

Kirkbride Elementary School

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Mission Statement: The staff of Kirkbride Elementary School is committed to fostering positive, supportive relationships between students, parents and school personnel

Principal's Message:

With Spring on its way and with the hope of sunny weather, we are reminded of how quickly this year is moving along! Kirkbride continues to be a busy and vibrant school filled with enriching activities and hard-working students, staff, and families. Some of the highlights that have occurred over the past few weeks included opportunities to participate in athletic, academic and creative events.

Congratulations to our boys' and girls' basketball teams on their great seasons. The season-ending tournaments that took place a few weeks ago saw the teams play hard and display excellent sportsmanship. Players on the teams developed their skills, made new friends, and represented our school well.

Recently, Grade 6 and 7 students, who joined up to play badminton, have been developing their badminton skills and will begin playing games against other schools in the current badminton season.

It was wonderful to see so many families come out to the school for our Family Learning Night. Our Family Learning Night gave our students and their families the opportunity to learn about Health Living and experience many different activities with a health focus.

Report cards go home on Tuesday, March 13. I would like to congratulate all of our students on their successes during the past term. Have a safe and active Spring Break! Spring is a time of renewal and it is hoped that we can all take the time to enjoy the break. We also hope that students come back fresh and eager to learn in the third term. Take care everyone and see you on April 3, 2018.

Dates to Remember:

March 6	Delta Gymnastics ends
March 8	Pizza on sale at lunch
March 8	PAC Meeting at 7:00 in library
March 9	Spirit Day - Animal Day
March 13	Report Cards Go Home
March 15	Pizza on sale at lunch
March 17- April 2	SPRING BREAK - NO SCHOOL
April 3	First Day Back to School



Rocking Readers

Our Rocking Reader winners for January are: Arsh K. – Div 2; Rehat A. – Div. 3; Danial I. – Div. 4; Prabhleen T. – Div. 6; Simran C. – Div. 7; Harsha G. – Div. 8; Hala A. – Div. 9; Kalem R. – Div. 10; Danielle F. – Div. 11; Harleen T. – Div. 12; Shivnesh P. – Div. 13; Saje H. – div. 14; Kirat C. – Div. 15; Arjun C. – Div. 16; Khalil B. – Div. 17; Vittorio P. – Div. 18; Drake H. – Div. 19. Well done, students!! Kirkbride is proud of your achievements.

Delta Gymnastics

Thank you to Delta Gymnastics, Ms. Debbie, for providing an enthusiastic program for our students in Grades Kindergarten to Grade 7. Thank you to our PAC who contributed to paying for this program.

Basketball Playday

Congratulations to the boys and girls basketball teams on a well-played season. The girls finished 2nd at playday after an undefeated season and the boys finished 3rd! Well done! Thank you Ms. Sahota and Mr. Laura for your hard work and volunteering your time to coach these wonderful students.



Badminton Season

Our Grade 6 and Grade 7 Badminton season has begun. Grade 6 games are on Tuesdays and Grade 7 games are on Thursdays. All are welcome to come out and watch!



Visiting the School and Visitor Badges

Parents and family members, please make sure to sign in at the office and wear a visitor badge when you come in to the school. Also, make sure to return any visitor badges to the office that you may have brought home inadvertently. Thank you.



Nut Awareness

Please be reminded that several Kirkbride students have severe anaphylactic reactions to peanuts, nuts and their by-products. Please help us in committing to do everything possible to protect these students. Please do not send food to school that contains peanuts/nuts, remind your children to wash their hands carefully after eating, remind your children not to share or trade snacks and do not use these products in any treats you may send into the classroom over the year. Thank you for your continued understanding and cooperation as we work together to make our school a safe environment for all students.



Sign-Out Procedures

Occasionally, parents come to school to take their child(ren) out of school early for appointments, etc. Parents are asked to write a note to inform the teacher(s) affected, and are also reminded that they should visit the office to sign out their child(ren) formally. This way, we are able to track children and know their whereabouts.

Student Absences

If your child is going to be away from school, it is greatly appreciated if you would inform the school. Please call the school at 604-588-5711. This is a 24-hour line. If it is after school hours, please leave a clear message stating the absent student's name and division. If your child is going to be away from school for an extended time, please see the office for an Extended Absence form. Thank you!



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