Skwo:wech Stream

May 2, 2025



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School closed for students

Victoria Day - Monday, May 19

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District Gr 5 Track Meet - Thursday, May 29

Mercer Track in the morning

Updates

Meal Train

 If you are interested in helping out with a meal train for a family who recently lost a parent, please email Joana at joana.henrey@gmail.com

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Community School Programs at Skwo:wech!

The Power of Drawing (Grades 1 - 5)

Young Rembrandts teaches drawing, the fundamental skill of all visual arts to children. Your child will develop drawing and art skills, expand their creativity, imagination and confidence.

ADST Room

Mondays, 3:00 - 4:15pm

Date: May 5 - Jun 16 (6 sessions)

No class on May 19

Registration Fee: \$100.50

To register,

https://www.youngrembrandts.com/metrovancouver

Sports of all Sorts (Grades 1 - 2)

Sing, dance, and act, and expand your fundamental musical theatre skills. Includes basic singing, dancing, acting, and games. Increase your artistic skills, and end in a collaborative mini performance.

Tuesdays, 3: Cancelled

Date: Apr 22 - May 27 (6 sessions)

Registration Fee: \$67.50

To register, please visit: Skwo:wech Sports of All Sorts

(Grades 1 - 2)

Have questions?

Contact Community Schools

Phone: 604-517-6291 E-mail: communityschools@sd40.bc.ca

Professor Puffin (Grades 1-4)

Professor Puffin's Challenge Club is an afterschool enrichment program that offers a fun, educational and engaging experience for children. The program uses a variety of activities to review subjects covered in the BC school curriculum (Science, art, nature, English, etc.) while mixing in entertaining topics to spark children's interest.

Library

Thursdays, 3:00 - 4:15pm

Dates: May 8 - Jun 12

Registration Fee: \$100.50

To register, please visit: https://professorpuffin.ca/

New Westminster Soccer Club (Grades 3 - 5)

NWSC's weekly training sessions follow a progressive curriculum with the primary focus being on having fun through a games-based approach.

Gym

Mondays, 3:00 - 4:00pm

Date: May 5 - Jun 16

No class May 19

Registration Fee: \$40

To register, please visit: https://newwestsc.ca/

Registration Code: SWSPR25 - must use code to register

For questions, contact Nel Grond at clubregistrar.nwsc@gmail.com

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PAC Fun Lunch Greek food from Opa! - Friday, May 23

- o Order by end of May 14th www.munchalunch.com/schools/skwowech
- Volunteers needed please email if interested <u>skwowechvolunteer@gmail.com</u>

District Gr 5 Track Meet - Thursday, May 29

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Family Reading and Parent Appreciation - Friday, May 30

- o 8:50am 9:30am
- Refreshments and goodies for Parent Appreciation

Updates

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Very much appreciated!

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FUN LUNCH MAY 23

CHICKEN OR
FALAFEL SKEWER
PITA & TZATZIKI
RICE
JUICE
TREATS





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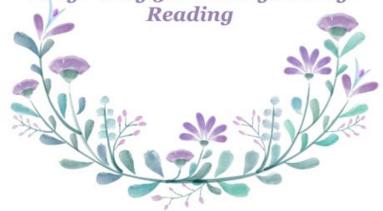
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- o Coffee and goodies for parents/guardians and a special song from our students
- We have an abundance of lost and found items which will be on display close to the library. Please come check it out.

Grade 5 Leaving Celebration – Thursday, June 19

- o 1:15pm in the gym
- More information to follow regarding further details and ticketing

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UNITED RUGBY CLUB





EVENT

JUNE 8TH, 2025 10:00AM - 11:00AM MAPLE CREEK MIDDLE SCHOOL PORT COQUITLAM



Ages 5 to 11 can come out and try rugby with United Rugby Club coaches and players. Snacks and refreshments will be provided for all participants at the end of the session. Bring your friends and join in the fun!

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Family Reading and Parent Appreciation Thank you Skwo:wech families!





















































Grade 5 District Track Meet















































LORD TWEEDSMUIR SPRING CARNIVAL

Friday, June 6th 5pm-8pm



FREE Entry into Carnival Grounds!

Wristbands for Games, Activities + Bouncy Fun
Early Bird \$15 each
At the door \$20 each

Bouncy Castles Food Trucks Face Painting Games DJ Community Market Entertainment Crafts Prizes Cotton Candy Photobooth & more!

Buy Your Wristbands Here!



Pre-Purchased Online Wristbands can be picked up at Tweeds Outdoor Will Call Table on May 29th. May 30th, or June 6th 2:30pm-3:30pm or at Will Call at Carnival.

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