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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,

This is the final week of school before spring break holidays. Report cards will be published on Thursday. We look forward to meeting you at learning conferences this week.

Last week, students performed in the school musical. We hope you were able to attend and enjoyed the show. We want to express our thanks for Ms. Morgan for all her hard work, as well as the cast and the adult volunteers. THANK YOU! The students did an amazing job.

Fun Run - Tuesdays and Thursdays in April

Come on out and run, hear your favourite songs, and be cheered on by the dance squad (open to all, no auditions necessary!), starting Thursday, April 4th to Tuesday, April 30th. Let's get fit and start the day off right! Rain or shine! Warm-up at 8:05, run to 8:30am. Participants can put their name and division in for weekly draw prizes. A small table will be set up just outside the foyer with draw ballots and permission forms. The permission forms will also be emailed home to families. Hard copies will be available at the office and at the small table on run days.

Reminder: Learning Conferences

Don't forget that Learning conferences start today and are scheduled for March 11, 12, 13 with early dismissal at 1:50pm. Teachers will communicate with you directly about their learning conferences and how to sign up for a time. **If they do not have a time that works for your schedule, please email**

them directly to arrange a time. They are happy to work directly with families to find a time that works.

Accessing Report Cards

Parents/Guardians new to Ross Road & Without a Parent Account:

You should have received an email during the past few months from MyEducation BC with instructions about how to log into the MyEducation BC Parent Portal. This email included your User ID and temporary password. Please check your email inbox for an email from accounts such as sysop@myeducation.gov.bc.ca or admin@myeducation.gov.bc.ca

Returning Parents/Guardians with Existing Accounts:

Passwords are required to be reset every three months as per the regulations set out by the Ministry of Education and FIPPA (Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act). Please see instructions to reset password below:

1. Log into MyEducation BC using this link
(<https://www.myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspen/logon.do>)
2. Login is your email address (the same one you provided to the school)
3. Type in the password you used to access Term 1 reports. If this is successful, a message box may pop up immediately asking you to reset your password. Create a new password with the following criteria:
 4. 8 minimum, 14 maximum characters
 5. 1 capital letter, 1 lowercase letter
 6. 1 number
 7. 1 special character: # or \$ or _
 8. Cannot contain the password, first name, middle name, last name, date of birth, personal id or sequential letters or numbers
 - a. If you have forgotten your password click on "I forgot my password" and you will be emailed a new temporary password. **DO NOT copy/paste the password**– you must manually enter it.
9. Ten unsuccessful attempts will disable your account. It may take approximately half a day for it to be re-enabled.
10. Home computers may have unique restrictions. If you experience difficulties, try another web browser such as Chrome, Internet Explorer, Firefox, Safari, Opera, MS Edge. One of these may be the reason you cannot login or are having trouble viewing items.

11. If you login and do not see a report card, it may be because you have logged in before the report card is published.

If you have any issues please contact Jessica Falandysz in the office (jfalandysz@sd44.ca).

PAC INFORMATION

REMINDER - Foodie Kids

If you have previously ordered food on the dates April 26 and June 14 provided by Foodie Kids, your food order for those 2 dates have been cancelled and a credit has been applied to your account. New vendors have been replaced and ordering for those dates are currently open. Please go to your Munch a Lunch account and place an order for JUST THE FOOD, your drinks were not removed, for April 26 and June 14. If you do not order before April 16 your child will not have lunch on April 26.

REMINDER - Purdy's Pickup March 13th

Purdy's orders will be ready for pick up at the front of the school this Wednesday, March 13th from 2pm to 3pm. Please contact denisedehestani@gmail.com with any questions.

Max Fruit Popsicle Fridays!

Bring your toonie, grab a popsicle, and support our grade 7s. Starting this Friday March 15th, the grade 7s will be selling popsicles after school near the gym.

Please look out for upcoming dates in future newsletters.

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

DISTRICT INFORMATION

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:

March 11-13 – Early Dismissal for learning conferences at 1:50pm

March 14 – Report Card published to the portal

March 15 – Last day of school before spring break

April – Autism Acceptance Month

April 2 – School re-opens after spring break

April 3 – Grade 4 Outdoor School Information session 3pm

April 4 – First Fun Run at 8:05am (April 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30)

April 25 – Class Photos

April 26 – Jump Rope for Heart Day

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#/=>

Best,

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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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