

# Lakeview Elementary Weekly News



Dear Lakeview Community,

As we approach the end of the year, I want to extend my warmest wishes to each of you for a joyous holiday season and a restful winter break. This term has been filled with learning, growth, and wonderful memories; I am incredibly grateful for the support and involvement of our families.

Thank you for joining us in the festivities throughout December (photos in following pages). Your participation made events like the Choir Concert at Loughheed, Holiday Sing-A-Longs, and Pancake Breakfast truly special. It's heartwarming to see our community come together to celebrate and support our students.

Please note that our first day back after the break will be **Monday, January 6th**. We look forward to welcoming everyone back refreshed and ready for an exciting new year.

Looking ahead to 2025, we have many exciting events and activities planned; some of the highlights for Term 2 include:

- **Literacy Week** at the end of January, where we will celebrate the joy of reading with various literacy themed activities and guest readers.
- The start of **Basketball Season** and the **Primary Skipping Club**, where our students will have the opportunity to develop their skills and teamwork.
- Our school musical, **Mary Poppins**, in March, which promises to be a delightful showcase of our students' talents.

Thank you once again for your continued support and for being an integral part of our school community. Wishing you all a happy holiday season and a wonderful winter break!

Amelia Poitras, Principal Lakeview Elementary

### Dates to note:

- Mon. Dec 23 Hot Lunch Orders Close
- Mon. Jan. 6 School Back in Session
- Tues. Jan 7 Mary Poppins Rehearsal 8:00
- Tues. Jan 7 Girls Basketball Practice 3:05
- Wed. Jan 8 Boys Basketball Practice 3:30
- Jan. 13-17 Hip Hop Week

### 2025 Important Dates



Monday, January 6 – School Reopens  
Monday, January 27 – School Based Pro-D (No School)

Monday, February 17 – Family Day (No School)  
Friday, February 28 – District Pro-D (No School)

Thursday, March 6 – School Musical  
Friday, March 14 – Report Cards Home  
March 17-28 – Spring Break

Thursday, April 3 – Group Photos  
Friday, April 18 – Good Friday (No School)  
Monday, April 21 – Easter Monday (No School)  
Monday, April 28 – District Pro-D (No School)

Thursday, May 8 – Student Led Conferences  
Monday, May 19 – Victoria Day (No School)  
Monday, May 26 – Welcome to Our School (Kindergarten Students Dismissed at 1:00)  
Thursday, May 29 – Camp Capilano (Grade 3)

Monday, June 2 – School Based Pro-D (No School)  
Thursday, June 26 – Last Day of School (Students Dismissed at 10:30)



## Library Statistics for 2024

To wrap-up a wonderful 2024 in our School Library, here are a few statistics!

- 14,333 is the number of books checked out in 2024.
- 51, is the number of times that our most popular book (Dragon Masters #1 was checked out) during this year alone.
- 70 books is the number of books most primary students brought home in 2024.
- 161 is the number of items our top patron borrowed.
- 42+ is the number of Group Bookings/Sessions (including, Indigenous Learning, guest Authors, Collaborative Blocks, PADS Dog Visit, and Buddy Class Activities). That is 2,220 Students participating in Cooperative Learning Experiences in a common space.

A huge thank-you to the staff for their partnership & support.  
Ms. Buchanan

## LAKEVIEW HOT LUNCH FUNDRAISER

First term has flown by and our second winter term of hot lunch is here. This is our schools main fundraiser for the year and helps provide funding for field trips, new books, new technology and various other school activities.

This year almost all of our vendors have increased their prices slightly so we have also had to increase the prices. We as a PAC hope you understand and will continue to support our fundraiser.

Our vendors for this term will be: Pizza Hut, Boston Pizza, White Spot, Quesada, Subway and Agra Tandoori. We have two recess treat days this term that is TCBY frozen yogurt.

**All orders are to be processed using Munch A Lunch.** We will be opening the system for all orders on Friday Dec 13th and it will be closed Monday Dec 23rd at 9:00pm.

**\*\*\*WE WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTING CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS THROUGH MUNCH A LUNCH. YOUR PAYMENT WILL NEED TO BE MADE WITHIN TWO HOURS OF ADDING YOUR ORDER TO YOUR CART OR YOUR ORDER WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY CANCELLED. IF YOU DON'T PAY WITHIN TIME FRAME YOU WILL RECEIVE AN AUTOMATED EMAIL ADVISING YOUR ORDER HAS BEEN CANCELLED\*\*If you have any questions or concerns in regards to payments please contact myself, Allison Sibelle, or our school principal Ms. Poitreas for assistance.**

If you do not have a Munch a Lunch account please go to:

<https://munchalunch.com/schools/LakeviewBC>  
(link is also located on school website under Notices - PAC notices)

All orders are final once ordering is closed  
No late orders or refunds  
We can not accommodate late orders or change orders due to deadlines with vendors

***In case of absence: If your child is ill on a lunch date please contact the office to advise the hot lunch team that you would like their lunch to be held for pick up in the gym. Any lunches that we have not been advised to hold by 12:15pm will be donated to other students without a lunch as we cannot keep the food for them for the next day.***

# Happy Holidays 2024!!



















