



THE WEEK AHEAD

PUT THIS on YOUR CALENDAR!

Monday– Nov 18th– 22nd
English Book Fair

November 18-25th-
REALTORS Care Blanket Drive

Wednesday, November 20
– all welcome.
9:00am: Star Student Assembly
1:20pm: Lunch Box Theatre Performance

Thursday, November 21
Gr 5 Volleyball Jamboree

Friday, November 22
Last Day for Candy Donations

Monday, November 25
Purdy's Orders Due

Save the DATE

Wednesday, Dec 18th
Winter Concert AM & PM

Friday, May 22nd
Kilmer's District Track & Field Day

École Kilmer Elementary School

1575 Knappen Street
Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3C 2P8
phone: 604-941-3401 email: Kilmer@sd43.bc.ca

As I expressed on Wednesday, I am so proud of the way in which our students managed the unexpected fire alarm. Please take the weekend to ensure you have provided the office with all of the necessary forms for your student to ensure we are prepared in the event of an unexpected emergency.

~Ms Birnie

Student Information Forms

Hurray!!! 267 of our student verification forms have been submitted to the school. This is excellent news. Verification forms are critical part of the school's ability to respond to and communication events, with families!

83 of our students have not submitted a current Emergency Release Form to the office.

This means that those 83 students missing Emergency Release forms & 17 students missing Verification Forms do not have:

- current information on who to communication with in your family
- current information to confirm student safety in the case of absence
- current information to confirm medical and medication information
- current information on emergency contacts and the order in which to contact them

If your child is one of these students who have not submitted the information forms, we will be sending home another copy of the verification form for you to review and update, and a blank copy of the Emergency Release form.

PLEASE double check you have completed all of the necessary information and return any out standing forms or permissions as soon as possible.

We are missing 33 District School Policy Forms & 62 Fruit & Veggie Permissions

These are accessed through [School Cash Online](#) (KEV) and must be completed in order to participate in many day to day aspects of school such as field trips, text book use, technology in the class room, borrowing books from the library and participating in the fruit & veggie program.

Closure of Schools for Extreme Weather Conditions

In the case of extreme weather conditions such as ice, wind and/or excessive snowfall, the Superintendent of Schools has authority on behalf of the Board, to temporarily close a school. As a general expectation, parents should assume that schools are open. If parents believe the local conditions are unsafe, they should keep their child at home or arrange his/her early dismissal. If schools are to be closed before morning classes begin, an announcement will be made on local radio stations CKNW (980), CKWX (1130) and CBC (690) by 7:30 am if possible.



English Bookfair

The **Scholastic English Book Fair** begins on Monday and Mr Van Sickle is still in need of parent volunteers to help before school, at lunch and afterschool (except for Thursday, Nov. 21 after school the Book Fair will be closed). Please view the Book Fair [document](#) for more information or



Blanket Drive


November 18-25 Kilmer Elementary will be a collecting new or gently used Blankets, Sleeping Bags, Coats, Warm Clothing, New Socks & New Underwear for the Local real estate REALTORS Care Blanket Drive. A bin will be placed outside the office and donations will be collected daily. Please see the [poster](#) for more information

Wednesday Assemblies

Our next **Star Student Assembly** will be at **9am**. Thank you to our PAC volunteer who called all families of students who will be recognized. Those who were unable to be reached by phone will receive an email from the classroom teacher. The **Lunch Box Theatre Production** will be at **1:20pm**, please join us for the production if you can.

District News

- BC's New Vaccinations  Status Reporting Regulation [Requirements](#)
- SD43 Career Fair [more information](#)
Thursday November 28th
- Winter Weather is upon us-
Please see the [District Winter Weather Bulletin](#)
- The Approved School District 43 2020-2023 School Calendars are now updated on the SD43 [website](#).
- Kindergarten registration will be held throughout the district on **February 3-5, 2020**.
[more information](#)




Purdy's Holiday Campaign on now!

[Order online](#)
with group 50767

Orders due November 25th
Pickup December 6th @ 2:30pm

For more information please contact
leannekpac@gmail.com



KPAC


Next Meeting: Monday, December 2



if you have an account...
[Login Here](#)

if you need an account...
[Register Here](#)

KPAC Munch a Lunch
Next Hot Lunch Day: December 19th
For more information please contact:
kilmerhl@gmail.com



Wednesdays!
<http://thelunchlady.ca/>

Community News

Gr 4/5 SnowPass- www.snowpass.org

Parenting Wisely Workshop- [more information](#)

20th Annual Hyde Creek Salmon Festival



**Celebrate the return of the salmon
to their spawning grounds**

Sunday, November 17, 2019
11:00 am to 3:00 pm

*FREE BIKE & BUGGY PARKING ON SITE – FREE EVENTS
SEE SALMON & RAPTORS UP CLOSE – KIDS' ACTIVITIES
FUND RAISING BBQ & RAFFLE, DECORATE A SALMON COOKIE
EXHIBITS & TOURS – VISIT A WORKING HATCHERY*

CAR Parking at Hyde Creek Recreation Centre on Laurier Street –
follow colourful banners to the Education Centre & Hatchery -
a short trail walk along Hyde Creek OR take Transit to Bus Stop #58787

Hyde Creek Education Centre & Hatchery
3636 Coast Meridian Rd. Port Coquitlam
Note: One location only this year.

For more information visit www.hydecreek.org. Thank you to our Sponsors!!


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**FOOD FOR
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CityReach
CARE SOCIETY

Food for Families MOBILE is a food bank offered in the community of the Tri-Cities, and is the mobile extension of the Food for Families program situated in Vancouver. Focused on providing access to healthy and nutritious food, Food for Families MOBILE is available to low income households in the Tri-Cities area.

**BIRCHLAND
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**
1331 Fraser Ave, Port Coquitlam

SEP 12, OCT 10, NOV 14
FROM 2:30PM – 4PM

**BROADWAY CHURCH
PORT COQUITLAM CAMPUS**
1932 Cameron Ave, Port
Coquitlam

SEP 26, OCT 24, NOV 28
FROM 3PM - 5PM

If you are low income, live in the Tri-Cities (Coquitlam, Port Coquitlam, Port Moody) and are interested in accessing healthy food, please contact **Craig Savage**, at craigs@cityreach.org or 604-254-2489, for more information and to learn how to register (required).