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The School Community of Ross Road strives to support potential for all that values diversity and is built in a safe and caring environment.

Ross Road is welcoming, caring and inclusive. We foster a culture of engaged learners and critical thinkers who are responsible and respectful. As a school community we promote a sense of belonging for all.

Monday Message

Dear Ross Road Families.

It's hard to believe we are into the second week of June with only a few weeks left of school. We want to congratulate all the track and field athletes for such a strong showing at the District Track Finals last week.

In recognition of Pride Month, students at Ross Road have organized a Pride walk for our school for the Friday, June 16th. The purpose of this event is to highlight and celebrate diversity and inclusion at Ross Road and in our broader community of Lynn Valley. Students in K-7 are invited to wear their division colour (listed below) and to participate in a whole-school group photo at the end of our walk. (There is no need to go out and purchase clothing in the colour suggested if you don't have it.) Thank you for helping to support and celebrate all of our students at Ross Road.

Colours: Red (E01, F01, F02, F03); Orange (E02, F04, F05); Yellow (E03, F06, F07); Green (E04, F08, F09); Blue (E05, E06, F10, F11); Purple (E07, E08, F12, F13, F14, F15)

Library: Has your child returned all their library books?

Please return books as soon as possible for year-end organization.

The **Summer Reading Club** at Lynn Valley Public Library starts today! Sign up to earn prizes and get a free book for program completion (more information in the district section of this newsletter).

Ross Road School Library Used Book Sale will be in the school under cover area

June 20-22 @ 8:15-8:40am & 2:55-3:15 pm Hard cover books \$2, soft cover books \$1

Picture books, chapter books, novels, non-fiction books (science, sports, animals and more!)

Proceeds to future library book buying.

Share the love of books with your children.

This sale allows them the opportunity to handle small amounts of cash and manage a purchase themselves.

PAC Information

Ross Road Ice Cream Social

Celebrate the end of the school year with a sweet treat! Ice cream will be served with a toppings bar for only \$2 per bowl. Traditional ice cream and a dairy-free option will be available. DON'T FORGET to bring your own bowl and spoon, and something to sit on to enjoy this fun event. All proceeds to the PAC.

We still need a few more volunteer ice cream scoopers! Please visit the FreshSchools Calendar to sign up.

Ice Cream Social Details:
All families welcome
Thursday June 15
6:30-7:30pm
CASH only - \$2 per bowl, includes toppings
Please remember your own bowl & spoon!

Check out the Ross Road PAC website Ross Road PAC | École Ross Road School - Parent Advisory Committee

District Information

Journey Through Time: BC Summer Reading Club 2023

The 2023 BC Summer Reading Club for kids is here! The North Vancouver City Library and the North Vancouver District Public Library are excited to welcome youth into this year's club to encourage reading all summer long. Children who read during their summer holidays do better in school throughout the year. Summer Reading Club is for all ages between kids (Grade K-6) and teen (Grade 7-12). Visit your local librarian to help get you registered for the correct age group.

Reminder to please follow this <u>link</u> for further district information/registrations/surveys/events.

Important Dates:

June is Pride Month & Indigenous History Month

June 13 Band concert at Ross Road time changed 6:00pm (drop off at 5:40pm)

June 14 PAC meeting

June 15 PAC Ice Cream Social 6:30-7:30pm

June 16 Strings concert at Argyle 6pm

June 20-22 Ross Road Library Used Book Sale: 8:15-8:40am & 2:55-3:15 pm

June 21 National Indigenous Peoples Day

June 27 Report Cards Published

June 28 Grade 7 Farewell 1:15pm

June 29 Last Day of school (full day)

Please remember to check the school <u>website</u> for important dates, a copy of all school newsletters and other important information. You are also encouraged to subscribe to the <u>school calendar</u>.

Kind regards,

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