



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,

Grade 6 students are off to Outdoor School today. Thank you for your patience and understanding with drop-off this morning.

Ross Road Musical *Pirates! The Musical!*

We are looking for parent and caregiver support for the following costumes and props. They would be needed from February 26th to March 7th. If you can help, please email Ms. Morgan at smorgan@sd44.ca.

If you can help out on the days of our performances with costumes and some makeup, can you also let Ms. Morgan know. There are two shifts 10-11 am. For the 11 am show and 12:15 -1:30 for the 1:30 show on each of the show dates March 5, 6, and 7th.

1. Leather Jacket – for a youth – classic 50's style, black (Elvis style)
2. Barrels- Large hollow barrels for the pirate ship
3. Oars
4. Sail- sailing dingy size
5. Round life saver
6. Juke box- prop
7. Large Pirate Flag

PAC INFORMATION

Reminder: Munch a Lunch

Please remember to reorder just the food for **Mar 8, April 26 and June 14** because Foodie Kids have been replaced by Pizza, Subway and Well Fed. Refer to the [PAC FAQ](#) for steps to reorder for these 3 dates.

Reminder: PAC Communication Survey

Please provide us with feedback regarding communication (2 questions).
<https://forms.gle/Tu1oyxHBzQnBwYjt6>

Please note that the next PAC meeting takes place on February 21.

Please check out the PAC website for important information and updates.
[Ross Road PAC | École Ross Road School – Parent Advisory Committee](#)

DISTRICT INFORMATION

Reminder: New registration and transfer requests

Initial registration for students new to the school district, and initial transfer requests for existing NVSD students in Grades 1-12 have begun and will continue until Friday, March 8. Registrations and transfer requests received after March 8 will be placed in schools based on catchments where space is available. Visit the [Student Registration](#) web page for detailed information.

If Ross Road French Immersion Grade 7 students wish to attend Argyle in English, families must complete a transfer request by the deadline.

Reminder: Elementary Band and Strings – Registration opens January 15

Elementary Band and Strings is open to students in Grades 5 – 7 for Band and Grades 4 – 7 for Strings. Our unique instrumental music program complements the Arts Education curriculum and provides school-based instrumental instruction in a supportive and fun learning environment. Registration for the 2024/25 school year begins on Monday, January 15 and continues until Thursday, February 29. Visit the [Elementary Band and Strings](#) web page for information, including program fees.

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:

January 29-February 1 – Grade 6 Outdoor School

February 15 – PAC Movie Night

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

February 19 – Family Day, school not in session

Feb 21 – PAC meeting 7pm library

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

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

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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