



# L'ECOLE BILINGUE

**Newsletter #15** 

Friday, January 26, 2024

Jacquie Lavoie, Principal Alice Jungclaus, Vice-Principal Christopher Wong, Director of Instruction

Dear L'École Bilingue families,

The basketball season is up and running at L'École Bilingue, with six teams! A big thank you to M. Abheeru, our gym teacher, for organizing the teams, as well as our many parent coaches for leading the teams, working with the students and attending morning practices and after school games. Thank you also to our staff sponsors for attending games. Thank you to parents for driving students to and from games and for cheering on our teams. We are fortunate to be able to offer such an enriching experience to our students, thanks to everyone's help and support.

Despite the snow being all gone, our classes continue to celebrate winter with some amazing artwork, which adorns the halls.

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Warm regards, Mme Lavoie & Mme Jungclaus

## **POPCORN SALE**

Student Council will be hosting a Popcorn Sale on **Wednesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>** with proceeds going to the Children's Hospital. Bags of popcorn will be \$2.00 each and students will be able to purchase one bag if they wish. On Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>, Grade 7 students will be visiting classrooms and collecting orders, in order to prepare the popcorn bags in advance. On Wednesday, the Grade 7 volunteers will deliver the pre-ordered bags to the classrooms just before the lunch recess, so that students may enjoy this special snack outdoors.

If your child would like to purchase a bag of popcorn, please ensure they bring their **\$2.00 to school on Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>**.

We are very proud of our Student Council members and Grade 7 leaders for taking on this initiative and for making the choice themselves to donate to the Children's Hospital.

Thank you for supporting our Popcorn Sale!

# A FEW FRIENDLY REMINDERS

- Please ensure your child brings a snack or two to school on a daily basis, as lately, we have had several students coming to the office asking for extra food.
- Please report student absences before 9am:
  - Safe Arrival Phone Line: 604-713-4585 Press #1
  - Safe Arrival Email: <u>lec-safearrival@vsb.bc.ca</u>

## THEME DAY

A fun theme day, Twin/Triplet, etc. day was held on Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup>. Theme days enhance school spirit and are a fun way to build community.



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# **PAC NEWS**

#### Yearbook

Did you get photos at school events, field trips, assemblies, sports, or some fun candids around the school yard? We'd love to include them in the yearbook. Please share your September- December 2023 pics with us at <u>yearbook@lebpac.ca</u>.

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**Direct Donations is open!** The school is in need of new technology upgrades for classrooms. Your donations this year will contribute to the purchase of a new classroom set of tablets/laptops for student learning. Every dollar makes a difference, so please contribute what you can! You will receive a tax receipt for your donations! Please visit <u>the PAC website</u> to donate and to learn more.

Stay updated! Join the PAC WhatsApp group and PAC mailing list.

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#### After School Programs

Please refer to the PAC website for up-to-date information about after-school programs (dates, locations, cancellations, etc.): <u>https://lebpac.ca/programs</u>

**Important:** The LEB basketball game schedule is now out and **tennis is cancelled** on the following dates:

- Monday: January 29, February 12, February 26
- Wednesday: January 24, January 31, February 7, February 14

Please do **<u>not</u>** send your children to tennis on those dates and talk to Coach Carlos (karizmadesign@gmail.com) about new arrangements.

# **IMPORTANT DATES**

- WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31: POPCORN SALE
- MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5<sup>TH</sup>: Prince of Wales Secondary GRADE 7 PARENT INFO NIGHT - 7:00 PM ONLINE. Please register here: <u>http://tinyurl.com/4ehjcekj</u>
- WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14: EARLY DISMISSAL 2PM
- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15: EARLY DISMISSAL 2PM
- FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY - NO SCHOOL
- MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19: FAMILY DAY SCHOOL CLOSED

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