



MOODY ELEMENTARY



FEBRUARY

- 3rd PAC Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- 5th and 6th Early Dismissal 1:40pm for parent/student/teacher meetings
- 5th PAC McDonalds Munch a Lunch
- 14th School Not in Session (school Closed)
- 17th B.C. Family Day (school closed)
- 19th PAC: Macaroni & Cheese Munch a Lunch
- 20th and 21st Passions Sessions
- 26th Pink Shirt Day
- 26th PAC White Spot Munch a Lunch
- 28th District Pro-D (school not in session)

March

- 2nd PAC Meeting 6:30 pm
- 4th PAC Panago Munch a Lunch
- 10th Term 2 Reports go home
- 11th PAC: A&W Munch-A-Lunch
- 13th Last Day of School before Spring Break
- 16th to 27th Spring Break

Principal's Message



Moody Elementary students and staff are hard at work as we are well into our second term which is a very important one for our students. It is during this time that students begin to consolidate the skills and concepts introduced to them in the first term. Building on this foundation, teachers have been introducing new concepts which incorporate the established learning. Students are expected to begin to make connections and apply knowledge into those new areas of learning and skill development. For students, this is hard work and can be challenging, frustrating, and exciting, all at the same time. More than ever they will continue to need your support at home in making sure that homework tasks and projects are completed during these next weeks of the second term. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Once again, this year Moody students participated in six days of tennis lessons with Marcus. This has been a big hit every year at Moody and we would like to once again thank our PAC for paying for half of the cost for each student, making the program cost significantly reduced for our families. We would also like to thank Marcus for his work and dedication to our students

Kindergarten registration starts Monday Feb. 3rd. Determining accurate enrolment for the 2020- 2021 school year is essential because enrolment impacts the school budget and our staffing process. Parents, please help us by advising the school office if you have Kindergarten aged children coming to Moody in September. We would also appreciate our parent community advising new neighbours within the Moody catchment area to register at our school as soon as possible. Your help means that we will have accurate information as we work through the projections for next year. Thank you.

**NO
DOUBLE
PARKING**

Please observe ROAD and PEDESTRIAN SAFETY when dropping off and picking up students. We continue to have a few drivers double parking and blocking traffic, contributing to safety concerns for all of our students and families. We are working with by-laws and local police to assist with stopping this dangerous practice.

Thank you for your cooperation in keeping our students safe!!



The cold and flu season is upon us and many of our students have already had a bout of one or both viruses. We continue talking to students about what they can do to stay healthy:

- Eat properly
- Get plenty of rest at night
- Wear appropriate clothing for rainy days and cool mornings
- **Wash hands! With soap! Often!**



Health authorities tell us this is one of the most effective ways to ward off germs. After all, there are over 230 people in our school every day and that makes for a huge variety of germs to combat. Please reinforce this with your child. No one likes being sick, and if we can stay healthy, let's.

Please see updated information on the Novel Coronavirus on Moody Web Site

Please see Moody Web Page for information on **BC's new Vaccination Status Reporting Regulation** which came into effect on July 1st, 2019

Kindergarten and Cross Catchment Registration



Our Kindergarten Registration opens on February 3 to 5. Children who are five years old on or before December 31, 2020 may enter school in September 2020. You may defer your child's enrollment until September 2021. Please register at your catchment school. Use our [School Locator](#) tool to determine your catchment school.

Our Cross Catchment Registration opens on February 6 to 12. Application forms can be accessed online on at www.sd43.bc.ca. Please note applications will be processed based on the the availability of space in schools and on a **RANDOM DRAW PROCESS**.

Invitation to Participate in the 2020-2021 Budget Process

The Board of Education appreciates and recognizes your many and valuable contributions to our school communities. With that in mind, we wish to invite you to participate and share your input at our first budget meeting on **Tuesday, February 11, 2020**, in advance of staff preparing the budget. Your input can help shape the budget proposal for the Board of Education to consider in April 2020.

If you or your group would like to provide feedback on the proposed budget, please refer to the [2020-2021 Guidelines for Stakeholder Input](#) and submit the information through [this online process](#) before 9 a.m. on Monday, February 3, 2020. If you have any questions or need assistance please contact the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer at 604-939-9201 or email jtoderas@sd43.bc.ca.

In addition, we welcome your attendance at any of the three stakeholder information and feedback events in April below:

Regular Public Meeting - Presentation of 2020-2021 Preliminary Budget | Tuesday, April 7, 2020, 7 p.m.

Special Public Meeting - Stakeholder Feedback | Tuesday, April 14, 2020, 6:30 p.m.

Regular Public Board Meeting - Final Budget Presentation and Board Approval | Tuesday, April 21, 2020, 7 p.m.

All events will be held at Winslow Centre Gymnasium, 1100 Winslow Avenue, Coquitlam, BC. Learn more: Visit the SD43 Budget website at www.sd43.bc.ca/budget



**Welcome to Summer
2020**

**Please visit our website for details:
www.summerlearningcoquitlam.ca
Phone: 604-936-4261**



Looking for worthwhile summer experiences for your child?

Engaging academic and enrichment opportunities await your child this summer! All courses are taught by fully qualified teachers in a safe and friendly school environment.

Parents' comments from Summer 2019:
"My kids loved their summer learning experience. We will most certainly register again!"
"My daughter loved her class"
"My child's teacher was excellent. He made the learning experience fun"

Registration begins in late April.

Were you a student in Summer 2019? Watch for emails in March for registration instructions.

Will you be a new student to Summer Learning this year? Check our website for instructions in March.

Elementary Summer Classes July 7-24 9am-12pm

K to 1 transition, Fine arts, French Immersion, Intergrated studies, Montessori, Math, Reading & Writing, Coding (Info tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, and more!



Middle Summer Classes July 7-24 8:45am - 11:45am

Art, Band, Guitar, Creative Writing, Drama/Improv, Guitar, Home Ec/Culinary, Integrated studies, Language Arts, Mathematics, PE/Leadership, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science Grade 6/7, STEAM, Tech Ed, and more!



12 Elementary and Middle School locations throughout the Tri-Cities!



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