

Westwood Weekly

École Westwood Elementary
Home of the Wolves
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PAC FUNDRAISER

The Westwood PAC is running a Community Values Coupon Book fundraiser to help with enhancing the learning experience for students at Westwood.

Students have all been given a book that they can buy or sell for \$35.00. Partial proceeds will go to the PAC.

If students are not able to sell the book, they must return it to their classroom teacher **by OCTOBER 15.** Additional books can be ordered using the form provided.

Incentives will be given to students who sell books!

We appreciate your support!

WESTWOOD CLOTHING

*Online store now open until
November 2!*

(With delivery by the end of Nov)

<https://westwoodspiritwearfall2025.itemorder.com/shop/sale/>



Calendar Dates for September

- Monday October 13th – Thanksgiving – school not in session
- Tuesday October 14th – PAC Meeting – 7 pm
- Wednesday October 15th – Hot Lunch
- Friday October 17th – PAC Movie Night – 6 pm

Movie Night - RSVP's and Volunteers needed!

If you are thinking of attending Movie Night next week,
please consider signing up for one of the available volunteer slots
(either [here](#) or click the link in the attached poster). If we do not have enough volunteers, we will have to cancel!
Please RSVP for Movie Night through your Munch-A-Lunch account (so we can estimate how much Pizza to order).

Family photos are coming up soon!

The sessions will take place on Thursday, November 13, in the library. This environment allows us to provide quality portrait sessions within a comfortable location. Our goal is to provide portraits that CELEBRATE YOU and your Family.

This is a fundraiser! 100% of the sitting fee goes directly back to the school, and each family will receive a complimentary 8x10 print.

To book your Family portrait sitting, please visit this link:

[Westwood Elementary Family Sitzings](#)

If you have any questions after reviewing our sign up page, please contact our customer service team.

Mountain West Studios

Phone: 1.888.644.4494

Email: help@mountainwest.ca

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PAC Meeting

Please join The Westwood Parent Advisory Council (PAC).

The next general meeting is Tuesday, October 14th at 7pm in the library.

PAC e-mail: westwoodpachub@gmail.com

Principal's Message

As we move through this season of reflection and gratitude, our school community has taken time to honor **Truth and Reconciliation Day**—a day to recognize the painful history and ongoing impacts of residential schools on Indigenous Peoples across Canada. Through age-appropriate learning, our students have engaged in meaningful conversations about truth, empathy, and the importance of listening to Indigenous voices. We wore orange not just as a symbol, but as a commitment to learning and growing together in reconciliation.

As **Thanksgiving** approaches this weekend, we also take time to reflect on the many things we are grateful for—our families, our friendships, and the caring community we share here at school. It's a time to celebrate togetherness, kindness, and the spirit of giving. We encourage families to have conversations at home about gratitude and the diverse histories and perspectives that shape this season.

Let us continue to walk forward with open hearts and minds, honoring the past and building a future rooted in respect, understanding, and community.

With appreciation,

Sincerely,

Ms. Askew

(maskew@sd43.bc.ca)

JOIN US FOR MOVIE NIGHT



Volunteer
Sign Up
Click [HERE](#)



Hotel Transylvania

Westwood Elementary PAC Movie Night



Friday Oct 17
Doors Open 6:00 PM
Movie Starts 6:30 PM



Gym
Westwood Elementary

PIZZA, POPCORN, SNACKS & DRINKS FOR PURCHASE
Card & Cash Accepted

WEAR YOUR PJS AND BRING A BLANKET
NO DROP OFFS! A parent or guardian must stay for the duration of the movie.



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INVITES YOU TO BE A
VENDOR AT OUR

Winter MARKET

NOVEMBER

29

10AM TO 4PM

3610 HASTINGS ST, PORT COQUITLAM

\$40 | Regular vendor 6ft table rental

\$30 | Regular vendor 6 ft bring your own table

\$10 | Jr. vendor 6 ft table

APPLY [HERE](#)

QUESTIONS?

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