Tyee Newsletter

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

Nov. 6th, 2026

Dear Parents and Guardians,

On Tuesday, November 10, we will gather for a Remembrance Day assembly at 11:00 a.m. Families are welcome to join us in marking this important occasion.

Please let your child's teacher know if you plan to attend. We require a rough count of guests to ensure we do not exceed fire safety capacity.

A special thank you to the Vancouver Poppy Fund Committee for providing poppies for staff and students to wear during the assembly.

If you would like to support the Poppy Campaign and donate to the Vancouver Poppy Fund, you can do so through their website. Donations help support veterans and their dependents in times of need.

https://www.vancouverpoppyfund.org/donate



Just a reminder: There will be no school on Wednesday, November 11th, as it is Remembrance Day, a statutory holiday.

Warmest regards,
Mrs. Monrad

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:

Monday November 9 -13, Vancouver Hawks Field Hockey Lessons 1–7 (3 sessions per class)
Tuesday November 10th, Remembrance Day Assembly 10:50 – 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday November 11, Remembrance Day (School Closed)
Friday November 20, District Pro D Day (School Closed)
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 (more info to come)
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
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

3. **Your school's Catch Up Photo gallery is now live!**

Exciting news! Your online gallery from your school Catch Up photo session is now live!

- Please visit this link to access the gallery: https://vando.imagequix.com/K9L3W9Z
- The login code to access your images is on the yellow QR flyer your child was given on pho to day. Please check with them.
- Any active email address can be used to login.
- **Your order deadline is: November 12 2026**
- All orders will be shipped to the school. ***If you miss the deadline, your order will be ship ped directly to your home with a shipping fee applied.***

Missing your login code? No problem!

1. Visit https://www.mountainwest.ca/support-for-families
2. Click on "Looking for your login code?
3. Enter the information required.
4. Your code will be emailed within 1 business day.

Click Here to find out more about ordering.
Phone: 1.888.644.4494
Email: help@mountainwest.ca

TYEE ELEMENTARY

YOUR CHILD IS LEARNING FIELD HOCKEY NOV 9-13TH!

WHAT IS FIELD HOCKEY?

Field hockey is one of the most widely played sports in the world, but many Canadian families have never had the opportunity to try it.

Through our **FREE Vancouver Hawks Schools Program,** your child will learn the basics of the game — including dribbling, passing and shooting. University and National-level players will coach and share how field hockey became part of their lives. Our coaches make field hockey fun, active and accessible for everyone.

Never seen field hockey before?
Click on this **short video** for a fun introduction.

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!

Vancouver Hawks offer extensive
Junior Programs for children and youth
Ages U5–U18.
Players can join at any age.

No experience is necessary.
All skill levels are welcome.

Visit **www.vancouverhawks.com** for
ALL Junior program opportunities*.

Spring Junior season runs from April to June.
2027 Spring registration is now open.

Financial assistance available through Vancouver Hawks. Contact: info@vancouverhawks.com

HELP SHARE THE EXPERINCE WITH ANOTHER SCHOOL **Click Here to Donate**

4. **PAC Weekly Update**

Thank you to all that came out to our Haunted Hollow last week, we hope you all enjoyed the evening. A special shout out to all the volunteers that made it a huge success.

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

1. MONTESSORI STUDENT DONATIONS - UPDATE

So far, 39% of our families have contributed, helping buy everything from classroom supplies and air filters to gym gear and student events. Every dollar helps, no matter the size, and you will get a tax receipt for any donation over $20.

Click here for more details: https://tyeepac.com/2026/10/01/support-tyee-with-a-montessori-student-donation-2/

2. GRADE 7 HOLIDAY PLANT SALE - ORDER BY NOV 16!

Our Grade 7 class is running a holiday plant sale, and every order helps pay for their events, function and outdoor trip this year.

You can pick from red and white poinsettias, holiday wreaths, succulent bowls and more. They make great gifts for teachers, grandparents and neighbours too.
Online orders close on Monday, November 16 at Noon.
Pick up is at the school on December 2, 3 and 4.

Please order here: https://tyeeelementary.growingsmilesfundraising.com/home#products

3. 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


TYEE ELEMENTARY PAC
MSD
MONTESSORI STUDENT DONATIONS
Help Every Family Join In!
148
100
50
0
58 families
39%
of our 148 families have given so far
No donation is too small!
Classroom Air Filters
Classroom Materials
Gym Equipment & Lessons
Student Social Events
Tax receipts for donations over $20
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!
Every family counts. Give today!
CLICK HERE TO DONATE
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TYEE ELEMENTARY PAC

GRADE 7

HOLIDAY PLANT SALE

ORDER DEADLINE

Nov 16

Online orders close Monday, Nov 16 at noon

Every plant helps our Grade 7s

- Events
- Functions
- Outdoor Trip

Pick your favourites:

- Red & White Poinsettias
- Holiday Wreaths
- Succulent Bowls
- Tropical Planters

Order online: scan the code or use the link.
Pick-up: Dec 2, 3 & 4 at Tyee

tyeeelementary.growingsmilesfundraising.com

Scan to order!