



Seaview Community School

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Our mission is to provide safe academic, social and physical learning to all students with the support of the community

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OUR SCHOOL GOAL

To grow students' self-awareness and personal management reinforcing self-regulation skills and ensuring all students thrive at school.

Around Seaview

Hip Hop Week

The first week back after break will be "Hip Hop Week" at Seaview. We have hired a new Hip Hop instructor this year and will welcome "Sue" from One Vibe Entertainment to work with our students all week. We will culminate the week with a Hip Hop Dance Extravaganza on Monday, April 9th at 1:15 in the gym. Parents are invited, and encouraged to attend!

Como Lake Relays & Track and Field

Practices for our grade 4's and 5's participating in the Como Lake Relays have been going for the past few weeks as students prepare for the Como Lake Relays after school on Thursday, April 19th.

Follow Spring Break we will also be beginning our Track Attack program. This will allow all students in grade 3-5 participate in Track and Field Events. At the end of our Track Attack students who managed to make the district standards will be selected to participate in the District Track Meet on Thursday, May 24th at Coquitlam Town Center Stadium.

Report Cards

Term 2 report cards went home on Thursday, March 15th. If you have questions about your child's learning or how you can work together with the school to support their learning please contact your child's teacher.

Spring Community Programs

The Spring 2018 After School Programs brochure are now out! See the attachment for this session's program brochure and registration information. The programs are starting Thursday, April 15th and run until April 11th 2018. Registration is open. Visit the Community Programs page on the Seaview Community School website to register.

[CLICK HERE FOR DIRECT LINK](#)

If there are any questions please feel free to contact Dasha Belskaya at dbelskaya@sd43.bc.ca or 778-879-3193.

Seaview is now on Twitter "@Seaview_School"

If you "tweet", or just have an account to follow twitter, please take a few minutes to add Seaview to your twitter account. The feed from our twitter account can also be found on our main school webpage.

Student Entering School in Morning

Parents, please remind your children that they are to access their classrooms in the morning through their outside classroom doors (or the door designated by their teacher. Recently several students have begun walking through the front doors, library and up the hallway to their classrooms well before the first bell. As always students who arrive after the 9:00 bell are to come through the office. As always our library is open in morning for parents who want to come in with their children and read between 8:30 and 9:00 AM.

PAC News

PAC Communications Subcommittee

At the March PAC Meeting Sonya Burdett was appointed chair of the new Seaview PAC Communications Subcommittee. If you want to help with the newsletter and Facebook Page please e-mail Sonya at seaburdett@gmail.com

Seaview Community School Hot Lunch Program - Spring 2018

Online ordering is now open for our spring hot lunch menu at www.munchalunch.com/schools/seaviewportmoody .

You can pay for your orders by credit card, cash or cheque (post-dated accepted). Please place your orders by April 1, 2018 to receive the first snack on April 6. If you need assistance with ordering, or do not have access to the internet, please inquire at the school office.

Thank-you for supporting this important PAC fundraiser, and have a wonderful spring break!

Next PAC Meeting

The next PAC meeting will take place on Thursday, April 5th at 9:30 AM in the Community Room.

PAC Facebook Page

All parents are encouraged to sign up for the PAC Facebook Page called "Seaview Community Elementary PAC Page - Port Moody". In this group, Seaview PAC Executive and parents will share and provide feedback on upcoming and past PAC events, as well as a place to go for PAC information. When the PAC is looking for volunteers for events, those notices will posted here.

This is a newer page, and PAC is currently adding Seaview parents. If you would like to be a part of this group, please search for the name and request to join! We'd love to see you there!

We understand that not everyone is on Facebook; and PAC information will also come home in the form of a newsletter, plus information will still be in the School newsletter.

Fruit & Veggie program +Milk

Thanks to the BC Agriculture in the Classroom Foundation, we are continuing to receive free fruits and vegetables for our students to try in the classroom, as well as milk! This is a great opportunity for our kids to try different types of delicious and nutritious fruits and veggies. There is no need to sign up for this program, but please email seaviewpacportmoody@gmail.com if your child would like a substitute of soy milk due to a milk allergy.

Here are the upcoming dates for delivery on Tuesday mornings:

Apr 10th - assorted tomatoes

Apr 24th - mini cucumbers

May 8th - grape tomatoes

May 29th - mini peppers

Community News / Events

“Elementary Middle For Newsletter” – Coquitlam Summer School Advertisement

“Proposed Amended School Calendar for 2018-2019” & “Proposed Amended School Calendar for 2019-2020”

- Due to Gov’t Announcements there are proposed changes to the school calendar for the next two years. See below for more information.

School Calendar

Our school calendar is available online on our website and will be kept up to date throughout the year. This year's full calendar will be uploaded within the next week. Please visit our website <http://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/seaview> to view our full calendar. If you click on the word "Calendar" on the main page you will see a monthly view of our school calendar.

March / April 2018

March 19/26 Spring Break School Closed	20/27 Spring Break School Closed	21/28 Spring Break School Closed	22/29 Spring Break School Closed	23/30 Spring Break School Closed
April 2 Easter Monday School Closed	3 Hip Hop Week	4 Hip Hop Week Strong Start Reopens	5 Hip Hop Week	6 Hip Hop Week
9 Student Perform Hip Hop Routines @ 1:15 PM	10	11	12 PAC Meeting 9:30 Community Room	13
16	17	18	19 Como Lake Relays	20 District Pro-D School Closed
23 Track Attack begins this week	24	25	26	27 April Assembly 9:15 April Birthday Club 2:15

Proposed District Calendar Amendments

On February 2nd, 2018, the Ministry of Education announced the reduction of instructional hours to the 2018-19 school year to facilitate implementation of the revised curriculum. SD43 has proposed an amendment to the calendar to meet the Ministry of Education mandate. Friday, November 9th, 2018 has been proposed as the additional non-instructional day to meet the mandate.

On February 9th, 2018, the Office of the Premier announced the moving of BC Family day to the third week of February beginning next year. To maintain the alignment of the 2018/19 and 2019/20 calendars that have already been passed by the board, both Family Day and a school closure day for the 2018/19 and 2019/20 calendar year have been moved back on week.

Please see the attached proposed calendar amendments. The proposed calendars will go to the Board of Education at the April 10th Public Board Meeting for final approval.