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École Ross Road Elementary School strives to foster an inclusive school community where everyone is valued and supported to realize their fullest potential as individuals and as a collective.

Monday Message

Dear Ross Road Families,

We are excited to share our updated [Ross Road School Plan](#). This plan reflects our ongoing commitment to fostering a safe, inclusive, and engaging learning environment where every student can thrive. Developed with input from staff, students, and families, our plan focuses on key goals in literacy, student well-being, and community connection.

We invite you to explore the plan and see how we're working together to support student success and growth. Thank you for being an essential part of our school community.

Congratulations to all our amazing Ross Road athletes who represented our school with pride and determination at the District Swangard Track & Field Meet last Tuesday. We are so proud of your efforts and accomplishments.

A heartfelt thank you goes out to our dedicated coaches for volunteering their time and energy, and to all the families for your continued support. If you haven't returned your jersey yet, please bring it back to the school as soon as possible. Thank you.

Rainbow Walk June 19th @ 1:50 PM

Call for volunteers:

June is Pride Month, and like last year, all students will be invited to dress in a colour to show support for 2SLGBTQI+ communities. We are looking for adult volunteers to mark the route that intermediate students will be walking. If you are able to help on June 19 at 1:50 pm, please email Shawna Brent

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Division Colours:

You are encouraged to have your child wear a shirt in the colour listed below for divisions if possible:

F02 + F03 – Red

F01 + E02 – Orange

E03 + F04 – Yellow

E04 + F05 – Green

F06 – Blue

E01 – Purple

Primary divisions - Rainbow, tie-dye, any colour of choice.

Reminder: Library News

Our library book exchange has concluded for the school year. All books should be returned by June 14. K-5 students will meet the Lynn Valley Public Library Children's Librarian during promotional visits for the Summer Reading Club June 9 through 11 in our library. For more information: [SRC | NVDPL Public Library](#)

Grade 6-7 students will learn about the Teen Summer Reading Challenge and meet the Teen Librarian later in June: [Teen SRC | NVDPL Public Library](#)

If you have questions or concerns about missing or lost library books, reach out to our librarian at mmcallister@sd44.ca

Reminder: School Supplies for 2025-26

Intermediate (Grade 4-7) school supply lists for the 2025-26 school year are now posted on the Ross Road website. They can be accessed by clicking [here](#). If you wish to order a supply pack from School Start, please follow the directions on the website. Otherwise, please use the lists to purchase items on your own.

*Please note that Ross Road is partnering with a new company for supply packs, School Start, and supplies will be **delivered to your home**, not the school as in previous years.

School supplies for primary students (Grade K-3) will continue to be purchased by the teachers, and parents/guardians will be asked to pay on School Cash Online in September.

Reminder: Lost and Found

We encourage families to check the lost and found-there are **so many items!** Please remind your child to stop by and check it. All items will be donated at the end of the year.

PAC INFORMATION

Ice Cream Social, June 19th at 6:15-7:45pm

Please join us for the Ross Road PAC ice cream social. Bring your own bowl and spoon. We look forward to celebrating the end of the school year with all of you.

Check out the PAC [website](#) for helpful information, news, and events.

DISTRICT INFORMATION

Reminder: North Vancouver School District Information Homestay families urgently needed

Each year, the North Vancouver School District welcomes students from around the world to live and study in our vibrant community in the International Program. We strive to place secondary school international students with families who live close to school to support each student's integration into the school and wider community.

We still have several secondary school international students in need of a homestay placement for the school term beginning September 2025. If you are interested in hosting an international student, please reach out to our International Education program office at international@sd44.ca. More information about the homestay program is available on the [International Education](#) section of the school district website.

Please check this link to the Superintendent's Updates [here](#) & other helpful district links for Parents and Guardians [here](#).

Important Dates:

June 16-21 – National Indigenous Peoples Day celebrated all week

June 19 – Rainbow walk 2pm, PAC Ice Cream social 6:15-7:45pm

June 21 – National Indigenous Peoples Day

June 25 – Grade 7 Farewell 1:15pm

June 26 – Last day for students

Please remember to check the school [website](#) for important dates, a copy of all school newsletter and other important information. You are also encouraged to **subscribe** to the [school calendar](#).

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

Best regards,

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