# LakeviewElementary



Weekly News

Good afternoon Lakeview families.

#### Pink Shirt Day Wednesday February 23<sup>rd</sup>.



Now a movement celebrated across the globe, Pink Shirt Day has humble beginnings inspired by an act of kindness in small-town Nova Scotia. David Shepherd, Travis Price and

their teenage friends organized a high-school protest to wear pink in sympathy with a Grade 9 boy who was being bullied for wearing a pink shirt. The teenagers took a stand against bullying by protesting the harassment and distributed pink Tshirts to all the boys in the school and a day to rally against bullying was born. The idea has only grown each year, with worldwide support and participation. Activities will be happening all week with an official assembly and day of Pink happening on Wednesday. As we did a custom pink shirt order last year we did not do a school wide order this year however you might see staff wearing a unique design for Burnaby staff created by local artist Gord Dick from the Tsleil-waututh and Lil'Wat Nations.







"The wolf is looking up at the eagle and the eagle is wrapping around the wolf. The eagle brings healing and represents guidance from our ancestors, from those who walked softly before us. The wolf represents the power of communication and community standing together as one heart." Gord Dick Tlseil-waututh and Lil'Wat Nations

### February 18th, 2022

#### Dates to Note:

- Feb 21 Family Day No School
- Feb 23 Pink Shirt Day
- Feb 25 District Pro D day
- March 1 Gr.7 Public Speaking
- March 9 Student-Led Conferences (2:00 dismissal)
- March 11 Green Day
- March 14 25 Spring Break
- March 28 First day back

Family Day Holiday - Monday February 21 and Professional Development Day - Friday February 25<sup>th</sup>





#### Student-Led Conferences Wednesday, March 9th, 2022

Student-led conferences are on **Wednesday**, **March 9**<sup>th</sup>, there will be an **early dismissal at 2:00**. Student-led conferences are looking different in each class this year to reflect the unique and individualized ways that classrooms are documenting and communicating student learning.

Student-led conferences are an important part of the reporting process even with them looking different than the traditional at school session. Your child(ren) will be bringing work home to share with you demonstrating progress in school activities to date. This is a proud time for your child as s/he takes a lead role in discussing learning achievements and areas for growth! The structure and format of the conferences will vary according to students' grade and the work that they have been doing in each classroom. Students may demonstrate their learning in a variety of ways. For example, they may show you portfolios, journal entries, reports, artwork or writing samples. Some of the materials you see during the conference may have been chosen by your child and some by your child's teacher. Often items are selected for a specific reason. The selections may not always be finished or the most polished piece of work but might demonstrate growth or an area of improvement.

Our students are excited about sharing their knowledge and their ability to be reflective thinkers. We ask that you listen, ask questions and encourage your child in this reflective process. Self-evaluation is key to becoming a life-long learner – a goal we have for all of our students. A Growth Mindset.

To facilitate a successful experience, we suggest:

- allowing your child to lead the conference
- listening carefully
- commenting positively on your child's achievements and progress
- asking the teacher for a meeting at another time if you would like to speak with her about specific concerns

Important dates:

**February 28**<sup>th</sup> - Work samples, discussion sheets, format information from individual teachers will begin to come home.

March 9<sup>th</sup> – Student Led Conferences







### One More week to Register: Lakeview Elementary New Student and Kindergarten Registrations 2022/23

For NEW students or CURRENT students requesting to move to another Burnaby school for September 2022, all Burnaby schools will commence accepting applications on Tuesday, February 1st, 2022. For more information, please visit the School District website at <a href="https://burnabyschools.ca/registration">https://burnabyschools.ca/registration</a>

If you're interested in French Immersion, Inman teaches FI (Grade K-3) and Cascade Heights teaches FI (Grade 4-7). Please ONLY apply with the full registration package at your English catchment school. The "District Language" application form for French and Mandarin requests are done online at https://burnabyschools.ca/french-immersion/Please attach CURRENT documents for your proof of address (checklist as listed below)

- Birth Certificate or Proof of birth date for the student
- Proof of guardianship
- Proof of citizenship for both the parent and child
- Immunization records (may be provided prior to school start in September)
- Proof of residency showing the parent/guardian name. This must include <u>two</u> items, AT LEAST ONE being from Category A below:

Category A: proof of ownership or long term rental of dwelling, legal documents indicating BC residence, Parent or guardian filing income tax returns as a BC resident Category B: BC Hydro bill, BC Cable bill, Provincial driver's license, Provincial registration of automobile or Canadian bank accounts or credit cards

#### Student Learning Survey 2021/2022

The Provincial Student Learning Survey is unique in its scope, size and usefulness to schools. It gathers information from parents/guardians/caregivers, teachers, and students on topics related to school environment, sarety, and achievement. The information is used for planning in individual schools and provides a district and provincial perspective.

Early in 2022 the Student Learning Survey will be administered to students in grades 4 and 7, their parents/guardians/caregivers, and all school staff. We encourage parents/guardians/caregivers to participate in this survey, as the results are important in identifying and celebrating current strengths, as well as determining where the school needs to focus improvement. The surveys contain standard questions for the Province - in addition, questions from the school and/or district that focus on local conditions or issues may be included.

The survey can be completed electronically and can be accessed on the Internet at <a href="http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat\_survey">http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat\_survey</a>. Any computer with an Internet connection can be used, and access to the e-survey is simple and secure. The survey can be accessed through the link with or without an anonymous logon code by selecting the school district and school name where your child attends school. Provincial, District and School Reports for previous years can be viewed at the same site under the *Results* section.

The e-survey site will be open until April 29th.

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