

Announcements

NVSD Litterless Lunch



Superintendent Mark Pearmain takes the litterless lunch pledge

Our first ever district-wide Litterless Lunch is now underway and runs until November 30th. We have received lots of positive feedback about the campaign from schools and would like to thank everyone that has jumped on board to support the initiative.



Litterless Lunch at Montroyal featured on CBC Kids!

Check out this CBC kids feature about litterless lunch at Montroyal Elementary School. Reporter Lindsay is also a student in the North Vancouver School District at Highlands Elementary.

Don't forget – share your photos to win prizes! **Share on social media with the hashtag #nvsdlitterlesslunch**

Winner – NVSD Garden Box Competition



We are pleased to announce that Capilano Elementary is the winner of the NVSD Garden Box Competition – Congratulations!

Our student judges from Carson Graham really enjoyed reviewing the submissions and had a tough job deciding on a single winner. We would like to give an honourable mention to the elementary schools that entered - Cove Cliff, Queensbury, Lynnmour, and Canyon Heights -

your submissions clearly and creatively demonstrated the many ways school gardens can support student learning.

Capilano's video submission showed a huge amount of engagement as over 25 students enthusiastically presented their plans for the garden. The planter box will kickstart a gardening initiative and will be used to educate students about food security, food independence, and sustainability. Students hope that the garden will raise awareness about the time needed to grow food and the benefits of healthy homegrown produce. The school has plans for transferring gardening knowledge between students in different grades and between teacher champions. We look forward to getting the garden set up at Capilano Elementary and seeing what they grow!