Weekly Westwood Parent Email for Friday, March 15th, 2024

Dear Westwood Families,

I've attached the email below in PDF for easier reading on some Smart phones.

Thank you for reading this weekly email and keeping informed about your child's school.

THE WEEK AHEAD (after Spring Break!) AT WESTWOOD

Tuesday, April 2nd – First Day of School after Spring Break

Thursday, April 4th- Kindergarten Dental Screening

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

AFTER SCHOOL OPPORTUNTIES

(Note: Monday programs just opened up now – sign up asap as it is first come first served)

Mondays April 22 - May 13 (4 sessions only) 2:50 - 4:00

TEAM TALONS - FREE Form and Info Sign-Up Link: <u>https://forms.office.com/r/VqiUeq9CdQ</u>

Westwood: Afterschool Programs (Spring 2024) by DWUL

Go to <u>www.DWUL.io</u> and search "SD43 Westwood" or click the links below.

<u>Westwood (Mon) Young Performers</u> <u>Westwood (Wednesdays): MPower Your Inner Warrior (Jujitsu/Self-Defense & SEL) Spring</u> 2024

Programs are brought to you by different community organizations. DWUL (Do What U Luv) provides registration support. **Note:** If the links are not opening due to browser/firewall issues, go to <u>www.DWUL.io</u> first. Then, search "SD43 Westwood" for direct access.

Note: Wednesday Science Zone with City of Port Coquitlam is now sold out.

PAC UPDATE

Munch A Lunch - Spring 2024 Hot Lunch Session

The next session for Hot Lunches will be open for ordering on <u>Monday, March 18, 2024.</u> For those who don't have a Munch a Lunch account yet, go to <u>https://munchalunch.com/schools/westwood</u> and sign up!

Next PAC Meeting - Tuesday, April 9, 2024 @ 7pm

Agenda will follow after Spring Break

LOST AND FOUND

PLEASE LOOK AT THE PHOTOS CAREFULLY and pick up any items that belong to your children OR ask them to come by the office and claim soon.

REPEAT INFORMATION FROM PAST EMAILS

STAFFING UPDATES

Mme. Analee Griffin (Div 14, Grade 2/3 FRIM) is having a baby! We are excited for her and wish her well as she starts her Maternity/Parent Leave on April 2nd!

We are welcoming **Mme. Kiarra Murray** to Westwood who will be teaching Div 14 until the end of June. Mme. Murray has been a TTOC at Westwood and we are happy to welcome her back.

Ms. Rachel Cho (Div 4, Grade 2/3) last day at Westwood is March 15th. We are so grateful that Ms. Cho accepted a temporary contract and has worked here since September.

We are welcoming back **Ms. Caitlin Skalnik** who has been on Maternity Leave and we are excited to have her back at Westwood!

COMING UP SOON AT WESTWOOD

Wishing all Westwood Families a safe and restful Spring Break!

Our school will be closed for the full two weeks and will re-open on Tuesday, April 2^{nd} . We look forward to seeing your children and answering any emails, etc. then \bigcirc

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We acknowledge we are on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the $k^{wik^{w}} \partial_{x} \partial_{y}$ (Kwikwetlem First Nation). We thank the $k^{wik^{w}} \partial_{x} \partial_{y}$ m who continue to live on these lands and care for them, along with the waters, and all that is above and below.