

**ÉCOLE BOUNDARY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

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**École Boundary School  
Weekly Update  
for November 6 – November 10**

Monday 6	Tuesday 7	Wednesday 8	Thursday 9	Friday 10
	GRIT workshops  After-school SPORT CLUB  Hot Lunch	<b>National Indigenous Veteran’s Day</b>  <b>Argyle Family of Schools School Plan Session 3:45@ Argyle</b>	GRIT workshops	Remembrance Day Assembly 11am

**A MESSAGE FROM MS. LAROUÉ and MS. WARDAS**

And just like that, it’s November! I would like to thank the PAC for hosting a brilliant Boundary Boogie Halloween Dance for the community on Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>! After a successful evening we are already discussing preparations for next year and I am thrilled to announce that we will have **at least 300 tickets available**. We recognize that many families were disappointed and now know that with access to the multi-purpose room, foyer and gym, there will be enough space to accommodate more tickets sales next year!!! Thank you for being patient with our learning curve! Mark your calendar for Friday, October 25, 2024! ☺

We are now in full preparations for the upcoming Remembrance Day assembly – the most sombre and serious assembly of the year. While there may be some images of war in the slideshow, the focus of our assembly is on peace. We will focus on our intentions by ensuring our daily actions contribute to a peaceful environment in homes, schools, communities, and country. A tradition that we are happy to continue at Boundary is that of highlighting students involved in service through Sparks, Embers, Guides, Pathfinders, Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, and Cadets to become part of our Colour Guard. I have collected several names of students that would like to be part of the Colour Guard during the Remembrance Day assembly. These children are being asked to come wearing their uniform to school and will be asked to walk into the assembly as a group. Please let us know if you have any questions about this event.

**And finally, we are noticing on Hot Lunch Days that many students are often still very hungry as they may not have been given a recess snack or extra snack for lunch. Please still consider sending small snacks on Hot Lunch Days. Don’t forget to continue to have conversations with your child(ren) about their food choices and if possible, include them in the shopping, planning, and meal prep for your family.**



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### UPCOMING EVENTS

November 8	National Indigenous Veteran's Day
November 8	School Planning Committee (4pm Argyle)
November 10	Remembrance Day Assembly 11am
November 13	Remembrance Day observed – Schools not in session
<b>November 16</b>	<b>Grade 6 Parent information session – 5:30pm</b>
December 4	Curriculum Day – Schools not in session
December 7	Hanukkah begins
December 13	Band Concert (5:30 student arrival, concert begins at 6pm)
December 18	Primary Winter Concert (time to be determined)
December 18	Report Cards published
December 20 -22	All Grade 6 Students go to Outdoor School ( <b>see below for more info</b> )
December 22	Last day of school before the break – PJ DAY!!
December 23-Jan 7	Schools closed for Winter Break

### School Reminders and Routines

Please communicate absences by: school messenger app, email to [boundary@sd44.ca](mailto:boundary@sd44.ca) & teacher(s) or absence line 604-903-3264  
Reminder to check your **School Cash Online account for any unpaid items** and to ensure all required online permission forms have been submitted.

**Thank you for completing all forms and returning them to your child's classroom teacher.**

### NEWS FROM THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

#### **Information: erase = expect respect & a safe education**

[erase](#) is about building safe and caring school communities. This includes empowering students, families, educators and the community partners who support them to get help with challenges, report concerns to schools, and learn about complex issues facing students. erase started in 2004 through the provincial government's Safe, Caring and Orderly Schools Strategy, and has since evolved.

Families are encouraged to review the resources and information found on the erase website with their children, including about online safety, mental health and well-being, substance abuse, bullying, racism, sexual orientation and gender identity (SOGI) and more. There is also a [reporting tool](#) to get help and support.

Starting on November 16, the school district and school websites will feature erase on the homepage rotating banner. We are doing this to increase awareness of this resource. You can expect to see erase shared on school district and school websites periodically throughout the school year.



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Should you have any questions or concerns, please speak with your child's teacher, school counsellor or school administration.

### Kindergarten Registration

is now open for the 2024-2025 school year.

Please [click here](#) or visit the district website at [www.sd44.ca](http://www.sd44.ca)

### Grade 6 Outdoor School at Cheakamus Centre

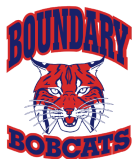
*Parent Evening scheduled for November 16<sup>th</sup> 5:30-6:30pm*

We are pleased to inform grade 6 families that the date for Outdoor School has been confirmed for December 20-22!! It is a beautiful time to visit Paradise Valley while taking part in outdoor learning and adventures. Teachers sent home forms today. Thank you for filling in the forms and returning them as soon as possible. Ms. Fletcher, Mme Mavor, and Ms. Rush will accompany the students on this 3-day adventure. Ms. Dale and Ms. Halliday will stay at Boundary with the grade 5 and 7 students.

Within the coming week, grade 6 families will receive a notification that the Outdoor School Fee is due through your Cash Key On-Line account. This year's pro-rated 3-day cost is \$247.00 which includes transportation by private coach, accommodation, and all meals. Please contact Ms. La Roue by way of confidential email ([klaroue@sd44.ca](mailto:klaroue@sd44.ca)) should you need financial assistance. It is our hope that all students can attend this 3-day overnight adventure!

Staff will work together to create cabin groups and field study groups. These two groups will provide an opportunity for your child to engage in activities with a variety of students. Please see the following links to give you an idea of the adventure that awaits! (The schedule for our students will be adjusted for 3 days rather than the 4 day one shown here).

Overnight program [Gr. 6 Schedule](#)  
Introductory video [Introductory Video](#)



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**PAC NEWS**

Engage with us on Instagram and Facebook @boundarypac

**Card Project: The final order deadline is Sunday, November 12 with delivery December 4-8.**



The  
**Card  
PROJECT**

Our fall fundraiser opens this Friday, October 20

Take a sneak peek at your child's art and place a **Priority Order for early delivery.**  
See your child's art online and browse the beautiful products made with your child's art.

1. Go to [www.TheCardProject.ca](http://www.TheCardProject.ca)
2. Click on "TO ORDER"
3. Click on "USE THE SCHOOL ACCESS CODE"
4. Enter our School Access Code: **BY82**
5. Find your child's class (use the dropdown menu)
6. Enter your child's first name
7. Order cards and products if you wish! It's that easy!

If you have any questions, please reach out to Marcelle - [Marcelle@TheCardProject.ca](mailto:Marcelle@TheCardProject.ca)

**Boundary BOOgie** - Success! We saw so many amazing costumes and lots of big smiles! We would like to thank everyone on the dance committee. You all put in so much time and effort. Thank you to the parents who volunteered. Without your help this event wouldn't be able to happen. We hope you all had a great time!

**Purdy's Fundraiser:** Everyone's favourite holiday fundraiser has returned! Submit orders by November 15 and pick-up will be November 30. Click here to order: <https://fundraising.purdys.com/join.aspx/1783597-109026>.

**Card Project:** There is still time to order! The final order deadline is Sunday, November 12 with delivery December 4-8.

**Grit in Schools:** Thank you to the team from Grit for leading our kids through a series of excellent workshops to boost brain-health and resilience. These workshops will continue through mid-November, and we hope students are enjoying them.



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**FreshSchools** – Visit [boundarypac.ca](http://boundarypac.ca) to sign up for this platform and stay up-to-date on all Boundary-related events.

**ONE TO ONE Reading Program:** Parents / Caregivers of beginning readers in Grades 1 and 2 are invited to attend a virtual workshop called *Come Read with Me*. The workshop is being held on November 8 at 7 p.m. via Zoom. Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/one-to-one-literacy-society-32436852611>

**Hot lunch registration** – If you haven't already, please sign up now . <https://boundary.hotlunches.net/admin/> **All** students must register each year using code **BEHL** If you have an existing credit, please use the same email and user name.

School Wide Focus
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*CODE OF CONDUCT*

Caring for Self and Others

Caring for Learning

Caring for the Environment

HELPFUL WEBSITE LINKS
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North Vancouver School District Website: [www.sd44.ca](http://www.sd44.ca)

École Boundary School Website: [click here](#)

École Boundary School Plan: [click here](#)

Boundary PAC website [click here](#)

Argyle School Website: [click here](#)

New Reporting resources for parents and caregivers: [click here](#)

North Shore Family Services: [click here](#)

North Vancouver District Public Libraries: [click here](#)

North Vancouver Recreation: [click here](#)