



This Week at WLE – February 23

Diversity and Respect Week

February 24-28th is Diversity and Respect Week where we will be learning about inclusion, diversity, acceptance and continue learning on kindness and friendship. We are encouraging everyone to wear different colours on the following days:

Tuesday, February 25 - Colours of the rainbow

Wednesday, February 26 – Pink Shirts

Thursday, February 27 - West Langley Team Colours (check with your classroom teacher for your child's team colour)

Friday, February 28 - Wear as much red as you can for Jump Rope for Heart Day

Jump Rope for Heart - www.jumpropeforheart.ca

At our Jump Rope for Heart assembly students learned about the 4 signs of a stroke. We watched a video on how an eight year old young man (Max) helped save his dad's life. Strokes can strike anyone – do you know the signs and what to do?

Watch this video to hear how Max helped his dad:

<https://youtu.be/QupRW0WdU10>



Students have been practicing our rope jumping for a couple of weeks now to prepare for our all day event on February 29th. The Jump Rope for Heart website has all the information families need for fundraising and information about EASY healthy habits and goal setting. West Langley has been participating for over 25 years and has raised over \$188,000.00! Please go online to register for online fundraising and for more information. All paper fundraising must be turned in by March 4.

Seeking Donations

After the Christmas holidays, local charities who support families all year sometimes struggle to maintain levels of support. We are hoping to help out as we learn about other this week! Students are collecting non-perishable food items and very good condition warm clothing (sweaters, coats, socks, gloves, mittens, scarves and toques. Please consider sending items with your child/children. Tables will be set up outside the library for collection. Specific questions can be sent to Ms. Egmore at aegmore@sd35.bc.ca.

Camp Jubilee – Grade 7 Camp Information Meeting

Our Camp Jubilee Camp Information Meeting has been rescheduled for **Tuesday, March 3 at 6pm** in our library. Families unable to attend will receive the forms and additional information the next day.

Kinderstarts, Welcome to Kindergarten and Ready, Set Learn (RSL)

We have five upcoming sessions at West Langley! Please click on the link to register:

<https://www.sd35.bc.ca/programs-initiatives/early-learning-birth-5-yrs/>

- 1) **Kinderstarts – Literacy, Numeracy or Rhyme: Wednesday, February 26 (1-2:30pm)**
- 2) RSL – Movement, Music and Me: Wednesday, April 1 (1:30-2:30pm)
- 3) RSL – Early Literacy: Wednesday, April 22 (1:30-2:30pm)
- 4) Welcome to Kindergarten: Wednesday, May 6 (1:00-2:30pm)
- 5) RSL – Read to Me: Wednesday, May 13 (1:30-2:30pm)



PAC Information

Have you bought your Pub Nite tickets? WLE PAC is excited to be hosting a Parents Night Out on Saturday February 29th at Jimmy Mac's Pub!! EVERYONE is

welcome and last year was a lot of fun so we hope to see you there!

Each \$20 ticket includes a burger, fries and a drink (beer, highball or wine). Tickets are on sale today in the office (please see Ms. Swerdan) or contact us at westlangleypac@outlook.com. There will also be a 50/50 Draw. Please consider joining us (bring your friends!) in support of the West Langley PAC and help us fundraise to support learning and activities for all our students.



Hot Lunch

Be sure not to miss out and register today! Go to this website link to register and order:

<https://munchalunch.com/schools/WestLangley>

Calendar of Events

- February 24 – Non-Instructional Day – students do not attend
- February 25 – 6:30pm – PAC Meeting
- February 26 – Kinderstarts: Literacy, Numeracy or Rhyme), 1:00-2:30pm
- February 27: Cobb's Treat Day
- February 28 – Jump Rope for Heart

Upcoming Dates:

- March 2 - Artstarts Fine Arts Performance 1:30pm
- March 6 - Term 2 Report Cards sent home
- March 10-Young Entrepreneurial Fair
- March 11 – 1:30pm Early Dismissal (Student Led Conferences from 2:00-4:30pm)
- March 12 – 1:30pm Early Dismissal (Student Led Conferences from 2:00-7:30pm)
- March 13 – Last Day before Schools Close for Spring Break and Spirit Day: Dress up in costume from your favourite decade!
- March 16-27 – Spring Break
- March 30 – Schools Re-open from Spring Break
- March 31 – Last day for Kindergarten registration



Kindergarten Registration

It's the time of year to get ready to register for Kindergarten! Kindergarten Registration begins on **Monday, January 20th until March 31**. The office will be open from 7:30am-3:00pm for registrations. When you come to register (even if siblings already attend WLE) please be sure to bring the following documents:

Student's Proof of Age (one of the following):

Birth certificate Certificate of citizenship (must have both sides) Court Order Driver's License Immigration Canada documents (if refugee paperwork, please send a copy to Office Services, SBO). Passport Secure Certificate of Indian Status (SCIS), also known as Status Card.

Parents' Citizenship – (Canadian Citizens) Canadian Birth certificate Canadian passport Canadian citizenship card Secure Certificate of Indian Status (SCIS), also known as Status Card.

Parents' Citizenship – (Permanent Residents / Refugees) Landed permanent residents card Refugee documents from Immigration Canada (with a copy of the Student's documents, see above)

Residency: The custodial parent/guardian must be resident in BC BC Drivers license Subject free Purchase Agreement (move in date within 6 months) Municipal tax bill Mortgage statement Utility bill