

• Friday, March 6, 2026

Lakeview Elementary Weekly News



Dear Lakeview Community,

Coming up, we have two opportunities to communicate student learning. The first is on Thursday, March 12th; we will have our Student-Led Conferences starting at 2:15-6:15. We ask that these conversations be wrapped up by 6:15, so please allow yourself enough time on the front end to have these conversations with your children. Please note, Division 11 will have their student-led conferences on Monday, March 9th from 3:00-6:00.

The next opportunity for communicating student learning is our Term 2 Learning Updates (Report Cards). These will be sent home on Friday, March 13th. As we have previously done, students will take home a physical copy of their learning update; we will ask that your child return their report envelope to school signed after spring break.

In Term 3, our final Learning Update, we will be moving online. This transition will streamline communication, reduces paper use, supports our sustainability goals, and provides families with easier access to their child's academic progress. It also aligns our K-7 practices with the secondary system, where all students already receive learning updates electronically. After Spring Break, I will be sending out information to families that will support you in creating your online account, so you will be able to access your child's learning update online.

Amelia Poitras
Principal, Lakeview Elementary

Dates to note:

- 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
- Mon. March 30 School Reopens
- Fri. April 3 Good Friday (No School)
- Mon. April 6 Easter Monday (No School)



PAC Meeting Monday at 7:00 pm via Zoom

Please join us on Monday, March 9th from 7:00-8:00.
We meet over Zoom, so find a comfortable spot at
home and join us if you can.

[Click to Join Zoom Meeting](#)



Thank you to Division 3 families for sharing delicious dishes that are meaningful in your culture. Students loved trying new foods and even shared with staff!

Word
Wednesday –
March 4th

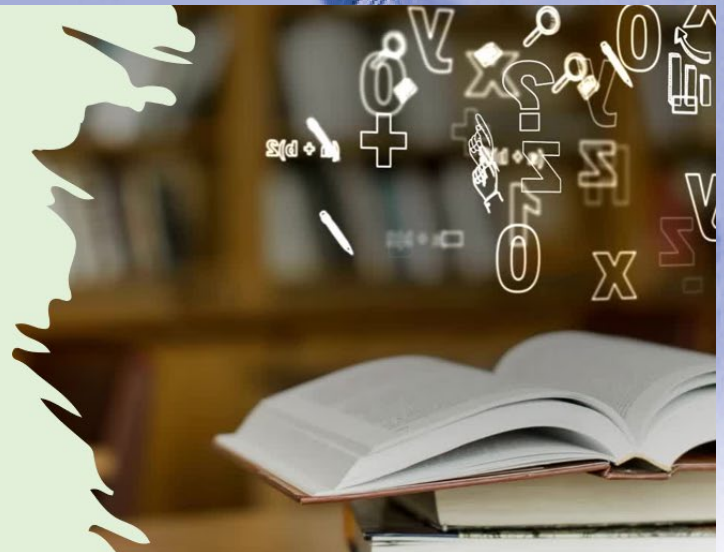
suggest: to put forward an idea
arguably: it can be reasonably
claimed
highlight: to draw attention to
something

We are still going strong with Word Wednesdays in our weekly announcements and posting the words and definitions in the school. Next week we will aim to have another Word Wednesday match-up before we break for Spring Break at Recess or Lunch, stay tuned! Ms. Buchanan

A note from the School Library

As Spring Break approaches, please check at home for any School Library books your child may have checked out. If they are finished with them, please return them to the classroom Library Bin (any day of the week). If you have questions about books checked out, please contact patricia.buchanan@burnabyschools.ca

Thank you for helping keep our library books circulating!



Battle of the Books 2026

Battle of the Books

The District Battle of the Books Program began this week with Division 1 and 2. Each student in the class is responsible for reading one of the featured texts as they compete in Groups of 10. Students showed such Leadership, Respect, and Dedication during the kick-off, I am sure they will do amazing this season! If you have a child in Division 1 or 2 make sure to ask them what book they are reading 😊 As always, feel free to reach out to patricia.buchanan@burnabyschools.ca with any questions.

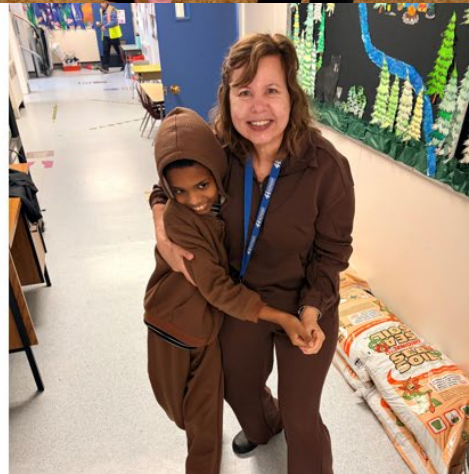


Twin and Triplet Day: Double the Laughs, Triple the Fun!

Twin & Triplet Day filled our school with giggles, matching outfits, and plenty of double-takes! Students teamed up with friends or staff to dress alike—everything from matching hoodies to perfectly coordinated crazy socks.

Teachers joined the fun too! Some matched with their students, others twinned or multiplied with coworkers. At times it was hard to tell who was staff and who were students!

It was a silly, spirited day that brought everyone a good smile.





LAKEVIEW HOT LUNCH FUNDRAISER



The school year has been flying by and this is our final hot lunch for the year. 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 we are adding four new local businesses to our hot lunch menu. They are: The Peri Peri Shack and Cora Breakfast. Our returning vendors are: Pizza Hut, Boston Pizza, White Spot, Subway, Dami Sushi and Agra Tandoori. We have one recess treat day this term that is TCBY frozen yogurt. Sports day this year is on June 19th and we will have limited concession that day so please feel free to order extra for yourself to your child's classroom.

This year some 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.

All orders are to be processed using Munch A Lunch. We will be opening the system for all orders on Friday March 6th and it will be closed Monday March 23rd at midnight.

*****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.

The hot lunch program can only run smoothly and for the two days a week with the help of parent volunteers. If you are able to help volunteer for about 1 hour once per school term it is greatly appreciated. We need volunteers on Thursday or Friday from 11:30 till 12:30. If you are able to help please email lakeviewelementary.hotlunch@gmail.com with your contact details. Thank you in advance for your help.



AFTER SCHOOL: LITTLE LEADERS AT LAKEVIEW ELEMENTARY

6-10 years

You can be a leader! Leadership fun for kids! Children will learn problem solving skills and build confidence in this fun and engaging program. It is the parent/guardian's responsibility to get children to the program.

Tuesdays, 4 sessions, \$30.90

Lakeview Elementary

Location: Library

April 7-April 28, 3:00pm-4:30pm

Activity Number: 106109

Registration starts at on Thursday, March 12th at 10am.

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Call 604-297-4838 or visit any Burnaby recreation centre

**For more information please contact: Brett Boland
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AFTER SCHOOL: OUTDOOR SPORTS AND GAMES AT LAKEVIEW ELEMENTARY

5-8 years

In this program, participants will take their energy outside for all their favourite outdoor sports and games including kickball, frisbee, racquet sports and more. It is the parent/guardian's responsibility to get children to the program.

Thursdays, 4 sessions, \$40.20

Lakeview Elementary

Location: Gym

May 21-June 11, 3:00pm-4:30pm

Activity Number: 106110

Registrations starts on Thursday, March 12th at 10am.

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