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With deep gratitude and respect, we are honoured to be learning and unlearning on the ancestral and unceded lands of the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh | (Squamish) and səliłwətał (Tseil-Waututh)

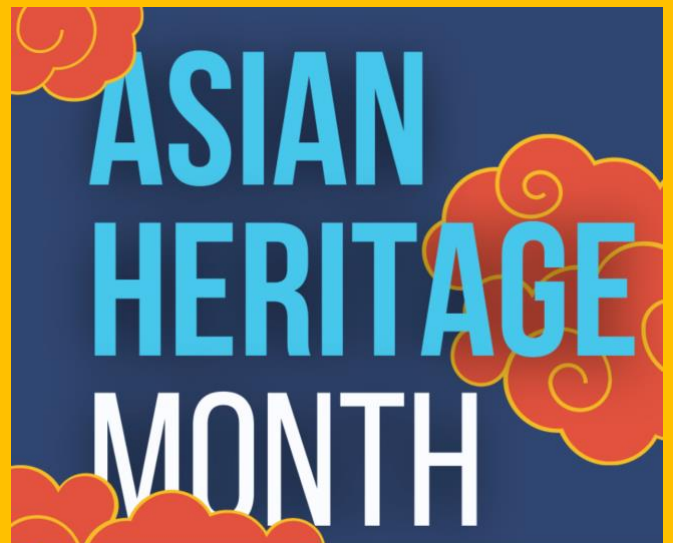
May 2024 Newsletter

Principal: Sharon Vieira
Trustee: Suzie Mah

Director of Instruction: Janis Myers
Superintendent: Helen McGregor

PAC Chair: Navneet Nathoo & Vice Chair: Lindsay Clayton

David Livingstone school community is proud to celebrate Asian heritage month this May.



Walk a Thon – Friday May 10th at 1:00pm

Packages have gone home with students to start getting pledges in advance of this fun PAC sponsored fundraiser for our school. Please remind students to return their forms and pledges to the school.

Sports Day: Friday June 7th

Will be on Friday June 7th at Livingstone school and next door at Prince Edward Park. We will be holding the events in the morning and families are welcome to come and watch us. This is a regular full day for students as well. We will try to start at 9:10am and classroom teachers will give you a hint of where their class is starting the day. We will also continue after lunch on the Prince Edward park field for a rope tug challenge between grade groups, that will begin with our Kindergartens and proceed to grade 7s finally challenging the school staff! Thank you to PAC who are providing a granola bar recess snack for all students and a popsicle treat at the end of the day!

Track and Field:

Permission notices with requests for volunteers to support practices and driving have been sent home to grade 4-7 students. Practices are on Tuesday and Friday Mornings at 8:00am. Thank you to Mr. Chris Young, Ms. Kailee Costa, Ms. Noon and to all of our parent volunteers: Thomas Tran, Dave Mackenzie, Corinna Hagel, Dave MacEntee, Terrance Gilhully and anyone else I have missed out for making this happen at Livingstone.

Welcome To Kindergarten – Wednesday May 29th at 9:30am

Invitations have gone out to all the families who have confirmed registrations for September 2024. If you have not responded to the invitation please email our office at livingstone@vsb.bc.ca

We are collecting flexible plastics at our school this May and will earn \$2 for

TIME TO RECYCLE

During the collection event, bring your flexible plastics from home to school for recycling.



Flexible Packaging with Plastic Seal



Protective and Squishy Cushion Packaging



Outer Bags and Overwrap



Zipper-lock and Stand-up Pouches



Crinkly Wrappers and Bags



Plastic Bags



Woven Plastic Bags

The more you collect the more \$ for your school.
\$2 for every kilogram collected.

Plus \$200 for your school just for joining!

JOIN THE FUN AND RECYCLE WITH US!



SCHOOL DROP-OFF LOCATION:
Classrooms and School Basement next to the lost and found.



It doesn't stop there. Keep recycling by taking your Flexible Plastics to a Depot or London Drugs. Search [RecycleBC.ca/Depots](https://www.recyclebc.ca/depots) to find one near you.



RECYCLEBC

- No garbage bags please.
- Please ensure that the plastic is clean



Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony – Thursday June 20

We will be honouring our grade 7 students as they move onto grade 8 next year. We will be inviting a limited number of family members to this event on **Thursday June 20, from 10:00 am to 11:30am then pictures and cake until 12pm.**

Grade 7 families who are able to volunteer on Wednesday June 19 at 3:20pm to help decorate the gym please email Mr. Bring or Ms. Stanton to sign up! We will have chairs and tables to set up and decorations to bring the gym to a festive space. We will also need help setting up the library for the grade 7 lunch that takes place at 12:00.

The ceremony will take place at 10:30am and will go to approximately 11:30am. After that time families can stay and take pictures with students and enjoy a slice of cake. After their special lunch our grade 7 class will be invited into the gym for a dance party with DJ. More details will be sent home from Mr. Bring and Ms. Stanton about this special day. Tickets will be given out to families (usually 4) for each student's family.

Spirit Days at Livingstone:

On Tuesday May 7th Livingstone Students will be celebrating Opposite Day, students are invited to dress up like staff and staff will dress like students! Here is a look ahead at the rest of the year's spirit days. Classroom teachers will remind students and families of the special days

- Friday May 10th is fancy hat day (
- Friday May 17th is Animal Day, come wearing any animal print or accessories to school.
- Friday May 24th is blast from the past day. Dress from your favourite era of the past for school.
- Friday May 31st is beach day, come wearing your tropical or beach clothing
- Friday June 7th is sports day; we will have a fun day of activities planned and students can dress up in their assigned team colour that teachers will let you know about.
- Friday June 14th is stripes day
- Wednesday June 19th Rainbow day, where all your colours to school today to celebrate Pride and being inclusive. Pride parade in the afternoon.



Livingstone Parent Advisory News

Thank you to our wonderful PAC Executive Volunteers for all their hard work and support! We are very grateful for all you do!



Our next PAC Meeting will be our AGM when we elect new executive members.

https://livingstonepac.weebly.com/uploads/4/5/5/8/45588167/pac_executive_position_vacancies.pdf

Next meeting in the library and online

May 15 at 7:00pm in the library with Grade 7 babysitters in the classroom next door watching a movie with our younger students.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88081815844?pwd=YTJYVDJoWlVJU1Q1aEVENnNtVVNodz09>

Meeting ID: 880 8181 5844

Passcode: 433210

Meeting Agenda and Documents

<https://livingstonepac.weebly.com/meeting-documents.html>Its found here:

May 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3 Wear Red To School	4
5 MMIWG2SP Wear Red Today	6	7 Opposites Students dress like staff, staff	8	9	10 1:00pm school walk a thon	11
12	13	14	15 PAC AGM 7pm in library and online	16	17 Animal dress up day	18
19	20 Victoria Day School Close	21	22	23	24 Blast from the past day	25
26	27 Grade 7 camp	28	29 Welcome to Kindergarten	30	31 Beach day	

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2	3	4	5	6	7 Sports day	8
9	10	11	12	13	14 Stripes day	15
16	17	18	19 Pride Parade Rainbow day	20 Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony	21 National Indigenous Day	22
23	24	25 Report cards home	26	27 Last Day For Students	28	29
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