](#)
- Nov. 18: Immunizations Gr. 6/7
- Nov. 19: PAC Meeting at 9:30am (Virtual)
- Nov. 22: School Spirit Day
- Nov. 25: ProD Day - No school for students
- Dec. 4: Report Cards available at the end of the day ONLINE
- Dec. 5: Winter Concert Time TBA
- Dec. 6: Last day of school
- Jan. 6: Back to school

Please see the attached Reconciliation, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Calendar for November.

## Kindergarten Registration for Sept. 2025

We are excited to welcome kindergarten registration applications for children born in 2020, turning 5 in 2025. These children will begin kindergarten in September 2025. **Online registration begins November 1, 2024.**

Families are encouraged to register any time during the Priority 1 registration period (November 1 – January 17) for the best chance at attending their catchment school. All registration applications completed any time during the Priority 1 registration period will receive placement decisions via emails from the school by February 7, 2025.

For complete information:

<https://sd38.bc.ca/student-registration/kindergarten-registration>

### Kindergarten 2025/26 Parent Information Night – Students with Disabilities and Diverse Abilities

Date: Wednesday, November 6, 2024

Time: 6:30pm

Hosts: Gordon Fitt, Liz Hayes-Brown and Sarah Loat

To join the meeting, click the Zoom [link](#) and enter passcode: 6000.

As per district policy, a student will normally attend the school located in their catchment area in which their parents or legal guardians reside unless there is no physical, resource or program space available. This provision may need to be applied more frequently, potentially resulting in more students needing placement outside their catchment school.