

#### What's New at Cedar Drive

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### Next Week at a Glance April 14<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>

Date	Activities and Events
Monday, Apr 14 <sup>th</sup>	Math Club 2:55 - 4 pm
Tuesday, Apr 15 <sup>th</sup>	Basketball 2:55 – 4 pm
Wednesday, Apr 16 <sup>th</sup>	PAC Easter Cookie pick up Clay & Crafting 2:55-4 pm
Thursday, Apr 17 <sup>th</sup>	Como Lake Relays Hat Day Theatrix after school
Friday, Apr 18 <sup>th</sup>	No School – Good Friday

While Mrs. MacDonald is away, please email <u>cedardrive@sd43.bc.ca</u> to notify us of any illnesses, vacations, lates, early dismissals, or for any other office inquiries.

### Reading Link

The Terry Fox Public Library visited Cedar Drive on April 1st for our annual Reading Link School Challenge. We congratulate all the Reading Link members for their enthusiasm for reading and a job well done! It was a close race, with only a few points difference between all the teams, but the winning team was The Chapter Champions. They went on to represent Cedar Drive at the Reading Link Library Challenge on April 9th. They competed against 11 other teams and did a great job!





### SD43 FAMILY & COMMUNITY LEARNING SERIES 2024-25

### Session 5: "Screenagers: Under the Influence" (70 minutes)

We are excited to share information about the fifth session of this school year's SD43 Family & Community Learning Series. The presentation, 'Screenagers: Under the Influence,' has been shared with SD43 families. More information may be found in the attached PDF or on the <u>Family & Community Learning Series webpage</u>

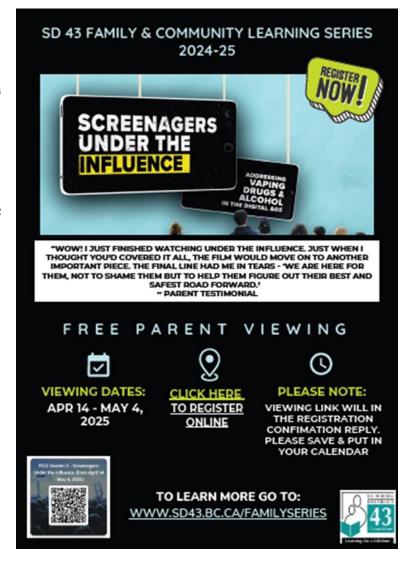
The viewing link for Screenagers: Under the Influence will be available from: April 14 - May 4, 2025

Open to all community members and parent/caregivers. This documentary is valuable for parents of children in Gr 5 to 12

<u>PRE-REGISTRATION</u> is required to receive the viewing link.

### About the documentary:

Screenagers Under The Influence: Addressing Vaping, Drugs, and Alcohol in the Digital Age, the third feature documentary in the Screenagers trilogy, delves into how the tech revolution has reshaped adolescence and its effects on substance use. The film debunks myths and depicts strategies parents and schools can use to encourage healthy decisionmaking, support teen mental health, set limits, and create healthy home environments. The film also includes many ways young people are using their wisdom and strength to help each other and themselves through this complicated terrain around substance use. While most documentaries about substance use focus on severe addiction, Screenagers Under The Influence fills a pressing need for a film that explores more common scenarios. The film is grounded in teens' current reality of being flooded by images on social media, movies, and TV shows about vaping, drugs, and alcohol.



Like the first two Screenagers films, Screenagers Under The Influence interweaves cutting-edge science with personal stories to create an informative and entertaining film experience for young people and adults alike. Screenagers Under The Influence focuses on practical solutions for keeping our teens safe in a changing world.

# FAST Facts

National Youth Services (NYS) & Centre for Youth Crime Prevention















\* TO REGISTER OR ACCESS MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CLICK ON THE BLUE AND UNDERLINED SECTIONS THROUGHOUT THIS DOCUMENT'

# National Youth Services What's Happening?

# RCMPTalks Sessions

Parents, caregivers and youth-facing professionals can now sign up for these informative and engaging virtual sessions!

## Upcoming **RCMPTalks** dates and topics:

- Online Safety for parents & caregivers (French) with MediaSmart: April 10, 2025 (7-8PM EDT) (rescheduled)
- Online Safety for parents & caregivers (English) with Safer Schools Together: April 24th, 2025 (7PM-8:30PM EDT)

Register by sending an email to rcmp.youthjeunesse.grc@rcmp.gc.ca, indicating the specific session and the preferred language (French or English).

# Newsletter Highlights

- NYS: RCMPTalks Sessions
- Speaker Opportunity
- National Youth Services' Resources
- Educational Resources
- That's What Youth Said
- Scholarship Opportunities
- In the News
- Youth Lingo
- Youth Trends
- Mental Health
- Special Dates
- Support Services





## Messages from the PAC and Grade 5 Committee



Cedar Drive PAC Easter Cookie Fundraiser \$6 per cookie

Please place your order at <a href="https://www.designercookies.ca">www.designercookies.ca</a>
by Sunday April 13<sup>th</sup>.

Make sure to indicate on your order form- Cedar Drive PAC fundraiser.

COOKIE PICK-UP WEDNESDAY APRIL 16th 2:30-3pm