



McKay's Week-At-A-Glance (WAAG):
April 1st - April 5th



We Hip Hopped our way to Spring Break this week!!! Our students did such a great job learning their dance routines... thank you so much to our PAC for supporting our dance program by greatly subsidizing the cost per student!

We wish everyone a safe, happy, and restful Spring Break!

Highlights For Next Week Include:

Monday April 1st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Easter Monday – School Closed
Tuesday April 2nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Back to school! First day back after Spring Break
Wednesday April 3rd	
Thursday April 4th	
Friday April 5th	

VERY IMPORTANT REMINDER FROM THE OFFICE.....

If your child will be absent or late for school please inform the office directly by calling the early warning line as soon as possible at 604.668.6572.

Upcoming Important Dates and Special Events:

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| April 10 | Cyber Safe from Exploitation presentations for Gr 6 & 7 |
| April 11 | Class photos and panorama |
| April 25 | Written Learning Update #2 (Report cards published on MyEd BC) |
| May 9 | Elementary Track Meet gr 4-7 @ Minoru Track |
| May 16 | Saleema Noon Parent Info Meeting (Virtual, details to come) |
| May 17 | Pro D Day No school in session |

May 20
May 21-22
June 27

Victoria Day Holiday **No school in session**
Saleema Noon Body Science presentations for students (more details to come)
Last Day of School for students before summer break

Significant Dates in our Community



April 1st:
Easter Monday

Until April 25th:
The Lower Mainland
Cherry Blossom Festival



Dress for the weather!

Students will go outside for recess and lunchtime play in all weather.
Rain gear, layers, and extra clothing are helpful to stay comfortable!


warm gear

rain gear

Extra clothes



McKay is excited to announce the launch of a new Hot Lunch Program through Libby's





Kitchen!!  in addition to our monthly Friday's hot lunch

Starting April 8, 2024, we will be offering delicious and nutritious hot lunches twice a week on Mondays and Wednesdays (to start), delivered to the hot lunch table inside the school hallway during lunchtime. Students can conveniently pick up their orders, which will include their name, division number, and lunch details.

Daily vegetarian options will be offered starting in May.

How to Order: Please refer to the attached Libby's Kitchen Registration guide for detailed instructions in creating your account and placing orders online at <https://www.libbyskitchen.ca/>. April menu has also been attached for your convenience.

****NOTE: ORDERS TO BE PLACE BY 5PM ON SUNDAY FOR THE WEEK****

Daily Hot Lunch Program:	Libby's Kitchen Menu:	Lunch sizes & Prices:
<p> LIBBY'S KITCHEN takes pride in providing high-quality hot lunch meals for children. Their offerings include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Quality hot lunch and on-time delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Asian and Western style menu choices <input type="checkbox"/> Secure online ordering system via libbyskitchen.ca <input type="checkbox"/> Fast and responsive customer service via email, phone, and WeChat  <p><i>*Please note: 10% of the ordering proceeds from this program go directly to PAC which will be used to enrich the students' education inside and outside of the classroom.</i></p>	<p>Their menu is carefully designed in compliance with The Guidelines for Food and Beverage Sales in BC School Meal and School Nutrition Program Handbook to ensure nutrients intake and food variation.</p> <p>Libby's Kitchen aims to provide hot lunches that are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Nuts and MSG Free <input type="checkbox"/> Healthy and Delicious <input type="checkbox"/> Up-to-date with the Canada's Food Guide <input type="checkbox"/> Carefully designed to achieve balanced diet <input type="checkbox"/> Made to order <input type="checkbox"/> Rich in menu choices and fun to eat <input type="checkbox"/> Inclusive and diversified <input type="checkbox"/> Prepared daily and locally 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Large 28 oz for \$11/Order (Recommend Grade 6 & up) 2. Medium 16 oz for \$9/Order (Recommend Grade 3 to 5) 3. Small 12 oz for \$7/Order (Recommend K to Grade 2) <p>Packaging & Delivery:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Libby's Kitchen uses leak-proof microwavable containers to offer a convenient hot lunch experience! <input type="checkbox"/> Our cutlery is 100% biodegradable to minimize environmental pollution. <p>**We ask all students to please take their hot lunch containers home at the end of the day and re-use or Recycle.</p> 

Thank you for your support! For inquiries, please send an email to mckayelementarypac@gmail.com
The McKay PAC

Content: For parents to expand their social support networks, share experience, and learn more about community resources. Parents will participate group discussion around parenting, child development, family relationship and self-discovery etc. At the same time, children will have interactive play in a safe and fun environment.

內容: 本計劃讓家長擴展社交網絡，交流經驗和認識更多的社區資源。透過講座和活動，提高家長們教導子女的能力，促進親子關係。同時，子女們可以在一個安全及愉快的環境中和其他小朋友玩樂。

Date: Every Monday & Wednesday
Time: 9:15 am to 11:15 am
Location: Woodward Elementary (StrongStart Classroom)
10300 Seacote Road, Richmond
Language: English, Cantonese and Mandarin
日期: 逢星期一和星期三
時間: 上午 9 時 15 分至 11 時 15 分
地點: Woodward 小學 (StrongStart 教室)
10300 Seacote Road, Richmond
語言: 英語, 粵語, 普通話

For enquiry, please contact:

604-341-2799 or 604-207-5027

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* Please bring indoor shoes for adults and children.
請家長為自己及小朋友準備室內用的鞋。



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CAP-C Program

CAPC 社區兒童行動計劃

**FREE program for
Richmond Families
with children 0-6 years old**

免費活動

歡迎有零至六歲子女的
列治文家庭參加

April- June 2024





Early Learning for Families Events



Do you have a 3 - 5 year old preschooler? The Richmond School District welcomes your family to the **Early Learning for Families (ELFF)** events. Join us for fun and engaging learning experiences while meeting new friends and building home to school connections. It's also a great opportunity to ask questions all about Early Learning.



Connect with families

hands-on activities



music & movement by Ginalina



Spring Break
in *Richmond*

March 15–April 1

richmond.ca/SpringBreak



Community Services Connectors Program



Are you a Richmond resident with a lower income looking for services or support?

Drop by the Living Room at **Ironwood Library**, enjoy a drink and a snack, and chat with a Community Services Connector.

When:

Every Sunday
From January 28 - May 26
2:00 - 4:00pm

Where:

Ironwood Library
8200-11688 Steveston Hwy,
Richmond, BC



For more information, visit: richmond.ca/CommunityResources