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Weekly Newsletter April 25th

Thank you to Division 4 (Ms. Danielle's grade 5/6 class) who put on our Earth Day Assembly on April 22nd. They stumped the school with some of their Earth trivia! That evening some of Division 4 went to Douglas Elementary for the first annual Earth Day Film Festival with a panel of judges. Three films from Division 4 were selected and the Skunk Cabbage (don't put this cabbage in your soup) was selected as most informative!

We hope our families that celebrated the end of Passover earlier in the week had a wonderful time with family and we wish you all a Chag Sameach.

Classes are preparing for our student led conferences coming up on April 30th and May 1st. The classroom teachers will have or will be contacting you soon about booking in an appointment time.



South Vancouver Bottle Depot – Cavell has an account with the Return-It Bottle [Depot https://www.return-it.ca/locations/south-van-bottle-depot/](https://www.return-it.ca/locations/south-van-bottle-depot/) to help support our student gardens / planters. Simply enter the school's phone number **604-713-4932** when you return your bottles. As a school our grade 2s are collecting juice boxes / returnable drink containers at Cavell but we are now opening this opportunity up to families and friends as well. Thank you for your support!

PAC News

School Street Volunteer Needed

We're getting ready to launch the School Street Program this May! During drop-off and pickup times, Ash Street between 20th and 21st will be temporarily closed to traffic.

We are in need of volunteers to help monitor the barricades and ensure kids are crossing the street safely. If you can spare an hour or two during May, our community would be incredibly grateful!

Volunteer Perks:

- ☀ For each shift worked, you'll be entered into a weekly \$20 gift card draw. Choose from Kaboodle, JJ Beans, Rain or Shine, or Choices!
- ☀ Every shift earns an entry into the grand prize draw at the end of the month for a special gift card!

Volunteer Training Day:

- 📅 Date: Wednesday, May 1st
- 🕒 Time: 3:00 PM
- 📍 Location: First half in the school gym, second half outside for barricade setup and removal demonstration.

Sign up to volunteer here: <https://volunteersignup.org/FR83T>



Important Dates Coming Up:

- April 28** – Indigenous Focus Day Professional Day – school not in session for students
- April 30 and May 1** – Student Led conferences **1:58 dismissal** both days
- May 19** – school closed for Victoria Day
- May 30** – PAC Carnival
- June 20** – Sports Day
- June 25** – Summary of Learning sent home (final report card)
- June 26** – last day of classes for students