

# Westwind Waves Week at a Glance



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JUNE 20 - 24, 2022



"We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the hən̓q̓əmi̓n̓əm (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live.

## Mark Your CALENDAR

### JUNE

- June 20 - PAC Hot Food, Takeya Sushi
- June 21 - National Indigenous People's Day
- June 21 - Wild Moccasins Powwow Dance
- June 22 - Playland Field Trip (Div. 1/2/3)
- June 22 - Swimming Field Trip (Div. 4/5/6/7/8)
- June 23 - Swimming Field Trip (Div. 9/10/11)
- June 24 - Gr. 7 Farewell Ceremony, 9:15 am
- June 24 - PAC Hot Food, Pizza
- June 27 - PAC Hot Food, White Spot
- June 28 - Steveston Field Trip (Div. 16)
- June 29 - Recognition Assembly
- June 29 - Summary of Learning Reports Posted on MyEd
- June 29 - Last Day of School
- June 30 - Summer Vacation Begins

Is your child going to be absent? Or late?  
Please call our early warning line:

604-668-6498

stay

connected



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Westwind PAC

## GRADE SEVEN



Our school community has been so so blessed to have seen all of our grade sevens grow and mature into kind, optimistic, fiercely independent and wildly diverse individuals. They will be having their Grade Seven Farewell Assembly this coming Friday, June 24 at 9:15 am. It is an exciting morning and we know their families are excited to attend. We are grateful to the parents who are coming to decorate. It is bound to be a special event.

- ☺ We wish you all good luck in your secondary schools.
- ☺ We will miss you all here at Westwind – but your SPIRIT will remain!

### PARENTS - Action Required!

End of year report cards will be published electronically to your MyEd Parent Portal on June 29th. Paper copies will not be sent home. Please log in to your MyEd Parent Portal to make sure your account is active and working properly. Once report cards are published you will see a PDF report under the "Published Reports" heading. A quick link to the MyEducationBC website is available on our school website.



If you need tech support, please email the parent tech help desk:  
accountsupport@sd38.bc.ca



We honour our Westwind Dads on Father's Day and hope you have an especially happy celebration. Your care, involvement and generous hearts are noticed.

Happy Father's Day!!

RICHMOND  
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 38

# PAC Updates

WESTWIND  
PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

WESTWIND WEEK AT A  
GLANCE JUNE 20-24, 2022

We have now ended our Fundraising year! Thank you to everyone who participated! The FUNdraising Committee raised over \$7,000 this school year, that is a record year! We could not have done it without YOU!

In May we had Family Photo Day which was all donated back by Sandra Steier in the amount of \$860! Thank you SANDRA and all the families who participated!

Next year we have Joe Preswick who kindly stepped up to take over the Committee after a year of transition. As Rachel, Kristy and I transition out over the next upcoming school year we will be looking for at least another 2 to 3 parents to help Joe! Please reach out to any of us if you have any questions or would like to be part of the Committee.

Thanks again!  
Fundraising Committee

## PAC Helping Hand Club - Children's Books and School Supply Donation Drive



The Helping Hand Club invites the Westwind families to donate gently used or new children's books (appropriate for children 0 - 12years) to be placed in special welcoming bags for the boys and girls of Ukrainian Refugees. We are also collecting NEW school and art supplies, such as crayons, colouring books, notebooks, pencils and paint sets.

Please ask your children to drop your family's donations in the bin near the front office by Thursday, June 23rd.

Thank you for your support of the displaced children of Ukraine.

With gratitude,  
The Helping Hand Club



## PAC HOT FOOD DAYS TERM THREE

Lunch Day	Vendor	Ordering Closes
Monday June 20	Takeya Sushi	Sunday June 12th
Friday June 24	Gr. 7 Pizza Day (Domino's)	Wednesday June 15th
Monday June 27	Whitespot	Sunday June 19th

# PLAYGROUND PROJECT

**THANK YOU KPMG!**



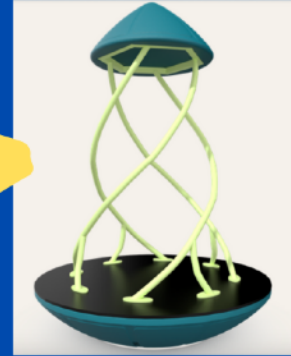
—○ **\$130,000**  
TIER 3 - WHIRLY Q

—○ **\$105,000**  
TIER 2 - DOUBLE OODLE SWING

—○ **\$85,000**  
TIER 1 - FIT CORE CIRCUIT

—○ **\$42,200**  
(Current update)

—○ **\$34,500**  
(May 13, 2022)



## FUNDRAISING UPDATE !

Huge thank you to **KPMG** for their generous grant of \$7500 towards our playground expansion project! There's still time to get your personal or corporate donations in before the end of the school year! We are grateful for your continued support. Stay tuned for one more update before the break!

## TO DONATE:

**E-transfer:** [wwpactreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:wwpactreasurer@gmail.com)  
*Indicate donation is for the playground.*

**Cash/Cheque:** contact  
[wwpactreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:wwpactreasurer@gmail.com)

**Donations over \$25 will receive an official tax receipt. Be sure to include your full name/business and address.**



## NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY

**June 21, 2022**

On June 21, it is National Indigenous Peoples Day: National Indigenous Peoples Day takes place on the summer solstice, June 21. It's a special occasion to learn more about the rich and diverse cultures, voices, experiences and histories of First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples. Learning about Indigenous Peoples, places and experiences is a step forward each Canadian can take on the path to reconciliation.

***To celebrate National Indigenous Peoples Day at Westwind, we welcome Wild Moccasin Dancers coming to do two performances for learners in the school!***



## HEALTH AND SAFETY

Westwind continues to follow Health and Safety protocols as directed by the latest Provincial Health Order. It is very important to attend to the *Daily Health Check* each morning and stay home if you're sick. For the Daily Health Check, go to:

[Daily Health Check & What to Do When Sick](#)

*\* on our District website*



**KIDSPORT BC  
FUNDRAISER with  
Olympian Evan Dunfee**

Thank you to all families who donated. We raised \$240 for KidSport Richmond. The cheque will be presented to Evan later next week.





## FUN DAY STATIONS

As a staff, we are moving forward in baby steps with returning to "life as normal" as we transition out of the COVID pandemic. While things are not fully as they were, the good news is that we have begun having full school events again. This brings so much energy and fun back to the community. Our fun, and more casual "Fun Day" was a smaller version. It only lasted two blocks (not an entire day). It involved stations to rotate through, and our gr. 7 leaders got to plan and prepare the activities. We know that families are looking forward to events like this opening back up to the entire community and this is on the horizon for next year. Our scaled back version was *still lots of fun!* *Please enjoy a few photos!*



## BAND CONCERT

Congratulations to Div. 1/2/3 and their director, Ms. Lam for a fabulous evening of music.



# SWIM & SKATE & GOLF

**ALL  
SUMMER  
FOR ONLY  
\$29**

## **JUNE 11 - SEPT 6**

This affordable unlimited pass is for 5 to 16 year olds to drop in to any public session at:

- Minoru Centre for Active Living
- Watermania
- South Arm Outdoor Pool
- Steveston Outdoor Pool
- Richmond Ice Centre (*public skating only*)
- West Richmond Pitch and Putt (*Mon–Thu excluding holidays*)

Minoru Centre for Active Living and Watermania's fitness centres are available for use for 13 to 16 year olds. An orientation and completed consent form are required to use the fitness centre.

## **PURCHASE A PASS TODAY**

from Minoru Centre for Active Living, Watermania, South Arm and Steveston Outdoor Pools, Richmond Ice Centre and West Richmond Pitch and Putt.

Skate and golf rentals extra.

**[WWW.RICHMOND.CA/SUMMERPASS](http://WWW.RICHMOND.CA/SUMMERPASS)**

