# Miller Park Community School

School District #43 (Coquitlam)

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### **Reminders for January:**

January 20	MDI – Grade 4's in Learning Commons 9 – 10:25
January 21	PAC meeting via Skype 7:30pm
January 23	Throwback Thursday – Spirit Day (dress as 80's, 90's,00's)
January 24 1:00pm	Indigenous Education Assembly Speaker: Lyle Gottfriedson
January 24 3:00pm	Hot Lunch orders must be placed by today!
January 29 10:45am	Lunar New Year – Year of the Snake
	Assembly – wear Red and Gold
	Everyone welcome!
January 31	Hot Lunch Day - Lunar New Year theme

### **Rocks and Rings**

We just finished a week of "Rocks and Rings". An instructor came to gym classes this week to give students an opportunity to learn about curling (without the ice!) I have received rave reviews from both teachers and students. Make sure to ask your son/daughter about it.

#### **PAC Meeting Info**

Next PAC meeting is Tuesday January 21, 2025 at 7:30pm via Skype. Below is the link to join the meeting. Everyone is welcome to join the meeting.

https://join.skype.com/3YGwaQmcm8f5

# **Breakfast Program**

Everyone is invited to come and have breakfast each morning. There is no registration required. Breakfast is served from 8:30 am – 8:55am each morning in the gym. Please join us!

### KidzClubhouse

Miller Park Kidz Clubhouse has a few before and after school or after-school only spots available! We are open 7-9am & after school bell to 6pm. We offer full time care on all Pro-D Days, Spring & Winter Break as well as a Summer Program. Our amazing team provides a fun and nurturing environment with lots of games, art and activities planned for the children! We also make sure your children get to Breakfast Club (grades 1-5 only) and any after school programs/activities that the school offers (drop off & pick-up). We want to make sure your children get to experience all that Miller Park Community School has to offer!

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If you are interested or have questions about what other types of child care programs we can offer please email <a href="mailto:millerparkkidzclub@gmail.com">millerparkkidzclub@gmail.com</a>

All the best,

Michele

The Miller Park Kidz Clubhouse Team

## **Kindergarten Registration**

Kindergarten registration will be Feb 4-6, 2025. It's important that families register their Kindergarten child (birth year 2020) during the registration time period as spots will fill quickly. If you have friends and neighbours with a child born in 2020, please pass along this information.

Please note that our catchment area changed as of last year. Use the school locator located on the main SD43 website to determine your catchment school. If you currently have a child in our school and that child will continue to be registered at Miller in September, then your incoming child will be accepted. Please contact Ann or myself if you have any questions.

### **Cross Catchment Process**

The cross catchment process begins on February 7 at 9:00 am and ends on February 12 at 4:00 pm. A student's catchment is decided by the parent and child's residence (permanent home address in which the family is living at the time they make application).

- Sibling status: children, who have a sibling at a school outside their catchment, will be accepted at the sibling's school (provided the sibling will be in attendance when the incoming student begins their schooling at the out of catchment school). Parents of children in Grades 1-12 need to fill out the sibling part of the online cross catchment application process (February 7 12) confirming sibling status.
- Families that live outside SD43 catchment boundaries and would like to register for the next year at a SD43 school need to go through the cross catchment process.

#### **Summer Learning**

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I have attached the information regarding Summer Learning. Miller Park will be hosting Summer Learning again this year. Registration is March 6, 2025 at 6:00am. Spots fill very, very quickly.

Have a great weekend!

Mrs. MacDonald

\*Don't forget the Numeracy problem of the week! Last week winners: Noah in Div.9 and Ryan in Div.2