



What's New at Cedar Drive

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Next Week at a Glance February 3 - 7

Date	Activities and Events
Monday, Feb 3 rd	NO Grade 5 Basketball Practice today
Tuesday, Feb 4 th	Strong Start Closed Kindergarten Registration Basketball 2:55- 4
Wednesday, Feb 5 th	Div. 3 & 4 Field Trip to Fort Langley 11:30-3:30 Kindergarten Registration Choir 2:45-4:15
Thursday, Feb 6 th	Kindergarten Registration Crafting 2:45-4:15 Grade 5 Basketball Practice 2:50-4pm
Friday, Feb 7 th	Feeding Futures 8:40am Cross Catchment Process Domino's Pizza Lunch - if you ordered Book Fair 2:30-7:30 in the gym

New Information



CEDAR DRIVE ELEMENTARY FUNDRAISER – buy tickets [here](#)

The Vancouver Canucks are excited to offer an exclusive ticketing offer for the students, family and friends of Cedar Drive Elementary School. Cheer on your Vancouver Canucks while taking advantage of this special rate. **For every ticket purchased, \$5 will go towards new sports equipment at Cedar Drive!** Bring out your family to Canucks Games this season and take

advantage of this discounted rate to support the fundraising of sports equipment. Once you purchase your Canucks tickets, don't forget to share your link to show your support!

Here is the link to get tickets: <https://fevo-enterprise.com/group/Cedardrive>

Please remember to put a fork/spoon in your child's lunch kit.
We do not have any at the office, your child will be eating
with their fingers.



JANUARY EDITION

Welcome to the Cedar Reader!

Cedar Reader 2nd Edition

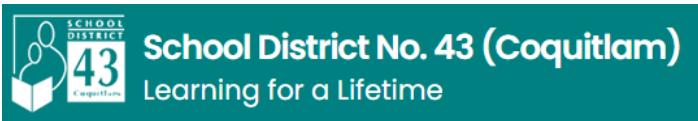
Intermediate students have worked hard on the second edition of the Cedar Reader! Read it [here](#)



Spring break Programs at James Park Elementary – Registration Information [Here](#)



Wednesday, January 29 was the Lunar New Year. This year was the year of the snake. Mrs. Phillips class celebrated this event with a Dragon parade through the school. Many classes had discussions about Chinese New Year, and it was great to hear how some of our staff and students celebrated this occasion.



Community Bulletin Board

If you are looking for fun activities for your child to do outside of school hours, please check out our SD43 Community Bulletin Board. Click [here](#) to find out more about baseball, soccer, singing, chess etc. The board is always being updated, so check back regularly for more fun and exciting events.

Winter Weather Ahead!

With possible snow in the forecast, we thought we would share the Districts Inclement Weather Plan.

Schools are not routinely closed due to snow or other inclement weather conditions. All schools in School District 43 (Coquitlam) will remain OPEN, if possible, during winter weather, including snowfall.

However, on occasion, a district-wide or partial-district closure is required due to extreme weather. Partial-district closures affecting individual schools may occur due to the very different geography within our school district. If there is a partial-district closure affected schools will be identified.

The decision on schools remaining open or needing to be closed, because of extreme weather, occurs **before 6:30 a.m.** so that families can plan and make alternate arrangements.

Any district-wide or partial-district closure will be decided and communicated by 6:30 a.m. via the School District 43 website www.sd43.bc.ca and CKNW AM 980 radio, CKWX 1130 radio and CBC (690) radio.

Extreme weather can also impact transit. Transit schedules may face significant changes or cancellations due to the weather conditions. Parents seeking information on transit schedules need to consult the Translink website: <http://www.translink.ca/>

We encourage families to continuously check the School District 43 website for updates and changes: www.sd43.bc.ca



Messages from the PAC and Grade 5 Committee



BOOK FAIR

Come shop at our Book Fair Next Friday Feb 7th 2:30pm to 7:30pm in the gym. Pro tip- we will have a separate line for cash (if you don't want to wait in line for the debit/credit machine)

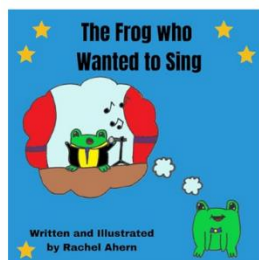
We are still looking for a few more volunteers, please sign up here-

volunteersignup.org/L7HW9

BOOK TRAILERS

Preview new titles that will be available at our fair!

<https://www2.scholastic.ca/bookfairs/book-trailers/>



Special Guest Author

Rachel Ahern (Grade 12 student) will be featured at our Book Fair next Friday between 2:30-5:30. The Frog Who wanted to Sing will be available for purchase at a separate table.



Excel Martial Arts Port Coquitlam is hosting a Fundraiser for Cedar Drive Elementary PAC on **Feb 1st** from **6pm-9pm**. Tickets are \$25 per child (ages 5 and up).

The address is 1740 Broadway St, Unit 1 in Port Coquitlam.
<https://martialartsportcoquitlam.com/movie-night-registration/>



Subway Hot Lunch (Friday, February 21) – order [here](#)

The Grade 5 Fundraising Committee is pleased to offer the opportunity to order Subway for hot lunch on Friday, February 21, 2025. This lunch is optional and if you choose not to participate, please ensure you send lunch with your child(ren).

All orders must be placed by Thursday, February 13, 2025.

If you would like your child to participate in this hot lunch but the cost of the food poses a financial hardship for your family, please email rdhaliwal@sd43bc.ca



West Coast Seeds Order [Here](#)



Solar Power



Edible Flowers



Mignonette Alpine

Have a wonderful weekend!



Dayna MacDonald



COQUITLAM Summer LEARNING 2025



ELEMENTARY

July 8 – July 25, 9:00am - 12:00pm

8 LOCATIONS

Courses: K to 1 transition, English for Beginners, Visual & Performing Arts, French Immersion, Integrated Studies, Math, Reading & Writing, Coding (Info tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, and more!

Free to all BC residents, SD43 Residency requirements apply.

**04
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6:00am

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MIDDLE

July 8 – July 25, 8:45am - 11:45am

3 LOCATIONS

Courses: Band, Guitar, Creative Writing, Drama/Improv, English for Beginners, Guitar, Home Ec/Culinary, Integrated Studies, English and French Immersion Language Arts, Mathematics, PE/Leadership, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, Tech Ed, Visual & Performing Arts, and more!

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SECONDARY SKILL BUILDING

July 8 – July 25, 8:30am - 11:30am OR 12:00 - 3:00pm

2 LOCATIONS

Courses: English, English for Beginners, IB Math & Science, Jazz & Concert Band, Science, Home Ec, Sewing, 2D Animation, Metal and Wood Tech Ed, Math, Coding (Info Tech), Skills for Success. These non-credit courses may be taken to review previously covered course content OR preview a course. Academic Completion 9/10 for Science and Math is only available by school referral.

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SECONDARY FULL CREDIT

July 2 – August 7 (6 weeks)

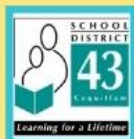
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Face-to-Face or Online Blended Fast Track

Courses: Life Science 11, Anatomy & Physiology 12; Career Life Education 10; Chemistry 11,12; EAL 10,11; English 10,11,12; English First Peoples 11,12; Mathematics 10,11,12; Physics 11,12; PHE 10; Socials 10,11, Science 10.

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www.sd43SummerLearning.ca/Phone 604-936-4261