

Blundell Elementary School

BOBCAT WAG

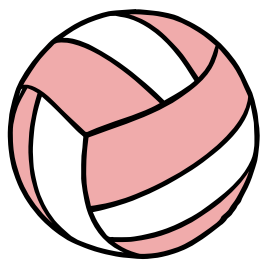
NOVEMBER 27-DECEMBER 1

MONDAY, NOV. 27

School is in session-Our apologies
Mistake on last week's WAG.

TUESDAY, NOV. 28

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 29



Volleyball Playday
@ Richmond High

THURSDAY, NOV. 30

Breakfast
Club @ 8am
in the gym



FRIDAY, DEC. 1

TCO2

Taking Care of Ourselves
Taking Care of Others
Presentations for Grades 4-7

PAC HOT
LUNCH--Pizza
Bring a
plate!

UPCOMING DATES...

Monday, December 4--BMO VanGoh Visual Arts Workshops for
Divisions 1-6

Tuesday, December 5-

Wednesday, December 6--

Thursday, December 7-

Friday, December 8--PAC HOT LUNCH--A and W--*NEW*



UPDATES FROM THE PAC



ORDER LUNCH NOW!

- Friday, Dec 2 - Pizza
 - Friday, Dec 8 - *NEW!!* A&W
 - Friday, Dec 15 - Sushi
 - Friday, Dec 22 - Pasta
- \$1 snacks, treats, and juice available too!

<https://munchalunch.com/schools/blundell/>

DEADLINE NOV 28

Order and pay on time to help us save money. Did you know we pay 30 cents (+2%) to the credit card company every time there's a transaction? This is why we want families to do all of their orders one time--the more money we save, the more money goes back to the school.

DON'T FORGET

- Send a **PLATE** or **CONTAINER** on Pizza Day to help your child carry their pizza
- Send a **FORK** on other days to reduce waste!
- MunchaLunch will also email you reminders.



PURDY'S CHOCOLATES

A portion of all Purdy's sales goes back to the school. (Last year we raised \$500!) Here's how:

1. Use our special link:
<https://fundraising.purdys.com/1394656-111994>
2. Shop and pay online before Dec 3.
3. Pick up your order at the school on Dec 18.



BLUNDELL SKATE NIGHT

Blundell's Annual Skate Night
Monday, Dec 18 4:30 - 6 PM
At Minoru Arena
Free for Blundell students and families!
FREE ADMISSION, FREE RENTALS & FREE HELMETS!

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

NEXT PAC MEETING IS: Friday, December 15
at 1PM in the library (following hot lunch)

VOLUNTEERS: Please join us if you can support hot lunch on the days above. 11:45am to 12:45pm on Fridays listed. We love to see you!



CONTACT THE PAC

blundell.elementary.pac@gmail.com

LINK TREE

<https://linktr.ee/blundell.elementary.pac>



CHOCOLATIER Seasonal Fundraising

Blundell is participating in Purdy's Chocolatier Fundraiser. A portion of all sales go back to the school. (Last year we raised \$500!)

If you want to purchase chocolates:

1. Use our special link:

<https://fundraising.purdys.com/1394656-111994>

2. Enter your email address.

3. Shop and pay online before Dec 3.

4. Pick up your order at the school on Dec 18.

If you have any questions, just email the PAC:
blundell.elementary.pac@gmail.com

BLUNDELL'S TOP-SELLING ITEMS SO FAR THIS YEAR:



Survive the Season, 5 pc
\$19.00



Stocking Stuffer, 235 g
\$16.00



Jolly Saint Nick (Milk
Chocolate), 56 g
\$4.50



Hot Chocolate , 335 g
\$9.50



"I READ CANADIAN" CONTEST



For the month of November, read a book by a Canadian author and win some Canadian prizes.



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION



Richmond School District 38 is excited to welcome Kindergarten registration applications for children born in 2019, turning 5 in 2024. These children will begin Kindergarten in September 2024. Online registration opens on November 1, 2023. Please visit our website www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten for more information about our online registration process, required documents, important dates, and FAQs.

We encourage families to complete their registration within the Priority 1 registration window, which spans from November to January, in order to maximize their chances of securing a spot at their catchment school. All registration applications received any time during the Priority 1 registration period will receive placement decisions by February 2, 2024.

Videos detailing Kindergarten registration have been made available on our District website, providing new parents with guidance on the registration process, English Language Learner (ELL) assessments, and District Program Options (Early French Immersion and Montessori). These videos are available in English and Mandarin. Please view the videos at www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten.

Finally, there will be a Kindergarten Information Evening for parents of students with disabilities and diverse abilities on Zoom held on November 8th from 6:30 – 7:30pm. A link to the Zoom is available on our District website www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten.

Thank you and please share this information with your friends and family who have Kindergarten aged children!

LOST AND FOUND

**Located just past the office on a
table.**

Picture needs to be updated.

The lost and found will be cleaned out each
term. Please come by and take a peek if one of
the items looks like yours!

SCHOOL MESSENGER

HERE TO CONNECT...

RICHMOND
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 38

Richmond School District
7811 Granville Avenue, Richmond BC V6Y3E3
604-668-6000 | sd38.bc.ca

November 15, 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Richmond School District is implementing a new communication tool that will enable both the district and your child's school to send you text messages. This is being implemented to improve the ability to deliver time-sensitive information to you, including emergency notifications. Given the significance of this communication tool, we strongly encourage you to opt-in for this service. You can choose to opt-in by texting 978338 with a Yes. Please complete this action before November 30, 2023.

To opt-in, please send a text message with a Y or YES to 978338



Once you have opted in, you should receive a confirmation text message from School Messenger. School Messenger is fully compliant with the Student Privacy Pledge, ensuring the safety and confidentiality of your information. Your data will never be shared or sold to any third party.

Thank you for staying connected with us through this new communication tool.

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Frequently Asked Questions

How do I "opt-in" to receive text messages?

- Ensure your child's school has your cell number listed within MyEducation BC.
- Text Y to 978338 from each wireless device you wish to receive texts on.

How do I "opt-out" of receiving text messages?

- Recipients not wishing to receive text messages to a particular number can simply do one of the following:
 - Do not opt-in and do not reply to the opt-in invitation message.
 - Text STOP to 978338 at any time.
 - Opt-out online at <http://schoolmessenger.com/txtmsg>.

I "opted-in", but I am not receiving texts?

- Ensure that your child's school has your correct cell phone number in the MyEducation BC Student Information System. It may take 24 hours for a number to become active after being changed or added.
- Send a text with Y, from that specific device to 978338. You should receive an opt-in confirmation message from the service.
- To receive texts on multiple devices, each device number must complete the opt-in process.

Will I be charged for the text messages I receive?

- School Messenger does not charge recipients for text messages they receive or send, if using a Canada-based phone number; however, wireless providers may charge for individual text messages, depending on the plan associated with the wireless device. Please consult your carrier if you are uncertain if you have a text messaging plan.