



The Lion's Roar



Walter Lee Elementary

We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the hən̓q̓əmiñəm language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn, and live.

Monday Feb 12, 2024

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Feb 12-16			<u>Kindness to self</u> through active living – Jump Rope	Parent teacher conferences Early Dismissal @ 11:45	Pro-D: no school
Feb 19-23	Family Day: no school		<u>Kindness to others</u> with “kindness hearts”	Hot lunch: A&W and Booster Juice	

Parent teacher conferences and Early Dismissal @ 11:45am this Thursday



To accommodate parent teacher conferences there will be **early dismissal at 11:45am on Thursday Feb 15.**

Please ensure that you have arranged a conference time to discuss your child's progress in literacy, numeracy and aspects of core competency.

Student learning survey letter home

The Ministry of Education is interested in your opinion. If you have the time, [follow the link to the parent survey to provide your feedback for student learning surveys.](#)

February is Kindness month



Our school will be engaging in lessons and activities around kindness to self and to others throughout the month of February.

Two weeks focused on showing

kindness to ourselves and two weeks focused on kindness to others.

We have scheduled school-wide events each Wednesday:

Feb 7: Kindness to self by creating self-affirmations

Feb 14: Kindness to self through active living: jump rope

Feb 21: Kindness to others with positive and uplifting messages for others: kindness hearts”

Feb 28: Kindness to others by standing up against bullying: Pink Shirt Day

Summer Learning

[Please click on the link](#) to learn about summer learning opportunities with the Richmond School District.

<https://lee.sd38.bc.ca/news/2024/02/summer-learning-richmond>

Outdoor Education – Oct 9-11 2024

An email was sent home to all Gr 5 and 6 families to introduce next school year's outdoor education experience. [To access the letter please click here](#)

Staffing Announcements

We want to wish Ms. Tsui the best of luck in teaching! Ms. Tsui has been our Senior Admin Assistant at the office since October 2023. On February 20th, she will be moving to Thompson Elementary school as a Gr 2/3 teacher. Thank you so much for your hard work at Lee, we want to wish you so much fun in the classroom!

We would like to introduce Ms. Sarah Fleming who will be our new Senior Admin Assistant. Welcome to Lee, Ms. Fleming!

DATES TO REMEMBER

February

- 15 Parent Conference – Early Dismissal @ 11:45
- 16 Pro-d - no school
- 19 Family Day – no school
- 28 Pink Shirt Day

SIGNIFICANT DATES IN OUR COMMUNITY

February

Black History Month

- 10 Lunar New Year 🎆
- 10 Moose Hide Campaign
- 14 Vasant Panchami 🌸
- 14 Ash Wednesday †
- 14 National Day of Action to Honour Missing Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls, Trans and 2-Spirited
- 15 Nirvana Day 🎆
- 20 World Day of Social Justice
- 21 Int'l Mother Language Day
- 24 Lantern Festival
- 24 Magha Puja Day 🎆
- 28 Pink Shirt Day

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PAC UPDATE



Our next Parent Advisory meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, February 21st at 5:30pm in the Lee Library**. Join us for coffee, as we discuss important school topics. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend!

WHAT DOES PAC DO & WHY GET INVOLVED? Most importantly, we provide a voice for the parent community in our school. We provide feedback and help facilitate communication with the school regarding whatever is happening at Lee. **It benefits both you and your child to be involved in their education. Parents' voices are of tremendous value to their school.**

FUNDRAISERS



The Walter Lee PAC fundraiser with **West Coast Seeds** ends on **Monday, February 12th** and with only 3 orders placed, we need your support!

Visit fundraising.westcoastseeds.com and **Click Shop** to add your favorite varieties to your cart. Choose from a range of West Coast Seeds' best-selling vegetable, herb and flower seeds.

Every packet of seeds purchased will earn 40% profit that directly supports school activities and the students of Walter Lee Elementary.

Share the ordering information with friends, family, neighbors, and all the gardeners in your life!

HOT LUNCH



The next Hot Lunch days are **A&W & Booster Juice Feb 22nd & Fusion Feast Mar 7th**. Place orders by Feb 15th online using <https://munchalunch.com/schools/walterlee/>



TCBY Frozen Yogurt Day at Walter Lee!

A fun treat that will be served at the end of the day on **Mar 13th**. The perfect opportunity to order extra and store in the freezer for the entire family!

Place orders by Mar 6th online using <https://munchalunch.com/schools/walterlee/>

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