

# Skwo:wech Stream



**April 10, 2026**

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## ***Important Dates:***

### **Early Dismissal: Student Learning Conferences - Wed. Apr. 22 & Thurs. Apr. 23**

- Students dismissed at 12:05 pm
- If your child has ordered a FuelUp! Lunch, they will take it with them at 12:05 pm

### **Family Reading – Friday, Apr 24**

- 8:50 – 9:20am

### **PAC Fun Lunch – Yummy Slice Pizza – Friday, Apr 24**

- Deadline to order is *April 15* - [www.munchalunch.com](http://www.munchalunch.com)

### **PAC Meeting – Thursday, Apr 30**

- This month's PAC meeting has been moved to Thursday, April 30. It will be at 7pm in the library.
- Babysitting is available for kindergarten-aged children and above. Please email [skwowecheapac@gmail.com](mailto:skwowecheapac@gmail.com) as spots are limited.

## **Updates:**

### **PAC Fundraiser - Neufelds**

- Neufeld Fundraiser is now LIVE! <https://tinyurl.com/skwowechneufeldapril26>
- Orders are due by April 29<sup>th</sup> and pick up is Saturday May 9<sup>th</sup> at 10am in the front of school parking lot

### **Please donate to Terry Fox**

- We had our Terry Fox Run today and we would love if you could donate to the Terry Fox Foundation online - click link below and in the search bar enter Skwo:wech Elementary: <https://tffschools.crowdchange.net/>
- Thank you to everyone who has donated!

### **Student Extended Leave of Absence (Exceeding one week)**

- Families planning to be away during the school year for an extended period **exceeding one week**, between October 1 and June 30, must complete and submit an [Extended Leave of Absence Form AP330-B](#) to the school office ([skwowech@sd40.bc.ca](mailto:skwowech@sd40.bc.ca)) prior to the start of the absences.

### **PAC Yummy Slice Fun Lunch orders open (Deadline April 15)**

- Ordering is now open for our April fun lunch on Friday, April 24 for pasta and pizza at [www.munchalunch.com](http://www.munchalunch.com).
- Order by Wednesday, April 15
- Volunteers are needed to sort and distribute from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm. If you're available, sign up on Munchalunch or email [skwowechvolunteer@gmail.com](mailto:skwowechvolunteer@gmail.com)

# Big Kid Caregivers Discussion Group

Raising kids ages 6–12 comes with new questions!



Join us for a thoughtful evening of conversation about screens, confidence, resilience, and connection in today's world.



Thursday, April 16, 6:30-7:30 PM  
New West Family Place (112-960 Quayside Dr)  
Register: <https://bit.ly/4s1Y3Di>

Our first discussion will explore ideas from *The Amazing Generation* and practical ways to support children in a world shaped by smartphones, social media, and growing pressures on childhood.

#### What to expect

- Warm, guided discussion
- Conversation about screens, independence, and resilience
- Space to reflect with other parents and caregivers
- Snacks and refreshments

*No need to read the book in advance, but registration is required.*

For more information, see [newwestfamilies.ca](http://newwestfamilies.ca) or reach out by email [info@newwestfamilies.ca](mailto:info@newwestfamilies.ca)



Skwo:wech PAC  
Presents:



**Neufeld**  
FARM MARKET



**NEUFELDS**



Orders Due April 29th



Pick up Skwo:wech Parking Lot

Sat, May 9<sup>th</sup> @ 10am

NEW WEST DPAC PRESENTS



# 7 TIPS TO BECOMING A PRO ALLY



Understanding SOGI and supporting 2S/LGBTQ+ youth and community members with confidence:

- Improve your understanding, compassion and awareness of 2S/LGBTQ+ identities
- Understand what SOGI looks like in schools
- Learn what to say and do to be a more confident ally

For all SD40 parents & caregivers

Thursday April 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 - 8:15 pm

In person at Ecole Herbert Spencer or on Google Meet ([nwdpac.ca](http://nwdpac.ca) for the link)





ALL PROCEEDS  
GO TO THE  
SKWO:WECH  
PARENT ADVISORY  
COUNCIL

# FUN LUNCH

## FRIDAY | APRIL 24

ORDER BY APRIL 15

SMALL PASTA \$ 5.50

LARGE PASTA \$ 8.50

GLUTEN FREE OPTIONS AVAILABLE.

PIZZA (ONE SLICE) \$ 3.50

GLUTEN FREE OPTIONS AVAILABLE.

JUICE BOX \$ 1.00

PLAIN CHIPS \$ 1.50

RICE KRISPIES \$ 1.00

FRUIT SNACK \$ 0.50



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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 4 – Jun 15 \*No class May 18\*

**Registration Fee:** \$103.50

**To register, please visit:** <https://www.youngrembrandts.com/metrovancouver/>

### **Sports of all Sorts (Grades 1 – 3)**

Grab your friends for an afternoon of fun playing sports...of all sorts! Sports being played include soccer, basketball, fun relays and more. Each week you will learn new skills and play games.

#### **Gym**

**Tuesdays, 3:00 - 4:15pm**

**Date:** Apr 21 - May 26

**Registration Fee:** \$58.80

**To register, please visit:** [Skwo:wech Sports of all sorts](#)

### **Professor Puffin's Challenge Club (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**

**Wednesdays**, 3:00 - 4:15pm

**Dates:** May 6 - Jun 10

**Registration Fee:** \$103.50

**To register, please visit:** <https://professorpuffin.ca/>

### **ROOTS Soccer (Grades 3 - 5)**

Roots Soccer School provides fun, inclusive, and developmentally appropriate soccer sessions focused on fundamental movement skills, technical ball mastery, and confidence-building in a positive learning environment.

#### **Gym**

**Thursdays**, 3:00 - 4:00pm

**Date:** May 14 - Jun 18

**Registration Fee:** \$60

**To register, please visit:** <https://rootssoccerschool.ca/>

For questions, please contact: [niko@rootssoccerschool.ca](mailto:niko@rootssoccerschool.ca)

**Have questions?**

**Contact Community Schools**

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