

Good Afternoon Boundary Families!

We hope you are doing well and settling into September routines. It feels as though cool temperatures and rain is around the corner!

BOUNDARY'S Weekly Update September 16-20

Monday September 16	Tuesday September 17	Wednesday September 18	Thursday September 19	Friday September 20
ALL KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS ARE AT FULL DAYS NOW – YAHOO! Chess Club starts 12:00pm multipurpose room		PHOTO DAY	OPEN HOUSE 5:30-6:30 ICE CREAMSOCIAL 6:30-7:30	Welcome back assembly Sport Club @3PM

QUICK MESSAGES FROM US to YOU

For those new to Boundary, and as a general reminder to all families, we do have a school request of parents that “special and personal toys”, especially yo-yo’s stay at home. When students bring their own toys from home, we are unable to guarantee the safety of others and find that personal or special toys create challenges and inequities amongst students. We are not responsible for toys that are lost or damaged, so we kindly ask that they be kept at home. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

We are very excited about our upcoming Open House on Thursday, September 19th from 5:30-6:30. We are changing things up a little this year to be a little less formal than the traditional "meet the teacher" evening. By inviting parents **and** their children to come meet “the teacher” we hope that the students are proud to share their classroom and take their parents on a tour of their school. Teachers will be in their classrooms and will be happy to share their routines and expectations for the year. While we invite parents and their children to move “organically” through the school, teachers will be sharing information at 5:30 and then will repeat their message at 6:00. At 6:30, we look forward to seeing everyone at the ice cream social in the gym.

Weather changes are imminent!! Thank you for packing a set of “dry clothes” to keep at school – especially socks and pants. For primary students, we require a set of “inside shoes” that students change into after being outside in boots, etc. Students learn better when they are dry and comfortable.

School lunches and snacks and the request for allergy friendly foods. Many classrooms are “nut aware,” meaning some students in the classroom may have a nut allergy (mild to life threatening) and therefore a school request is that things like peanut butter sandwiches, Nutella, products containing nuts are not permitted. If your child has a food or other allergy, please ensure the classroom teacher and office have been notified. Thank you for helping us create a safer environment for all students.

Listed below are 4 optional programs being offered this term.... Links for registration are provided.

Boundary Grade 1-3 Multi-Sport After School Program

Dates: Fridays Sept 13 - Dec 13th (9 Pro-rated Sessions)

Times: 3:00 - 4:30

Grades: 1-3

Cost: \$270 + GST

This excitement filled program focuses on FUN, physical literacy and sport skill improvement through fun games and activities. Participants will move through a variety of sports such as basketball, soccer, tennis, football, hockey, volleyball, handball, and more. Participants will be fully submerged in the world of sports and are bound to leave the day with a smile on their face, eager for the next day!

See for yourself! [Multi-Sport Trailer](#)

NOTE: This is a non-competitive program and is suitable for athletes of any experience or level!

Register Here: [Boundary Multi-Sport](#)

Boundary Grade 2- 7 CHESS CLUB – Monday's at lunch

Dates: Monday's September 16-December 2nd

Grades: 2-7

Cost: \$100 for 10 weeks

Register here: eoleboundarychessclubfall2024.eventbrite.ca

Light's Up! Afterschool Drama Club

FALL SHOW! SCOOPY DOO!

Scooby Doo, Where are You?! This Fall, we will be putting on a musical specially written for our afterschool students based on the "Scooby Doo" cartoons and series. Join the Mystery Inc. Gang and solve the mystery of the spooky theme park with us! Students are supervised from the bell. No need to pick up your child until 5pm! Performance for parents on the last day of classes! After School Thursdays

SEPT 26-NOV 28 (9 SESSIONS)

***no class Oct 24**

3PM-5:15PM

GRADES: K to 7

Fee: \$365* (*plus GST)

<https://lightsuptheatre.ca/afterschool/boundary/>

AFTER SCHOOL FARSI CLUB

[Farsi Afterschool @ Boundary - Fallbit.ly](https://www.facebook.com/FarsiAfterschool@Boundary-Fallbit.ly)

[Farsi Afterschool @ Boundary - Fall \(farsidarbc.ca\)](https://www.facebook.com/FarsiAfterschool@Boundary-Fall(farsidarbc.ca))

SCHOOL REMINDERS AND ROUTINES

- Please communicate absences by: email to boundary@sd44.ca & teacher(s), school messenger or the absence line 604-903-3264
- *Please complete student forms and return to teacher by September 16th*
- *MyEd Parent Portal accounts will not be activated until next week*
- *Thank you for ensuring your emails are up to date – check your junk mail if you are new to receiving mail from Boundary*
- Safety reminder for students riding scooters: thank you for wearing helmets and thank you for walking your scooter while on school property
- **Food Access Program** – we will continue to offer a small assortment of fruit in the front foyer for students who forget their lunch. At this time of year, please consider packing an extra piece of fruit in your child's lunch if you are able to. Students seem to be very hungry right now!!

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PAC –

Engage with us on Instagram and Facebook @boundarypac

Check out what's coming up and how to get involved. We need parent support to make our initiatives happen - thank you!

Ice cream social

The Ice Cream Social is Thursday, Sept.19, from 6:30-7:30 p.m., immediately after the Welcome Back Open House. To volunteer, please sign-up here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084AAFAB29A1F8C07-50774700-boundary#.

NEW: Skip the line and purchase your tickets in advance at <https://boundary.hotlunches.net/admin/>.

FreshSchools is how we keep parents informed with the latest and greatest Visit boundarypac.ca to sign up for this platform, so you don't miss out and stay up-to-date on all Boundary-related events and fundraisers.

We need class reps for Ms Fletcher's and Mme Hall's class! If you can help, please contact secretary@boundarypac.ca.

Kindy welcome

Kindergarten families are invited to connect over coffee and treats on Monday, Sept. 23. Meet in the undercover area from 8:30-9:15 a.m.

Boundary PAC (virtual) meeting

Join us for the Boundary PAC meeting from 7-8 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 26. Link to follow shortly.

Boundary BOOgie

Mark your calendars! The family Halloween dance is back, better than ever on Thursday, Oct. 24 from 6-8 p.m. Details and ticket info to come.

Boundary BOOGie Committee

We are looking for volunteers to plan the Halloween dance. Please email chair@boundarypac.ca if you are interested.

Hot lunch

Hot lunch registration is open! All students must register each year using code BEHL: <https://boundaryhotlunches.net/admin/>. Hot lunch runs on Tuesdays and all orders / changes must be made by Monday of the week prior. The first hot lunch date is Tuesday, Sept. 24. Check out the FAQ

at <https://boundarypac.ca/support-our-school/hot-lunch/> for important info. We are also looking for 2-3 more volunteers. Please email hotlunchboundary@gmail.com.

We need treasurer support and ongoing event volunteers Please contact chair@boundarypac.ca if you are interested in helping out our school community

TERRY FOX RUN – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Wednesday, September 25th 1:00pm

- Terry Fox Run is rain or shine. Please be prepared
- We are collecting Quarters on Monday, Sept. 23rd, Loonies on Tuesday, Sept. 24th and Ttoonies on September 25th. Dollar bills will be accepted on Thursday Sept. 26th and Friday, Sept. 27th
- If you would like to volunteer as a course marshal, please contact Mme. Hall at LHall@sd44.ca. All volunteers are asked to fill in the district Volunteer form

NEW BELL SCHEDULE

8:50	Entry Bell
8:55	Instruction begins
10:20-10:40	Recess
10:40-12:00	Instruction
12:00-12:20	Students Eat First
12:20-12:45	Students Play Outside
12:45	Warning bell
12:50- 3:00	Instruction

**Please Note – there are three items to correct in student planners – teachers will review this with students and we ask that you note the following corrections:

- First page – bell schedule – 8:55 start of instruction , not 8:53 as indicated
- 10:40 – 12:00 is missing. Oops.
- Second page – October pro day is the 25th NOT 18th as listed

Please check you junk mail if you are not receiving emails or you have seen a reduction of emails from the school and school district. The district is aware of issues with @Shaw, @Hotmail, and @Yahoo accounts having difficulties with MyEd and School Messenger communications. Please check with your child's classroom teacher if you think you've missed anything.

HELPFUL WEBSITE LINKS:

North Vancouver School District Website: [click here](#)

École Boundary School Website: [click here](#)

École Boundary School Plan: [click here](#)

Argyle School Website: [click here](#)

New Reporting resources for parents and caregivers: [click here](#)

North Shore Family Services: [click here](#)

North Vancouver District Public Libraries: [click here](#)

North Vancouver Recreation: [click here](#)

ICBC - [Back to school: ICBC shares safety tips for drivers, parents and caregivers](#)

NVRCMP - [BC RCMP - Pedestrian safety \(remp-grc.gc.ca\)](#)

NVSD - [Safe and Active Travel - North Vancouver School District \(sd44.ca\)](#)

WVSD - [Safe and active routes to school | West Vancouver Schools](#)

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!