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Monday Message

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Dear Ross Road Parents and Guardians,

Last week we explored Social Emotional Learning and Mental Health during our Collaboration time. The school district has created a video that explains it in more detail. <https://vimeo.com/303404280>

[https://www.sd44.ca/Announcements/DispForm.aspx?ID=676#/=](https://www.sd44.ca/Announcements/DispForm.aspx?ID=676#/)

This continues to be an area of focus for Ross Road as it ties to our school goal of creating a kind and inclusive school community.

Spirit Day

Ms. Sabzevari's class collected the most donations for WE Scare Hunger. As a prize they got to select our next Spirit Day. **On Friday November 29th we will be having "Multiples Day"**. This means students should dress alike as twins, triplets, quadruplets or more! As always, we are trying to support sustainable practices so we encourage minimal waste so please use items that you already have. Teachers will be having conversations in classrooms.

Cold Weather

As we approach Winter, I wanted to remind parents/guardians of some of our winter weather procedures. We acknowledge that families travel on all different routes to school; however, in icy and snowy conditions the school will clear a path to the front entrance of the school on the east side. Walkways to the portables will also be cleared and salted as quickly as possible. The west basketball court tends to be very icy. Please be mindful on cold days. You may wish to walk around to the areas that will be cleared and salted. We will endeavour to clear all areas as fast as we can.

SD44 Strategic Planning

This is a reminder that all parents are invited to participate in setting the future direction for the North Vancouver School District this week on Wednesday, November 27th at 7:00pm. The North Vancouver Parent Advisory Council will be hosting an interactive strategic planning session for parents at the Education Services Centre (2121 Lonsdale Ave, 5th Floor).

Dates

November 25-Gymnastics starts (taught by teacher during PE classes)

November 27-Grade 7 Co-ed Bball Eastview, SD44 Strategic Planning 7pm
November 28-Grade 6 Immunizations, Grade 7 Co-ed Bball Eastview
November 29-**Multiples Day**, End of Term 1

Once again the District update on road closures remain the same as in previous weeks. From now on something will only be included in here if there are updates or changes.

Kind regards,

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