Capilano Elementary Weekly Reminders - November 30, 2023



Monday December 4th PRO-D Day- NO SCHOOL

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

<u>Attendance</u> - Please ensure to inform the office if your student will be absent, coming in late or leaving early by;

- emailing capilano@sd44.ca
- using the <u>SafeArrival</u> system, or
- calling (604) 903-3370, press '2' at any time to reach the absent line *checked frequently. You don't have to wait until the day of the absence to report it if you know ahead of time.

Please provide the first and last name of your student, grade, and division, if known. It is always a good idea to let your student's classroom teacher know, however the office enters excused absences.

<u>Winter Weather</u> —As we head into the cold and winter months, we highly recommend that learners dress for the weather and keep an extra set of clothes at the school. Since we learn in North Vancouver, we go out on most days, so it is important to ensure we are ready for rain and/or snow.



Please take a few moments to read our <u>winter weather procedures</u>. Weather-related updates will be posted to the school district website. Families: <u>sign up to receive text message alerts</u> regarding severe weather, power outages and other emergencies. Please check for communications prior to heading to school if it has snowed.

Intermediate Winter ConcertThe Intermediate Winter Concert will be on Wednesday,
December 13th, 2023. Intermediate students and their families (maximum 2 per family due to gym
capacity limits) will arrive at around 6:00pm. The performance will start at 6:15pm in the gym at
Capilano Elementary. More details will be shared in the near future by Mr. Kostamo.

<u>Chess</u> – Is your child interested in participating in the SD44 Chess Championship? Please see the flyer below for more information!



CAPILANO SCHOOL IMPORTANT DATES

DECEMBER

Dec 4 District Wide Non-Instructional Day – **No School**

Dec 13 Intermediate Winter Concert 6:15pm in the gym at Capilano

Dec 22 Last Day of school before winter break

WINTER BREAK December 25, 2023 - January 5, 2024 - school is closed

JANUARY

Monday, Jan 8, 2024 School Re-Opens after Winter Break

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WEEKLY REMINDERS - NOV 30, 2023

- Hot Lunch via MunchaLunch Reminder: Orders for next Friday or the term are due by Fri, Dec 1, noon. Help us achieve zero waste by reminding your child to bring home packaging and utensils. For inquiries or absences, contact <u>capilanofood@gmail.com</u>.
- 2. After-School Program Update

Some of our After School Programs have ended, or are due end, for Term 1:

- Paper Crow Creative: Finishes today Thu, Nov 30.
- Mindful Kids Yoga: Finishes Fri, Dec 8.
- Zen Maker Lab, and Lights Up Musical Theatre: Finished.

Mark Your Calendar: Registration for Term 2 will kick off in early December. Stay tuned for more exciting activities and learning opportunities!

Thank you to all our participants for making Term 1 a success.

3. **Gingerbread House Fundraiser** - Purchase a \$35 DIY gingerbread kit from Baking U Happy, packed with gingerbread pieces, icing, candy, and sprinkles. Order on Munchalunch by Sat, Dec 16 for pickup on Dec 21, 2-4 pm at 1278 Keith Rd W.

Important Dates:

- Nov 30 After School Program Paper Crow Creative finishes for Term 1.
- Dec 4-8 The Card Project final orders arrive.
- Dec 8 Grade 7 Poinsettia Fundraiser pick up.
- Dec 8 After School Program Mindful Kids Yoga finishes for Term 1.
- Dec 22 Capilano Holiday Breakfast



North Vancouver School District Chess Championship

You are invited!

Compete in the 2024 North Vancouver School District Chess Championship.

For NVSD students in Grades K-12, all skill levels and experience are welcome. Compete in one of three divisions (Primary, Intermediate and Secondary) for individual and school prizes.

Date: Friday, Febraury 16th, 2024

Time: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (check-in begin at 8:15am)

Place: Educational Services Centre (2121 Lonsdale

Ave)

Free to enter

For more details visit sd44.ca or email: chess@sd44.ca.

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