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#### Communication from False Creek School and PAC to Parents, Students, and Staff

#### **Important Upcoming Dates**

#### Thursday, May 5

- Big One at 2 earthquake drill (for staff & students, only)
- Regular 3 pm dismissal

#### Wednesday, May 18

Welcome to Kindergarten Event for NEW kindergarten students registered for Sept. 2022

#### Monday, May 23

- Victoria Day
- School Closed



## **Sports Day** 2022

We are pleased to announce that we will once again be able to have Sport's Day for our students. As with many other events, our Sport's Day may look a little different this year than in previous years, but the opportunity to organize this event is very exciting! Sports Day 2022 will take place on Thursday, June 16. The students will move from station to station with their whole class, led by

their classroom teacher. They will take part in 13 activity stations in the morning. The stations will be run by Grade 8 and 9 volunteers from Kitsilano Secondary School. We will all break for lunch at the regular time. In the afternoon, same grade groups will be called outside for some additional activities, such as relays and a tug-ofwar!

More details will follow in June!

## Grade 3-7 **Ultimate Frisbee Team**

Thanks to our False Creek Parent volunteers, Laurel Miles and Travis Musika, for coaching our False Creek Ultimate Frisbee Team this year! Grade 3-7 students who would like to join the team are encouraged to pick

office. Practices have already begun and the first game is next Wednesday, May 11. Please note that gr. 3 students that join the team are welcome to participate at practices, but will have to wait until up a parent permission form from the grade 4 to play in the district games.

#### \*Interested to Host an International Student?\*



VSB hosts high school international students from Europe, Asia, Central & South America. Students stay for five or 10 months, and are keen to experience life with a Vancouver family. If you are interested, contact one of our homestay partner agencies: Langara College Homestay: 604.323.5696 or

homestay@langara.ca; MLI Homestay 604-988-9477 or info@mlihomestay.com; Vancouver Central Homestay 604-785-9598 or vch@telus.net; or Canada Homestay Network 778-327-6829.



Yoga

The Mindfulness and Yoga Club for grade 3 –7 students is being offered to students at lunch hour on Thursdays, starting May 5, 2022.

Students who are interested in joining this club can pick up a parent permission form from Ms. Misquitta.

## Health Awareness

Since the lifting of mandatory masks in schools, the decision to wear a mask or face covering has shifted to become a personal choice for staff, students and visitors. Students are encouraged to support and respect each other in their choices in this regard. Other aspects of health awareness that we ae continuing to encourage are as follows:

- stay home when sick
- practice hand hygiene upon school entry and before/after breaks and eating

- cough and sneeze into elbows, sleeves, or a tissue
- respect others personal space (the distance from which a person feels comfortable being next to another person).
- avoid sharing items that come into contact with the mouth (e.g. food, drinks, utensils, etc.)

# COVID-19 and Travel Outside Canada

Starting April 25, 2022, there were fewer federal requirements for fully vaccinated travellers or any fully vaccinated children who travelled with fully vaccinated individuals to follow for 14 days following entry into Canada. As an example, you are no longer required under federal law to wear a mask when in public spaces or report your signs and symptoms. However, unvaccinated children aged 5 through 11 will still need to wear a mask in public settings (including schools and day camps) for 14 days after arrival to Canada. For detailed information, please

review the <u>Travel to Canada:</u>
Requirements for COVID-19
vaccinated travellers web page.



# festival for all the Family at **UBC: May 7 2022**

Free Science UBC is proud to be a host of Science Rendezvous, a national festival that takes science out of the lab and on to the street. Join us on Saturday May 7, 2022 from 10AM to 3PM for a day of handson, family friendly science activities!

Festival-goers of all ages will get a chance to meet world-class researchers and innovators, participate in hands-on experiments, and see amazing scientific demonstrations on UBC's Vancouver campus. See map with venues and parking below. In accordance with UBC's campus rules, masks or face coverings are required in public indoor spaces.

See attached flyer for more details.

## Free Kick Soccer

#### FREE KICK TIMBITS SPRING **WORLD CUP SOCCER LEAGUE** 2022

#### **REGISTER HERE**

Cost: \$139

(Includes Timbits Soccer Ball, Uniform, Socks and Medal)

#### **SATURDAYS**

April 30 – June 25

#### **Shaughnessy School**

**Boys & Girls** 

9 – 10am: 4, 5, 6 yrs 10 – 11am: 7, 8, 9 yrs 10 – 11am: 10 – 14 yrs

or

#### **SUNDAYS**

MAY 1 – June 26

Jericho Turf **Boys & Girls** 

9-10am: 4, 5, 6 yrs 10-11am: 7, 8, 9 yrs 11-12pm: 10 - 14 yrs

\* Players are grouped by age & level to create fun & balanced play \*

(Special FAMILY focus on Mothers' Day & Fathers' Day Weekend

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## **Events and Hands-On Science**

#### Pacific Museum of Earth

Get hands on with a table of touchable fossils. There will also be tours of the new Hominin Hall and guided tours of the new Walk Through Time exhibit at 11:00, 1:00 and 3:00. Location: Pacific Museum of Earth

#### **Beaty Biodiversity Museum**

Visit Canada's largest blue whale skeleton. The Museum is running its regular daily programming schedule and is open by donation.

Location: Beaty Biodiversity Museum

#### Fun with Robots

UBC Geering Up Engineering Outreach is on a mission to provide youth with the opportunity to investigate engineering, science and technology in a fun, educational and safe environment.

Location: Earth Sciences Building lobby throughout the day

#### Make an Air Vortex Cannon

Make an air vortex cannon with UBC Let's Talk Science. Learn basic concepts about air and advanced concepts in fluid dynamics.

Location: Beaty Biodiversity Museum courtyard throughout the day







## **REGISTER NOW**