

Week at a Glance: January 20 - 24

Monday, January 20

No events

Tuesday, January 21

• Homework Club (8:15 am)

Wednesday, January 22

No events

Thursday, January 23

No events

Friday, January 24

- Homework Club (8:15 am)
- Hot Lunch Sushi

Upcoming Dates:

- Jan 29 Lunar New Year
- Jan 31 Hot lunch (Pizza/TCBY)

- Feb 01 Black History Month
- Feb 05 Kindergarten Hearing Test
- Feb 07 Hot lunch (Subway/Booster Juice)
- Feb 14 Valentine's Day
- Feb 14 District Professional Day (NO SCHOOL)

Intention of the Week:



Information & Updates:



RETURN-IT! AN ONGOING FUNDRAISER

Larson is excited to announce another great fundraiser for our school. Please consider collecting and saving your recyclables to donate as proceeds will go directly to PALS so they can continue to support students and classrooms.

- Return your recyclables and help out our school!
- Put your containers in clear plastic bags (no sorting needed)
- Enter the school's phone # 604-903-3570 at ANY Return-It drop-off location
- The refund will be deposited into the PALS Return-It account

Click HERE to learn more or donate!



BEGINNING BAND FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

We are excited to announce that Larson has the opportunity to offer Beginning Band for next year. Registration is open on January 13 for students in grades 5-7. Please note that the ability to offer a program at Ecole Larson is contingent on several factors:

- Enrolment The Band and Strings program operates on a cost-recovery basis, meaning it is funded directly by registration fees.
- Staffing Within the NVSD, equity within our schools is a priority. To ensure all schools
 receive programming, those requesting a second program may not be granted both
 Band and Strings, regardless of enrollment.
- Physical Space and Scheduling Each school must have the physical space and scheduling capacity.

This registration process will include Beginning Band only at Larson. Details of this wonderful program, including the ability to register, can be found on the <u>Elementary Band and Strings'</u> <u>webpage</u>.

Click $\underline{\mathsf{HERE}}$ for more information.

Celebrating Student Learning:



1 - Artwork from Division E03 (Ms. Hollingsworth)



2 - Artwork from Division E04 (Ms. Goodman)



3 - Artwork from Division F04 (Mme. McCurrach/Mme. Terrillon)



4 - Artwork from Division F03 (Mme. Stachowiak)

Message from PALS:



TWO RIVERS MEAT FUNDRAISER NOW OPEN FOR ORDERS!

- ORDER NOW!! Support our school by purchasing local, quality meats. A portion of every order goes directly to Larson PALS!
- Order Deadline: Sunday, February 23, at midnight
- Pick-Up: March 10-14 (Monday-Friday) at Two Rivers in North Vancouver



KEEPING KIDS SAFE ONLINE - FREE WEBINAR

- SECURE YOUR SPOT NOW!
- What You'll Learn: Tips to keep children safe on apps, social media, and gaming platforms.
- Note: This presentation is for adults only and is NOT intended for children.
- When: Wednesday, January 29
- Time: 6:30 PM 7:45 PM PST (1 hour 15 minutes)



GRADE 7 TREAT SALES ARE BACK ON!

- Now offering POPCORN in addition to fun treats!
- Every Friday outside of the gym for \$2 per treat
- Rain or Shine! If raining, the sales table will relocate to under cover area next to the gym.

PALS EXECUTIVE: VOLUNTEER POSITION OPENINGS!

Join Our Small, but Mighty Team! We're looking for parents to join the Larson PALS Executive team and help organize events and fundraisers. Your support provides essential resources for our kids, like new technology, supplies, field trips, and special events. These roles require minimal time and can be done from home. Interested? Email us at: larsonpals1@gmail.com

TRAFFIC SAFETY COORDINATORS

Responsibilities:

- Help improve school traffic safety and coordinate activities like "Bike to School Week"
- Communicate with the City, District, and school administration on safety issues.

Commitment:

• Flexible, about 1-2 hours per month, plus time for key events

Why Join?

Make a meaningful impact on student safety and work with a supportive team.

COMMUNICATION COORDINATORS

Responsibilities:

- Assist with emails, social media, and updates for events and programs.
- Update the parent database annually in September/October.

Commitment:

- Around 1 hour per week, more during busy times (holidays, major events).
- Perfect for parents who can volunteer from home and respond to requests promptly.

What We're Looking For:

- Strong written communication and attention to detail.
- Experience with social media and email management.

Why Join?

• Perfect for parents who love writing, organizing, and connecting with the community.

FUN LUNCH TEAM COORDINATORS

Are you free on Fridays and want to support our school? The Fun Lunch program is one of our largest fundraisers each year, and they're looking for new volunteers as some of our long-time helpers are moving on. There are roles that can be done from home or at the school on Fridays!

It's a great way to meet other parents and be part of the school community!

Please join us today! Email us at: larsonpals1@gmail.com



