

Capilano Elementary

Weekly Reminders – December 8th, 2023



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Attendance - Please ensure to inform the office if your student will be absent, coming in late or leaving early by;

- emailing capilano@sd44.ca
- using the [SafeArrival](#) system, or
- calling (604) 903-3370, press '2' at any time to reach the absent line **checked frequently*. You don't have to wait until the day of the absence to report it if you know ahead of time.

Please provide the first and last name of your student, grade, and division, if known. It is always a good idea to let your student's classroom teacher know, however the office enters excused absences.



Winter Weather –As we head into the cold and winter months, we highly recommend that learners dress for the weather and keep an extra set of clothes at the school. Since we learn in North Vancouver, we go out on most days, so it is important to ensure we are ready for rain and/or snow.

Please take a few moments to read our [winter weather procedures](#). Weather-related updates will be posted to the school district website. Families: [sign up to receive text message alerts](#) regarding severe weather, power outages and other emergencies. Please check for communications prior to heading to school if it has snowed.



Intermediate Winter Concert- The Intermediate Winter Concert will be on Wednesday, December 13th, 2023. Intermediate students and their families (maximum 2 per family due to gym capacity limits) will arrive at around 6:00pm. The performance will start at 6:15pm in the gym at Capilano Elementary. Non-perishable donation collection at entry, if your family would like to participate.

Lost and Found – Missing something? Please visit the **Lost and Found** area in the atrium before winter break!





WEEKLY REMINDERS – DEC 7, 2023

1. **The Card Project:** Final Deliveries this Week!
2. **Zen Maker Lab “Make and Skate” Event:** Join Zen Maker Lab at their Shipyards location in North Vancouver for a delightful "Make and Skate" event tomorrow, Thursday, December 7, starting at 7:30 pm. Embrace the festive spirit with creative activities and hot chocolate, followed by an exclusive skating session from 8:30 pm-9:30 pm. This complimentary event welcomes the Capilano community, but don't forget to bring your skates and helmets. Rentals are conveniently available onsite for \$5 for children and \$7 for adults. Secure your spot by RSVPing at www.zenmakerlab.com/make-and-skate.
3. **Capilano Holiday Breakfast:** Mark your calendars for a Holiday Breakfast on Friday, December 22. Tickets available starting Friday, December 8 via [MunchaLunch](#).
4. **MunchaLunch Ordering Deadline:** Friday, December 8, at noon for the following Friday or the entire term. Order [here](#).
5. **Grade 7 Poinsettia Fundraiser:** Pick up your beautiful blooms on Friday, December 8 between 2:30-4:30 pm at 1135 W 24th St, Pemberton.
6. **Gingerbread House Fundraiser:** Purchase your \$35 DIY kit from Baking U Happy via [MunchaLunch](#) before Saturday, December 16. Pickup on Thursday, December 21, 2-4 pm at 1278 Keith Rd W.
7. **Grade 7 Graduation Fundraiser:** Bag up your recyclables, follow Return-It rules, and drop them at Donaghy or Brooksbank depots with the phone number (6049033370) for the Express bin.

After School Programs

Term 1: Yoga finishes Friday, December 8. All other Programs are finished.

Term 2: Registration: Opens Mon, Dec 11 via [Capilano PAC Website](#).

Explore an exciting lineup of Programs for Term 2:

- Zen Maker Labs: Grades 2-3 and 4-7 – Mondays
- Lights Up Musical Theatre: Grades K-7 – Tuesdays
- Paper Crow Creative: Grades K-7 – Thursdays
- NEW! Private Coaching Co Multi-Sport: Grades K-3 - Fridays, 3-4 pm.

Important Dates:

- **Dec 4-8 - The Card Project final deliveries.**
- **Dec 7 - Zen Maker Lab “Make and Skate” Event.**
- **Dec 8:**
 - **Holiday Breakfast ticket sales open.**
 - **MunchaLunch ordering deadline.**
 - **Grade 7 Poinsettia Fundraiser pick up.**
 - **Yoga After School Program finishes.**
- **Dec 11 - Term 2 After School Program Registration opens.**
- **Dec 16 - Gingerbread House Fundraiser deadline.**
- **Dec 21 - Gingerbread House pickup, 2-4 pm.**
- **Dec 22 - Capilano Holiday Breakfast.**

For any further information or inquiries, reach out to our dedicated team or visit [Capilano PAC's website](#), or follow us on [Facebook](#).

CAPILANO SCHOOL IMPORTANT DATES

DECEMBER

Dec 13 Intermediate Winter Concert 6:15pm in the gym at Capilano
Dec 22 Last Day of school before winter break

WINTER BREAK December 25, 2023 – January 5, 2024 – school is closed

JANUARY

Monday, Jan 8, 2024 School Re-Opens after Winter Break