

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! Remember to set your clocks ahead one hour on Sunday morning. 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 last weeks saw the teams play hard and display excellent sportsmanship. Players on the teams developed their skills, made new friends, and represented our school well.

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

Report cards go home on Tuesday, March 12. 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 1, 2019.

Dates to Remember:

March 6	Young Entrepreneurs Show
March 6	PAC Meeting at 7:00 in library
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March 7 Drop, Everything and Read - Parent Welcome at 8:45 am

March 7 Pizza on sale at lunch
March 8 Spirit Day - Twin Day
March 12 Report Cards Go Home
March 14 Pizza on sale at lunch

March 16- Mar.31 SPRING BREAK - NO SCHOOL April 1 First Day Back to School



Rocking Readers

Our Rocking Reader winners for January are: Ishaq A. - Div. 1; Aditya S. - Div. 2; Harman A. - Div. 5; Jasneet J. - Div. 6; Husna S. - Div. 8; Renee C. - Div. 10; Angelin A. - Div. 11; Arjit G. - Div. 12; Tanya N. - Div. 13; Sarah V. - Div. 14; Gurdit S. - Div. 15; Ritvik V. - Div. 16; Gurman C. - Div. 17; Shanaya P. - Div. 18. 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, Mr. Frank and Mr. Copley 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! Thank you to Mr. Bentley, Mr. Armstrong, and Mrs. Randhawa for coaching our badminton teams.



Kindergarten Registration

Children who will turn five years old before January 1, 2020 are eligible to begin school in September 2019. Registration has begun so please come into the office to register.

Please bring following documents with you: <u>Canadian Citizenship for student and parent</u> (Birth Certificate, Canadian Passport, or PR Card), <u>Proof of Guardianship</u> (Large Birth Certificate with parents name, Revenue Canada Child Tax Benefit letter, or MSP bill), <u>Proof of Catchment</u> (Mortgage/Rental agreement, Utility Bill, or Current Revenue Canada correspondence)

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.

SuperKids Award

Congratulations to the following students: Tejes - Div. 14; Chloe - Div. 15; Aneet - Div. 14; Aryan - Div. 17; Mareesa - Div. 8; Ali - Div. 7; Fateh - Div. 15; Simran - Div. 8; Allie - Div. 11; Paarul - Div. 7; Gurmehak - Div. 14; Anum - Div. 13.

Parking Lots

Please do not use the staff parking lots to drop off or pick up your children, or as a shortcut to and from the school.

Online Payment Available

You can now pay for your child's field trips and various events online.



