

École Ross Road School

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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,

We hope this message finds you well. It is a busy time at school. Students are working hard in music class as they prepare for the school musical. The end of the term is at the end of February with the opportunity to meet with classroom teachers in early March about the second learning update (report cards).

This month, classes are learning about Emotion Management as part of our Second Step program related to Social Emotional learning. Students are learning how to recognize feelings in their body, stop and name the feelings, practice strategies to calm down, and learning how to manage learning challenges.

Ross Road's Presentation of Pirates! The Musical!

If you haven't already done so, please return the ticket request form for the performances on March 5th, 6th and 7th. (please only return one per family)

Grade 7 Parents and Caregivers

Just a reminder that tonight is the grade 7 transition meeting for families hosted by Argyle. There are optional school tours starting at 6:15pm with the meeting scheduled for 7pm.

PAC INFORMATION

Movie Night

We need a few more volunteers to help out for the Movie Night. The more of us helping, the less work there is to do! Please help out. You'll be able to watch the movie, while volunteering.

Ross Road Grade 7 Fundraiser - Purdy's Chocolates

Our Purdy's fundraiser has begun! Get your Easter treats now 🀱 Stock up on beautiful Easter gift boxes, fun chocolate bunnies, Sweet Georgia Browns and more. All profits go towards our Class of 2024 events, yearbooks, and year-end celebrations. Ordering is easy! Simply login or create a new account at https://fundraising.purdys.com/1767669-116683, click JOIN A CAMPAIGN, shop online, use marketplace and start shopping! Invite your

friends and family to shop as well.

Order deadline is February 27th. Pick up your order on March 13th from 3pm to 4pm at the front of the school near the gym.

If you have any questions, please contact denisedehestani@gmail.com

Please check out the PAC website for important information and updates. <u>Ross Road PAC | École Ross Road School – Parent Advisory Committee</u>

DISTRICT INFORMATION

For more public input opportunities, NVSD events, NVSD registrations, and additional information and opportunities please check the NVSD website News Item - North Vancouver School District (sd44.ca)

Important Dates:

February 12 – Grade 7 Parent/Guardian Meeting **at Argyle** (optional tour at 6:15pm, presentation at 7pm)

February 15 – PAC Movie Night

February 16 – District Professional Development Day, no school for students

February 19 - Family Day, school not in session

February 21 – PAC meeting 7pm library

February 26-March 1- Carnaval activities at Ross Road in classes

February 28 – Pink Shirt Day

March 1 – Musical sound check

March 4 – Musical dress rehearsal

March 5-7 – Musical

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>. <u>https://www.sd44.ca/school/rossroad/Pages/default.aspx#/=</u>

Kind regards,

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We would like to thank the Coast Salish people, specifically the Skwxwú7mesh Nation and Tsleil-Waututh Nation, upon whose unceded traditional territory École Ross Road Elementary and the North Vancouver School District resides. We value the opportunity to learn, share and grow on this traditional territory.

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