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JAMIESON NEWSLETTER

We acknowledge that we live, work and play on the unceded and traditional territories of the Coast Salish peoples – x^wməθkwəyəm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and Səlílwətaʔ/Selilwitulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations

“Cultivate your minds as definitely as you do your muscles. Cultivate kindly feelings and do kindly acts and kindness will become the law of your being.”

- Dr. Annie B. Jamieson

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November 10, 2022

Ms. Natasha Miladinovic - Principal

Ms. Lena Ling - Vice Principal

Ms. Amy Tang - Administrative Assistant

Ms. Hayley Kellow - Extra Clerical

Ms. Olivia Lau - PAC Chair

MESSAGE

Dear Jamieson Families,

Happy November! Autumn days are definitely upon us. We have had atmospheric rivers, strong winds and even some snow! It was so wonderful to see so many fun and creative costumes on Halloween. We had a Halloween parade throughout the halls, so it was great to see everyone enjoying the day. As we move quickly through our fall months, we continue to celebrate our collective work and enjoy all that the season has to offer.



November is an important reminder of remembrance. We held a school wide Remembrance Day assembly for all students and staff. Poppies were distributed to all students today, prior to our assembly. Additionally, students should try and take a moment on Friday at 11:00 am to pause in silence or quiet reflection and think about the sacrifices of our courageous Canadians. We invite all families to do likewise. We will continue to collect money for the poppy fund all next week, so please consider making a donation.

Ms. Natasha Miladinovic and Ms. Lena Ling

STUDENT AND FAMILY AFFORDABILITY FUND

The Ministry of Education has provided all school districts in BC with one-time funds for this school year to help support students in accessing nutritional food and clothing. Jamieson has been provided funding to help support students and families in our school community who are facing challenges and would benefit from support at this time. This funding is available to schools for one year only and must be spent by June of 2023.

If your child and family could benefit from support with accessing food and clothing, please let us know so we can help. All requests for support will be treated as private information and will only be shared with staff who need to know - the administration team of Ms. Miladinovic and Ms. Ling and where applicable, Ms. Tang who is our school-based administrator for School Cash Online.

You can let us know your family would benefit from support by completing [Jamieson Student and Family Affordability Fund Survey](#) by Friday, November 18. Ms. Ling or Ms. Miladinovic will contact you after Monday, November 28 to discuss further details.

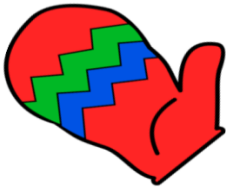
WINTER WEAR DRIVE

Division 1 presents:



Jamieson's Winter Wear Drive for Vancouver's Downtown Eastside

Your donation of at least one pair of mitts, toques, gloves or socks will be a great help for people in need in the Downtown Eastside community. We will come by your classrooms every Wednesday and Friday from November 30 – December 14 to collect the items.



Please make sure that the items you donate are:

- Warm
- New
- Adult-sized

Thank you!



GREATER VANCOUVER FOOD BANK



We are excited to announce that Jamieson will be holding a Food Drive in support of the Greater Vancouver Food Bank (GVFB) from November 21 to December 9!

This year, we will be fundraising in two ways:

- 1) Virtual food drive – online donation (via QR code), and
- 2) Collecting the following items at our school:
 - > Diapers, Dry pasta, Canned salmon or tuna, soups, or stews

Scan the QR code to access Jamieson's virtual food

There will also be a box for item collection in each classroom.

JAMIESON SPORTS TEAMS

SOCCER

Twenty-two grade 7 students represented Jamieson excellently on two senior soccer teams. The students committed themselves to braving the early mornings for practices and playing three back-to-back games each Wednesday afternoon. The coaches saw real improvement in goaltending, defence, offence, and team cohesion. Great job playing hard and showcasing sportsmanship whether winning or losing! After having our final set of games cancelled due to heavy rain and air quality, the teams played a makeup game with each other in the snow to close out their season.



Mr. Taverna and Mrs. Sadr

A big thank you to Mr. Taverna and Ms. Sadr for all their work coaching our soccer team.

VOLLEYBALL



We're right in the middle of our volleyball season and the Sr. Boys and Sr. Girls teams have been showing quick improvement and admirable willingness to learn and improve. Devoting two lunch periods per week and travelling to play after-school games, the players have been playing well and having fun. Special shoutout to the ~10 players that are not interested in competition but join practices to learn the sport and have fun. We'll continue to practice and compete until the Championship tournament in early December!

Mrs. Stone and Mr. Taverna

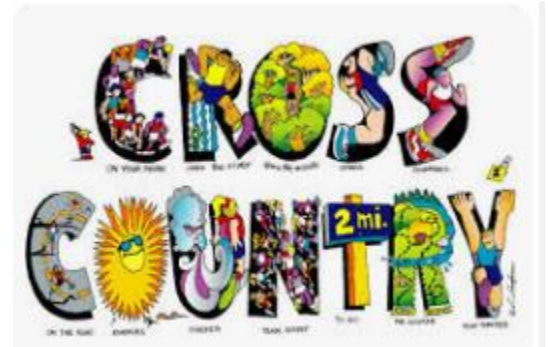
Thank you to Ms. Stone and Mr. Taverna for devoting their time to coach our volleyball teams.

CROSS COUNTRY

Jamieson's Cross Country Team had a successful season! The team has grown to more than fifty runners coming out to practices and thirty-six athletes competed in the District Cross Country Meet on October 20th. All athletes represented Jamieson with hard work, determination, and enthusiasm. All Jamieson team members crossed the finish line! The following students finished in the top twenty-five spots.

Tyler Quan, Grade 7, 4th place
Jenna Chiu, Grade 7, 12th place
Isabel Korzeniowski, Grade 6, 10th place
Mikaela Lo, Grade 6, 21st place
Ryan Yap, Grade 5, 7th place
Roy Lee, Grade 5, 23rd place

Thank you so much to Ms. Scoretz and Ms. Rowley for organizing and coaching our team!



EARTHQUAKE PLANNING



In case of emergency

EMERGENCY REUNIFICATION PLAN

PREPARATION

1. School forms: Emergency contact list - add local people who are able to pick up your children.
2. Have a list of all children you are responsible for.

DURING AN EVENT

3. Bring your photo ID and report to the school as soon as possible.
4. When you arrive at the school, go to the clearly marked check-in area.
5. Organizers will locate your child and/or children you are responsible for.

Important Information - Please Translate

这是一份重要资讯 — 请找人为您翻译 这是一份重要信息 — 请找人为您翻译

Mahalagang Impormasyon - Paki salin sa sariling wika
Thông tin quan trọng - Xin tìm phiên dịch
महत्वपूर्ण साहकारणी-सिद्धकारणी करके अनुवाद करें/अनुवाद
महत्वपूर्ण जानकारी - कृपया अनुवाद करें
중요한 정보 - 번역 부탁드립니다
Información importante - Por favor traducir
معلومات مهمة - الرجاء الترجمة
重要な情報-翻訳してください
اطلاعات مهم - لطفاً ترجمه کنید

Jamieson students all participated in the earthquake drill, “The Great BC Shakeout,” on Thursday October 20th. In preparation for the student-parent reunification drill in May 2023, please ensure that you have your yellow Reunification forms completed and returned to the office as soon as possible if you have not done so. They went home with the student packages in September. If any contact information changes for your family, please ensure that the office has this information, and a new reunification form is completed.

TRAFFIC



Traffic continues to be a great concern. If we could all do our part and follow the rules of the road, it would make it safer for our children/students. There is serious congestion and safety concerns. If you must drive your child, **PLEASE** park away from the school, and walk with them the last block or two. **DO NOT** have the children run across the street if you stop on the opposite side of the road. It is very difficult for drivers to see small children especially if the weather is poor. Please also follow the rules of the road (parking and stop signs should be followed)! The area in the front of the school on Tisdall is designated as a 3 minute drop off/pick up area only. It is recommended that you walk your child to school or park a couple blocks away and walk the rest of the way. This will help with the safety of our children/students. We also ask that families avoid walking through the staff parking lot as cars can be entering and exiting. We continue to connect with our School Safety Patrol Team which includes the VPD and the City. They will continue to come and monitor our area on a rotation basis. Please, let’s all do our part to make it safe for our children/students.

Please be respectful of our Safety Patrol members as they are outside at the crossing area to help keep everyone safe.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY



Friday Nov 25, 2022 is a Professional Development Day. School will NOT be in session for students.

PAC FUNDRAISING



Jamieson PAC Purdy's Holiday Fundraiser 2022

MAKE YOUR HOLIDAYS SWEETER BY GIFTING CHOCOLATES FOR YOURSELF, YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

CHOOSE FROM 45+ PURDY'S HOLIDAY FAVORITES WITH 25% OF ALL SALES SUPPORTING JAMIESON STUDENT PROGRAMS!

SALES END NOVEMBER 30

PICK UP DATE: DECEMBER 7 – 13
(EXACT DATE TO BE DETERMINED)

IF YOU CANNOT PICK UP YOUR ORDER, PLEASE ARRANGE FOR A FRIEND TO PICK UP ON YOUR BEHALF.

Thank you for supporting your school!
Any questions, please contact info@jamiesonpac.com

To Order:

<https://fundraising.purdys.com/1594102-99707>

1. Enter Email
2. Register with info
3. Shop online
4. Use Marketplace
5. Select Chocolates
6. Proceed to checkout





Jamieson 家委會 Purdy's 巧克力 2022 籌款活動

送巧克力給自己、家人和朋友，讓您的節日更甜蜜！
從超過 45 種巧克力款式中選擇，25% 的收益將捐贈給學校項目。

銷售結束 11 月 30 日

取貨日期為 12 月 7-13 日
(確切日期待定)

如果您無法取貨，請安排朋友代取。

謝謝你對我們學校的支持！
有任何問題請聯繫 info@jamiesonpac.com

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