

Blundell Elementary School

BOBCAT WAG

SEPTEMBER 18-22

MONDAY, SEPT. 18



For students
in Divisions
1, 2 and 3

TUESDAY, SEPT. 19

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 20

THURSDAY, SEPT. 21

Come and joining the bobcat
community for our first
breakfast club of the year.

@ 8am in the gym



FRIDAY, SEPT. 22



Pro-d Day
Staff will be spending the
day learning about
Transformative
Reconciliation with Dr.
Dustin Louie

UPCOMING DATES...

Monday, September 25-HUB Cycling for Div. 1, 2 and 3
Tuesday, Sept. 26--
Wednesday, Sept. 27--Terry Fox Assembly-presentd by the
Terry Fox Foundation @ 9am
Thursday, Sept. 28--Breakfast Club/Terry Fox Run @ 1:30pm
Families invited to join us for the Terry Fox Run
Friday, Sept. 29---Acknowledging National Truth and
Reconciliation Day--Wear your orange shirt
First Hot Lunch-Pizza!



UPDATES FROM THE PAC



MUNCH A LUNCH OPENING SOON

Hot Lunches will open shortly--we will let you know when ordering can begin. NOTE: When you first log on, you will need to update information about your child(ren), including division number & teacher.

THANK YOU PARENTS!

Thank you to all the parents who attended today's PAC meeting. Fourteen parents came out and we appreciate seeing all the new faces!



Our **NEXT PAC MEETING IS:** Friday, October 13 at 1PM in the library (following hot lunch)



CONNECT WITH THE PAC

We know that there are parents who want to support the PAC, but are busy or work during the day and cannot attend meetings. We understand and we are looking for other opportunities to meet and get involved in the school. Follow us on social media, email us, and let's stay connected....

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WHATSAPP



[@Blundell Elementary-Families Group](#)
YOU WILL BE ASKED FOR A CODE: 6480

FACEBOOK



[@blundell_pac](#)

MEET OUR

BLUNDELL STAFF

2023-2024

Principal: Ms. J. Rooney
Administrative Assistant: Ms. C. Kwok
School Trustee: Mr. K. Hamaguchi

Div. 1-Mr. T. Dennis
Div 2.-Mr. Z. Ozeer
Div. 3-Mr. A. Burghall
Div. 4-Ms. K. Hong
Div. 5-Ms. A. Xiao
Dv. 6-Ms. J. Bella
Div. 7-Ms. V. Lam
Div. 8-Ms. C. Casado
Div. 9-Ms. S. David
Div. 10.-Ms. V. O'Connell
Div. 11-Mr. R. Sihota
Div. 12-Ms. C. Cantwell
Lbrary-Ms. I. Chan
Band. -Ms. A. Kihara

LRT/ELL

Ms. J. Rekhi, Mr. A. Forrest
Ms. Rae, Ms. Smith, Ms. C. Lee

Educational Assistants

Ms. L. Romhanyi, Ms. K. Owen,
Ms. V. Xiong, Ms. J. Lu, Ms. Y. McCarthy,
Ms. R. Arora, Mr. D. Hall, Ms. S. Phillips, TBA

Additional Staff:

Behaviour Outreach Support -Mr. D. Griffing
RSP Resource Teacher-Ms. L. Van Deventer
Counselor-Ms. J. Leithman
Speech and Language Pathologist (SLP)-Ms. S. Bishop
Child and Family Workers-Mr. J. Roll, Ms. A. Sigurdson
Aboriginal Success Teacher-Mr. J. Campbell
School Psychologist-Ms. H. Fredrickson
School Custodians: Mr. E. Naoe and Mr. R. De Guzman
SWIS Worker-Ms. L. Zhou
Noon Hour Supervisors-Ms. S. Zareen, Mr. H. Lau, Ms. P.
Mooney
Hearing Resource Teacher- TBA
Inclusion Support Team (IST)-Ms. Paula Lewry

Parking lot safety reminders



Reminders of where to park and where to stop your car and drop off.



Many families are choosing to park in the drop off zone at the front of the school. Parking is leaving your car to walk your child to class. When a car is parked in that zone, it causes back ups for all of our families and makes it unsafe for others exiting the parking lot. PLEASE PARK YOUR CAR IN A DESIGNATED SPOT AND WALK YOUR CHILD FROM THERE.

RICHMOND BAPTIST CHURCH

Located just to the east of Blundell Elementary is Richmond Baptist Church. They support our Blundell community in a variety of ways. One way they support us daily is by sharing their parking lot with our families as they drop off and pick up their children. Please be very mindful if you use this parking lot.

- Park close to the fence by our school
- Ensure that you are not blocking entrances or exits
- Be aware of others entering and exiting the parking lot
- Enter only from Blundell Road

CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING



Cross country is an extra-curricular activity open to all students in grades 1-7. Students run various distances from 800m for our youngest to about 2000m for our Grade 6 and 7s. The season ends with a Fun Run at **Garry Point Park** where our runners get a chance to run against students the same age from schools across the district.

Practices

- Tuesday and Friday mornings @ 8am
- **First practice--Tuesday, Sept. 26**
- Meet in the gym-use outside door to enter
- Stretching and warm-up and then run. We will run on
- the school grounds.

Cross Country Fun Run
Tuesday, October 17th

Starts with grade 1s at approximately 3:15pm and moves up a grade about every 10 minutes.

Permission forms will come home next week.

Interested?

Come to our first practice on Tuesday, September 26
@ 8am



Dress for the weather or Any Day Ready or West Coast Recess

A huge reminder (to both staff and students) to please dress for the weather. Today was a wet day without the cold temperatures. We will be going outside for both recess and lunch time every day! It will be rare day that students are not outside getting a healthy dose of play time and fresh air.