Tyee Newsletter

https://www.vsb.bc.ca/schools/tyee

Nov. 19th, 2026

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Happy Thursday, Tyee Families!

Just a friendly reminder that there is no school tomorrow, Friday, as it is a Professional Development Day.

Please check our Lost and Found, located upstairs near the school office. We have many unclaimed jackets, hoodies, and other items looking to be reunited with their owners! Feel free to stop by and take a look (photo attached).

Wishing everyone a wonderful long weekend! 😊



With deep gratitude and respect, we are honoured to be learning and unlearning on the ancestral and unceded lands of the xʷməθkʷəy̓ əm (Musqueam), Sḵwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish Nation) & səlilwətaɬ (Tsleil-Waututh Nation).

Upcoming Dates:

Tuesday November 24, Kids Boost Immunity (VCH and Langara nursing students will provide a Grade 6 immunization information session. The Kids Boost Immunity (KBI) program supports health, science, and vaccine literacy)
Friday November 30 – Saleema Noon Body Science Presentations K – 7
Tuesday December 8, Grade 6 VCH Immunization Clinic
Tuesday December 15, Learning Update #1 emailed home
Friday December 18, Last day of school before winter break. School reopens January 4, 2027
Monday January 18, Maple Man French Cultural Experience Assembly K-7
Friday February 12, Pro D Day (No school for students)
Monday February 15, Family Day Stat (School Closed)
Tuesday March 2, Kindergarten and Grade 6 VCH Immunization Clinic
Friday April 16, MountainWest Class and Panoramic Photo Day
Friday June 4, Games Day
Friday June 18, Grade 7 Farewell Event 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday June 29th, Last day of school for students

1. Saleema Noon Sexual Health Education

As part of the BC Physical and Health Education curriculum, students in Kindergarten to Grade 7 receive age-appropriate sexual health education. This year, Saleema Noon Sexual Health Educators will be visiting Tyee Elementary.

Their *Body Science* presentations help students learn about healthy bodies, personal boundaries, body changes, and healthy relationships in an engaging and age-appropriate way. Research shows that providing this education early helps children develop body awareness, understand personal safety, and seek reliable information from trusted adults.

Parent Workshop (Zoom) November 26, 6:30–8:00 p.m.
Join the Zoom Meeting:
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84374334010?pwd=S4h7oH7KlcxkOSFoFVRESmI5iFZMxM.1Meeting ID: 843 7433 4010Passcode: 020312

Dr. Brandy will provide an overview of the student presentations and share practical strategies for talking with children about bodies, growing up, and healthy relationships.

Student Workshops
November 30 during the school day at Tyee

While the presentations support healthy child development and align with curriculum goals, some topics extend beyond the BC curriculum. Parents may choose to opt their child out of the workshops. If you do not wish your child to participate, please notify the school office or your child's teacher by November 29. We encourage families to attend the parent workshop before making this decision.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school office or your child's teacher.

2.


For children born in 2022,
it's time for ...
KINDERGARTEN
REGISTRATION
NOV 1 - JAN 31
STEP 1: Register online: govsb.ca/kindergarten
STEP 2: After registering, you will receive instructions to verify your documents in person.
OPTIONAL STEP 3:
District choice program application:
Early French Immersion
Early Mandarin Bilingual
Fine Arts
Indigenous Focus School
Montessori
Jan. 5 - Feb. 2, 2027
Cross boundary application:
Feb. 1 - Feb. 26, 2027
For more info: govsb.ca/kindergarten

THANK YOU TYEE ELEMENTARY FOR WELCOMING THE HAWKS TO YOUR SCHOOL!

IS YOUR CHILD INTERESTED IN MORE?

The Vancouver Hawks have a full listing of Junior Program opportunities for your child: Try-It sessions, Fall, Indoor, Spring, and Summer camps.

CLICK for more

Vancouver Hawks Junior Program Options

Supported by:

SENFT FAMILY FOUNDATION

FREE TRY-IT DAY

Did your child enjoy learning field hockey at school? Come try it again — for free!.

SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 29TH*
9:00–10:30 A.M.
📍 ERIC HAMBER FIELD
ALL STUDENTS ARE WELCOME!

Register here

*Other dates available

WANT TO KEEP PLAYING?

Come Join Us!

SPECIAL SCHOOL OFFER

20% OFF

Junior Spring League Registration

All NEW Players
from **Tyee Elementary**
receive 20% discount on Junior Spring League registration.
Use code:
NEWHAWK
Enter the code in the adjustment field when you register your child.

WWW.VANCOUVERHAWKS.COM

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KIDSPORT PAYS So ALL Kids Can Play!

The KidSport program aims to remove financial barriers to sport participation by providing grants to help cover the cost of sport registration fees So *ALL* Kids Can Play!

ABOUT KIDSPORT GRANTS

- Children 18 and younger could be eligible for funding to help cover the cost of their sport registration. The average grant max is $400 per child per calendar year*.
- Sport activities must be affiliated with the member sport organizations of Sport BC (like BC School Sports), demonstrate a sustained sport experience (a season of sport led by a qualified coach) for a minimum of 6 weeks, and include at least one session per week.
- If approved**, the grant is paid directly to the school (or sport club) to help cover the registration fee for the sport activity.

** Grant amount is determined by each community chapter and ranges from $300 - $700, depending on the chapter's funding capacity. Most chapters grant $300 - $400.*

*** please allow up to 60 days for notification of application status*

HOW TO APPLY

- Register in an eligible sport program
- Apply online at kidsportcanada.ca or download a paper application. Applicants must submit their Notice of Assessment from the most recent tax year that shows line 15000, OR have an endorser* sign their application to verify the social and economic barriers of the family.
- Submit the completed application to your local chapter or KidSport BC. Completed paper applications can be emailed to kidsport@sportbc.com or mailed to KidSport BC PO Box 28032 RPO West Pender, Vancouver BC V6C 3T7.

** Endorser verification valid for paper applications only. An endorser is a trusted professional that is not affiliated with the sport club / school who is familiar with the family's financial situation.*

Visit **kidsportcanada.ca/british-columbia/provincial-fund**
for full details about grants, eligibility, and how to apply.

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KidSport is a Registered Canadian Amateur Athletic Association ("RCAAA") with charitable status (86212 5986 RR0003)

3. **PAC Weekly Update**

SAVE THE DATES
November 24 - Tyee Pac General Meeting - Please RSVP here
November 26 - Saleema Noon Body Science - Parents only
December 11 - Winter Crafternoon - Volunteers needed

Stay connected and add the Tyee PAC calendar to your calendar

1. GENERAL PAC MEETING

Our next PAC meeting will be held in person on **Tuesday, November 24 at 6:30pm.**
All parents and caregivers are welcome! Come hear what we have planned, share your ideas, ask questions, and find out how you can get involved.
Childcare and pizza will be provided.
Please sign up here.

2. WINTER CRAFTERNOON DEC 11 - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The **Tyee Winter Crafternoon** is happening **Friday, December 11th**! From 1:15 to 3 p.m., students will enjoy a range of fun activities at various stations set up inside the school. From 3 to 3:30 p.m., we will bring the festive cheer outside with warm drinks.
Please sign up here if you're available on this day -
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfSsioL9khDruYYQes9QHhr5ssiWNwHJOhOVOe_iYWPrL38bQ/viewform