

What's New on the Ranch

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March 6 – March 10, 2023

Date	Activities and Events
Monday, March 6 th	Robotics – 2:45 – 4:00
Tuesday, March 7 th	Relay Practice - 8:15 / Fire Drill / Game Ready Crazy Sports – 2:45 – 3:45
Wednesday, March 8 th	Relay Practice - 12:00 / Mixed Media, Collage and Sculpture – 2:45 – 4:15
Thursday, March 9 th	Relay Practice - 8:15 / Illustrating NorthWest Coast Animals - 2:45 – 3:45 / PAC Meeting 7:00 – 8:30 – Library
Friday, March 10	Hot Lunch - White Spot / Last Day of School / Report Cards Issued

This Week in Review:

Hello everyone,

Congratulations to all our Reading Link Participants! Everyone read multiple novels to prepare for this challenging event, and the standard of competition was very high. Our teams were *The Yummy Books* (Emily, Quinn and Charlotte), *The Six Bookateers* (Yifan, Anmol, Zoe, Airik, Kaiden, Sophia), *The Wise Ones* (Alex, Zhi Bao, Sam, Davis, Maxim, Oliver), and *The Six Chapters* (Kaliyah, Isla, Addi, Eloise, Kayla, Ida). Finally, our winners, who will be going to the district competition, are *The Season Dreamers* (Mikaela, Iris, Islandra, Penelope, Alyssa, and Julie). Congratulations to all!



The Como Lake Relay forms are due Monday. Practices will start March 7th. Please note that the Wednesday practice will begin at Ranch Park and the training may involve running to Hillcrest and back.

Please note the PAC meeting will be Thursday, not the usual Wednesday.

The library bus will be back on April 3 and May 1. If you have books from the Coquitlam Library you can return them to the bus. If your child does not yet have a library card they can get one [at this link](#).

I hope you all have a great weekend.

Rob Killawee
 Principal
 Ranch Park
 Elementary



Parent Information

Mathematical terms

Decompose – *to break a number into smaller parts.*

Round to - *make a number friendly by finding the closest multiple of 10.*

Subitize - *to recognize the number of a small group of objects without counting.*

Count on – *to count up or down from a number given.*

Pattern - *a sequence of repeating objects, shapes or numbers*

PAC Meeting

Time: Mar 9, 2023 07:00 PM Vancouver

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85183892481?pwd=NHFReWdwbfhseXpnVFlnL2VtVldQUt09>

Meeting ID: 851 8389 2481 Passcode: 709183

Kidsport Sale

Please see below for information on the KidSport Used Equipment sale, and for an interesting summer program for kids.

Mariner Way – Street Lighting Upgrades and Road Repaving Project

The scope of the project includes:

- repaving Mariner Way from Como Lake Avenue to Pilot Drive;
- repaving of Beach Court;
- installing “no left turn” signage on Mariner Way at Dolphin Street;
- repairing sections of sidewalk; and
- new installations and upgrading of street lights along Mariner Way from Daybreak Avenue to Dewdney Trunk Road. The new street lights will be LED and will provide more lighting which will improve visibility and safety.

Construction will take about 3 months to complete. The contractor will start with the electrical and sidewalk work, then move on to the road repaving work.

Work will take place Monday through Friday, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Construction will affect traffic flow but every effort will be made to minimize disruption.

Reporting Absences

Please report absences and lates through the “Absence Report” link on the website, under “Quick Links. You can also [bookmark this link](#) on your phone or browser.

Grade 5 Fundraising

You can support our Grade 5 activities through purchasing Tru-Earth laundry products at <https://fundraising.tru.earth/RPGrade5>.



Student Goal of the Week:

Core Competency: Positive Personal & Cultural Identity

Facet: Relationships and cultural contexts

Goal Statement: I am able to identify the different groups that I belong to.”



SUNWALLS

Summer Learning

2023

Elementary

Three locations, Tuesday July 11 - Friday July 28 8:45-11:45am. Band, Guitar, Creative Writing, Drama/Improv, English for Beginners, Guitar, Home Ec/Culinary, Integrated studies, English and French Immersion Language Arts, Mathematics, PE/Leadership, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, Tech Ed, Visual & Performing Arts, and more! Free to all BC residents*.

Eight locations, Tuesday July 11 - Friday July 28 9:00am-12:00pm. K to 1 transition, English for Beginners, Visual & Performing Arts, French Immersion, Integrated studies, Math, Reading & Writing, Coding (Info tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, and more! Free to all BC residents*.

Middle

Two locations. Tuesday July 11 - Friday July 28 8:30-11:30am OR 12:00-3:00pm. English, English for Beginners, IB Math & Science, Jazz & Concert Band, Science, Home Ec, Sewing, 2D Animation, Metal and Wood Tech Ed, Math, Coding (Info Tech), Skills for Success. Free to all BC residents*. These non-credit courses may be taken to review previously covered course content OR preview a course. Academic Completion 9/10 (earn a passing mark) also available, by referral.

Secondary Skill Building

Face-to-Face Advanced Credit OR Online Blended Fast Track
Two locations. Wednesday July 5 - Thursday August 10 8:00-11:30am OR 12:00-3:30pm. Biology 11,12; Career Life Education 10; Chemistry 11,12; EAL 10,11; English 10,11,12; English First Peoples 11,12; Mathematics 10,11,12; Physics 11,12; PHE 10; Socials 10,11.

Secondary Full Credit

Check out the SOYL full day program on our website!

Registration begins...
- Elementary: Tuesday May 2
- Middle & Secondary Skill Building: Friday May 5
- Secondary Full Credit: Wed. May 10
Phone 604-936-4261 for assistance.
*SD43 Residency requirements apply

To Register

WWW.SD43SUMMERLEARNING.CA / Phone 604-936-4261



Courses and locations listed above are subject to change



Play.

Learn.

Grow.

Camp Fresh Roots



SUMMER CAMP

For kids 5-11

August 2023

Every day will be spent in the forest and farm playing, learning, gardening, and cooking with caring staff to make sure your camper has the best week ever!



\$40 off for SD43 families



Monday - Friday
9:00am-4:00pm



Suwa'lkh School
Farm & Forest
1432 Brunette Ave,
Coquitlam



Includes a snack every day.
Camps also include one cooked lunch a week

All camp programming is in English.



Register at <https://freshroots.ca/education/camp/>

Discount code: **SD43**

Contact email: camp@freshroots.ca



KidSport

So ALL Kids Can Play!

Saturday,
March 4th

10am–1pm

USED EQUIPMENT SALE



RIVERSIDE SECONDARY

Admission by

**2215 REEVE ST
PORT COQUITLAM**

donation or non-perishable
item to the **SHARE food bank**

SAVE on your family's sports equipment!

The KidSport Used Equipment Sale has everything from bikes and hockey gear to fitness equipment, wetsuits, and more!

Open to Everyone!

equipment for **ALL** kids and adults!

Outfit a child for lacrosse or hockey, including helmet, stick, and/or skates for approximately \$100!

GIVE back! Donate your gently used* equipment

From *February 22 – March 3*, donate your used equipment at the following locations:

- Port Moody Recreation Complex (main lobby)
- Poirier Sport & Leisure Complex (main lobby)
- Port Coquitlam Community Centre (Arena 3)

www.kidsporttricity.ca

*gently used

equipment is:

- less than 6 years old
- in good condition
- wearable for league sports