

• Thursday, February 26, 2026

Lakeview Elementary Weekly News



Dear Lakeview Community,

It's hard to believe that we are nearing the end of Term 2! We have our Student-Led Conferences coming up. These take place from 2:15-6:15 on Thursday, March 12th. There is no need to sign up for a specific time, but we invite you to join us when it works for your family and ask that all conferences wrap up by 6:15. Please note, Division 11 will have their student-led conferences on Monday, March 9th from 3:00-6:00.

Student-led conferences are an important part of the learning process. Your child(ren) will have the opportunity to share with you some of their learning this year. Your child will take 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.

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.

To facilitate a successful experience, we suggest:

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

Amelia Poitras
Principal, Lakeview Elementary

Dates to note:

- Mon. March 2 Fire Drill @ 10:15 am
- Fri. Feb. 6 Twin & Triplet Day
- Mon. March 9 Div. 11 Student-Led Conferences
- Tues. March 10 Primary Days of Music
- **Thurs. March 12 2:00 Dismissal**
- Thurs. March 12 Student Led Conference
- Fri. March 13 School Run
- **Fri. March 13 2:00 Dismissal**
- Fri. March 13 Learning Updates Home
- March 13-27th Spring Break



Congratulations to our girls basketball team who placed second overall in the district competitive basketball tournament. The girls played incredibly well as a team and represented Lakeview well. A huge thank you to Ms. Domino and Ms. Broadbent for their dedication in coaching our team! Well done everyone!

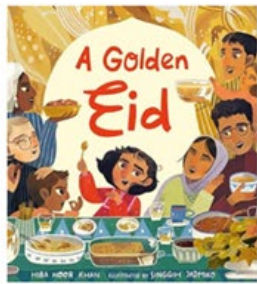


Buddy Reading

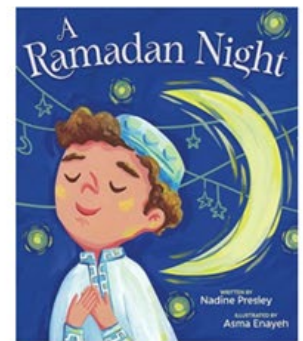
This week many of our Intermediate Classes partnered with our Primary Classes for Library Time! It was a treat to hear 50 happy voices reading aloud to one another! Students focused on how they could make one another feel welcome, how to approach meeting a new buddy, and show to share a story with someone new.

These shared reading experiences strengthen literacy skills, build confidence, and nurture our school community. We hope to host another buddy reading time soon!

A big thanks to Ms. Knapp, Ms. Ng, Ms. Mah, Mr. Opper, Ms. Mastromonaco, and Ms. Chung for their support and flexibility.



*Ramadan, Holi, Eid,
and Nowruz... in our
Library*



Spring Break CAMPS

Registration is on now for new Spring Break Camps put on by the Burnaby School District for children in Grades 4 to 8. Camps will last one week, with the option available to book both weeks, if desired (March 16 - 20 and March 23 - 27). The courses will allow students to try a new skill and have fun. Learn more and see the camp offerings [here](#).



BASKETBALL SPRING SESSION 2026

SPRING SESSION 2026 News:

Spring Session our classes will continue to focus on athletic and skill development. This Spring session will feature new classes directed at team skills and playing. Lessons can only do so much until they are executed in games at full speed. Learn to Play will feature game play based on numbers and lessons on team skills : spacing, transition, and team play basics.



MONDAY KITCHENER

Classes begin
April 13 - May 25



THURSDAY BUCKINGHAM

Classes begin
April 16 - May 21

TUESDAY PARKCREST

Classes begin
April 14 - May 19

FRIDAY TWELFTH AVENUE

Classes begin
April 17 - May 22



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