

## Weekly Parent Newsletter

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The Richmond Board of Education acknowledges and thanks the First Peoples of the hən'q'əmin'əm' (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live.

## Dear Families,

It's been a busy and exciting week getting ready for our Track & Field Meet which will take place on Monday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at the Minoru Track. By now you should have heard from us, as well as from your child, about which event(s) they will be participating in on Monday (that is, if they are in grade 4-7 and attended practice regularly). We are looking forward to a fun and exciting day. Students should be dropped off at 8:45 AM at the track, so there is time to check in before the events begin. Please reach out to Ms. Sood ASAP if you need help with this at msood@sd38.bc.ca.

We also had a very successful Montessori Math Night on Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to all the families who came out to learn about math! And a special thank you to Ms. Morrison, Ms. Ngo, Ms. Ghuman, and Ms. Grewal for organizing and setting up the event. It was special to also have Ms. Gourlay and Ms. Sahota join us.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing some of you at the track meet on Monday.

Sincerely,

Ms. Zvi and Ms. Sood

Week-at-a-Glance for the week of May 12th - 16th, 2025

Track & Field Meet for students in Grades 4-7 who joined	
the team. 8:4	5-2:30 at <b>Minoru</b> 7191 Granville Avenue.
Welcome to K (9-10 AM)	
Hot Lunch Day	
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	the team. 8:49 Welcome to k



## Early Warning Line Reminder-

If your child will be absent or late, please call our Early Warning Line at **604-668-6691** and leave a voice message to let us know.

Thank you for helping us ensure the safety and well-being of all our students!

As we look ahead, we need your help to keep our PAC strong and active. Many of our current PAC members are leaving as their children graduate, and we're looking for new parent volunteers to step into executive roles. Specifically, we need to fill the positions of Treasurer, Secretary, and Social Media Liaison. The PAC is vital for securing the BC Gaming Grant and supporting various school activities that benefit our children. Without PAC, students lose over \$8,000 in Government Grant, as well as support for Hot Lunch Days, Spirit Wear, classroom resources, field trip subsidies, and much, much, more.

If you're interested in making a difference in our school community, please join us at our next PAC meeting which is the AGM and will take place on Tuesday, June  $3^{\rm rd}$  at 7 PM in the library and on TEAMS.

Thank you,

**PAC** executive

## Photos of the Week:















