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It was a busy week at Kilmer with many visitors! Thank you to all of those who helped with Soap Stone, classroom activities, Hot Lunch and those that joined us at Wednesday's Star Student Assembly.

There is no school on Monday, please enjoy your long weekend with your children!

We are working hard in the office to prepare for the upcoming Kindergarten Registration. If you have a child or know of child who lives in our neighbourhood and was born in 2015 registration begins February 3.

For those parents who entered their child into the Program of Choice Lottery, placements will be announced next week.

Looking forward to the Week Ahead,
Laurie

What is your child's vaccine status?

Find out here.
Find out your child's vaccination status here.

KHL
January 20– March 12
Please check the [schedule](#) as **some** games will be played **Wednesdays before school**.
Wednesday morning games begin at 8:10. Students may not arrive prior to 8am, and must wait in the undercover area near the gym until they are welcomed by the Recreation Leader. Students are not permitted to visit their classrooms or cubbies before 8:40am.

We have a large amount of Lost & Found items displayed on the Gym Stage.
Please make time to search for any misplaced belongings before school or afterschool between now and the Student Led Conferences.
Items not claimed by Friday, February 7th may be removed from the school.

Families of children born in 2015 that live in catchment will need to Register for 2020 Kindergarten at Kilmer from February 3rd - 5th
Please bring all of the necessary [documents](#) with you when you come to register your child.
For any inquires regarding registration please arrive before 3:15pm

District News

- Kindergarten registration will be held throughout the district on **February 3-5, 2020** [more information](#)
- BC's New Vaccinations Status Reporting Regulation [Requirements](#)
- The Approved School District 43 2020-2023 School Calendars are now updated on the SD43 [website](#).

NO SCHOOL DROP-OFF OR PICK-UP
Please remember that the parking lot is reserved for Kilmer Staff.

2019-20 Kilmer Assemblies

- February 12– Star Student Assembly
- February 26– Pink Shirt Day Assembly (div 10 performing)
- March 4– Star Student Assembly (div 11 performing)
- April 15– Star Student Assembly (div 7 & 8 performing)
- April 29– Star Student Assembly (div 4 & 5 performing)
- May 13– Star Student Assembly (div 1 & 12 performing)
- May 27– Start Student Assembly (div 6 & 13 performing)



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.

PUT THIS on YOUR CALENDAR!

- Monday, January 27
- Non- Instructional Day
- Friday, January 31
- Literacy Activity & Pajama Day
- Monday, February 3
- Kindergarten Registration Begins @ Kilmer
-Gr 2/New Student Hearing screening **rescheduled date**
- Thursday, February 6
- Early Dismissal 1:40pm
- Student Led Conferences
-Cross Catchment Procedure begins @ 9am online
- Wednesday, February 12
- Star Student Assembly @ 9am
- Friday, February 14
- School Not in Session
- Monday, February 17
- BC Family Day, no school
- Friday, February 21
- KPAC Hot Lunch– Pancakes
- Friday, February 28
- Non Instructional Day
- Monday, March 9
- Kindergarten Vision & Hearing Screening
- Wednesday, March 11
- Jump Rope for Heart

the Lunch Lady
Wednesdays!
<http://thelunchlady.ca/>

NO SCHOOL MONDAY!

CROSS CATCHMENT
FEBRUARY 6-12
[more information](#)

Munch a Lunch
lunch made easy!

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

KPAC Munch a Lunch
Next Hot Lunch Day: February 21st
For more information please contact: kilmerhl@gmail.com

Ready, Set, Learn

Ready, Set, Learn is an early learning initiative sponsored by the Ministry of Education, which welcomes 3-5 year olds and their families to the School District 43 community.

Children can participate in a variety of play-based learning activities, listen to stories and receive a gift for attending.

Parents will be able to learn and play with their child as well as meet with early childhood education experts and local community agencies.

Adding even more fun to the festivities, enjoy an upbeat performance by award-winning children's entertainer Ginalina.

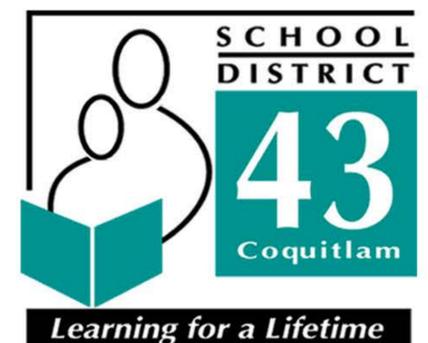
**No registration required.
Simply drop in for FREE!**



*For
children
ages 3-5*

Wed, Feb 19th (9:00 am - 11:00 am) | Central Elementary
Thu, Feb 20th (9:00 am - 11:00 am) | Smiling Creek Elementary
Thu, Feb 20th (12:30 pm - 2:30 pm) | Roy Stibbs Elementary
Wed, Feb 26th (9:00 am - 11:00 am) | Bramblewood Elementary
Wed, Feb 26th (12:30 pm - 2:30 pm) | James Park Elementary
Thu, Feb 27th (9:00 am - 11:00 am) | Seaview Elementary
Thu, Feb 27th (12:30 pm - 2:30 pm) | Nestor Elementary

For more information, visit www.sd43.bc.ca or call 604-937-6381



The Ready, Set, Learn initiative, sponsored by the B.C. Ministry of Education provides families with an opportunity to make positive connections with the school system and local community agencies.



Wednesday, January 21, 2020

STUDENT LED CONFERENCES

Dear Parents,

On Thursday, February 6th, Kilmer students will be participating in Student Led Conferences. These conferences are an excellent opportunity for students to showcase their learning, to share their accomplishments with their families, and to practice their communication and leadership skills. Student led conferences are one of two informal reports shared with parents regarding student progress during the school year. Teachers and students have been preparing for the conferences for several weeks.

As parents arrive at classrooms, children will lead them through a set agenda which allows the child to highlight his or her work over the last term. In most cases, a student led conference lasts for about 20 minutes with the child in the lead. Please note that this is not the time for a parent / teacher conference. If you have questions or concerns arising from your child's student led conference, please feel free to contact the teacher to arrange for another time to discuss any issues.

[There will be early dismissal to accommodate this event.](#)

[Students will be dismissed at 1:40 pm on Thursday, February 6th](#)

**Individual teachers may have set different times for their classes due to unique circumstances. In those cases, teachers will have sent home a separate notice.*

Laurie Birnie
Principal

2020 KHL Schedule

At times unavoidable circumstances may result in a change of time/date or cancelled of games. Students must listen to announcements.

Game #	Date	Time	Team	Score	VS	Score	Team	MSP/MIP
1 - AB	Jan 20	12:15pm	Waffles 3.0				Kilmer Snipe Show	
2 - SM	Jan 21	12:15pm	Elite Warriors				Marshmallow Kings	
3 – AB SM	Jan 22	8:10am	Fire Dragons				BC Cougars	
4 - SM	Jan 22	12:15pm	Fire Dragons				Elite Warriors	
5 - SM	Jan 23	12:15pm	BC Cougars				Waffles 3.0	
6 - SM	Jan 24	12:15pm	Elite Warriors				Kilmer Snipe Show	
7 - SM	Jan 28	12:15pm	BC Cougars				Kilmer Snipe Show	
8 – AB SM	Jan 29	8:10am	Elite Warriors				Waffles 3.0	
9 - CN	Jan 30	12:15pm	Fire Dragons				Marshmallow Kings	
10 - AB	Feb 5	8:10am	BC Cougars				Marshmallow Kings	
11 -SM	Feb 11	12:15pm	Fire Dragons				Waffles 3.0	
12 –AB SM	Feb 12	8:10am	Marshmallow Kings				Kilmer Snipe Show	
13 - SM	Feb 13	12:15pm	Elite Warriors				BC Cougars	
14 - SM	Feb 18	12:15pm	Fire Dragons				Kilmer Snipe Show	
15 - SM	Feb 20	12:15pm	Marshmallow Kings				Waffles 3.0	
Playoff Time								
16 - AB	Feb 24	12:15pm	3rd				6th	
17 - SM	Feb 25	12:15pm	4th				5th	
18 – AB SM	Feb 26	8:15am	2nd				New 3 rd Place Team	
19 - SM	Feb 27	12:15pm	1st				New 4 th Place Team	
Finals – Two Games								
20 - SM	Mar 3	12:15pm	New First Place Team				New Second Place Team	
21 - SM	Mar 5	12:15pm	New First Place Team				New Second Place Team	
*IF each team wins a game in the final, there will be a shootout following the final game, 3 shooters each and if tied after 3 shooters, sudden victory shooter begins								
22 - SM	Mar 12	12:15pm	Champions				Teachers Celebrities	