



## McKay’s Week-At-A-Glance (WAAG) for McKay Families: January 16<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>

It has been another positive week of learning at McKay. Basketball season is underway, with games scheduled from next week through to Spring Break. The Eco-Team is continuing their great work and learning lots along the way. Burnett hosted us at their Transition Breakfast, signalling that planning for next year has begun.

Next week is highlighted by an event that brings together students from K to 7 for our first Family / School-wide Team Dragon-Making Activity - As we celebrate the Chinese Lunar New Year “Year of the Rabbit”. We know that many families will be gathering with loved ones on January 22<sup>nd</sup> – and we wish them all the best during these special celebrations.

As we move toward February, stay tuned for information regarding a Valentines Friendship Spirit Day on Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>, a teaching focus on the theme of “Lifting Each Other Up Through Kindness” as well as Pink Shirt Day at McKay on Wednesday Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### *Highlights For The Week Include:*

<b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>6/7 Girls Basketball Practice:</b> at lunch</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>6/7 Boys Basketball Practice:</b> at lunch</li> </ul>
<b>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Family / School-Wide Teams:</b> Chinese Lunar New Year “Year of the Rabbit”               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 9:30 – 10:30 am – Collaborative Lunar New Year Dragon Craft</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Co-Ed Basketball Game Play:</b> at lunch</li> </ul>
<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Co-Ed Basketball Game:</b> Thompson at McKay from 2:55 – 4:00 pm</li> </ul>
<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SBT for students in Div 2:</b> 8:00 – 8:35 am</li> <li>• <b>Fresh Slice Pizza Day</b></li> </ul>

### Upcoming Important Dates, and Special Events at McKay:

Sun Jan 22	Chinese Lunar New Year: Year of the Rabbit
Mon Jan 23	Program Planning for Grade 7s: With Burnett Team at 9:30 – 10:45 am
Fri Jan 27	Pro-D Day: No School for McKay students (and many other schools in Richmond)
Wed Feb 1 – Mar 2	Ventilation Project at McKay: District is upgrading our heat and ventilation systems
Tues Feb 14	Valentine’s Friendship Spirit Day: Stay tuned for more info on this special day
Feb 14 – 16	Scholastic Book Fair: in the Multi-Purpose Room
Wed Feb 15	Early Dismissal for Student-led Conferencing: Students dismissed at 1:45 pm
Thurs Feb 16	Early Dismissal for Student-led Conferencing: Students dismissed at 1:45 pm
Fri Feb 17	Pro-D Day: District Convention – No School for all Richmond students
Mon Feb 20	BC Family Day Holiday
Wed Feb 22	Pink Shirt Day: “Lift Each Other Up” theme for 2023 – Family/School-Wide Team Activity TBD
Fri Mar 10	Last Day Before Spring Break
	Term 2 Reports sent home today
Mar 13 – 24	Spring Break

*A Reminder: Please report lates and absences to our Early Warning Phone Number at 604-668-6572*