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# Upper Lynn e-News

November 11, 2024

Important Dates & Reminders for the Week of November 11 to November 15, 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
11	12	13	14	15
Remembrance Day School is Closed	Field Hockey Begins  Kindergarten Hearing Screening		<b>Grade 7 Boys</b> Basketball Finals	<b>Hot Lunch</b> Foodie Kids

# **Upcoming Dates**

- Monday November 11 Remembrance Day Schools are Closed
- Tuesday November 12-14 Field Hockey Begins
- Tuesday November 12 Kindergarten Hearing Screening
- Thursday November 14 Grade 7 Boys Basketball Finals
- Friday November 15 Hot Lunch Foodie Kids
- Monday November 18 Hot Lunch Sushi/Maxfruit
- Monday November 18 PAC Meeting (online); 7pm
- Friday November 22 Hot Lunch Magic Lunch Box
- Friday November 22 Parent Social
- Saturday November 23 Wolf Pack Game
- Monday November 25 Hot Lunch Well Fed
- Monday November 25 29 Scholastic Book Fair
- Friday November 29 Hot Lunch Subway
- Monday December 2 Parent Speaker Series; 7pm
- Friday December 6 District Wide Pro-D Students not in Session
- Friday December 6 Babysitting Course
- Tuesday December 10 Young Entrepreneur; 3:30

# **Upper Lynn News**

#### Save The Date

All Upper Lynn students in grades K-6 will have an opportunity to share what they have been learning in music class in our school-wide music concerts this coming January. Concerts will be held in the Upper Lynn gymnasium. Due to space constraints in the gym, we kindly request that only two adults per family attend the concert.

January 21 6:30pm Primary Concert (K-3)
January 22 6:30pm Intermediate Concert (4-6)

# Parking / Stopping

We kindly remind everyone to avoid parking, stopping, or making U-turns in our neighbors' driveways, including the construction site across the street, when dropping off or picking up students. While it may seem convenient, blocking driveways disrupts access and can prevent property owners from carrying out their work. Please be mindful of signage and help us maintain positive relationships with our neighbors by keeping driveways clear and accessible. Thank you for your cooperation in respecting our community.

#### Scholastic Book Fair

The Scholastic Book Fair will be coming to Upper Lynn on Monday, November 25 – Friday, November 29. The Book Fair will be open at lunch recess for selected grades and after school until 4 pm for everyone.

Monday lunch: Kindergarten and Grade 1

Tuesday lunch: Grades 2 and 3 Wednesday lunch: Grades 4 and 5 Thursday lunch: Grades 6 and 7 Friday lunch: Open to all students

Monday to Friday 3:10 to 4 pm: Open to all

# Toys at School

As we work together to create a focused and productive learning environment, we kindly ask that all toys remain at home. While we understand that toys can be a source of comfort and fun, they can also become a distraction during the school day and may be at risk of getting lost or damaged. Our goal is to minimize these interruptions and ensure that students can fully engage in their learning and activities. Thank you for helping us keep school a place for education, exploration, and growth!

## DMA Lite Academy

Join us for the Digital Media Youth EXPO at Argyle Secondary School on Saturday, December 7th, from noon to 3:00 pm! This free community event is the perfect opportunity for students and families to explore careers in digital media, attend presentations, and participate in engaging discussion groups. Discover exciting paths in the world of digital media, connect with industry professionals, and get inspired about future opportunities. Don't miss this chance to learn more and explore the dynamic world of digital media. We hope to see you there!

# **PAC News**

#### **PAC Meeting**

Next PAC meeting is November 18th - 7pm via Zoom. Link will be sent out closer to the date.

## Speaker Series - update!

We are excited to confirm our next speaker on Monday December 2nd (7-8pm) will be Sharon Selby, a local Registered Clinical Counsellor. She will present:

"Parenting in the Digital Era - Understanding the Risks and Mental Health Correlation"

https://sharonselby.com/

#### Hot Lunch

Please send cutlery! In the past we have had an emergency supply in the PAC kitchen, but this will NOT be available for the 2024/2025 school year. We are trying to reduce landfill!

### **Fundraising**

Last chance for our holiday season fundraisers! Ordering is open for both fundraisers and will close on Wednesday, November 13, 2024.

Pick up for all orders will be on Thursday, November 28, 2024, from 2:45pm to 4:00pm at the school.

#### **Poinsettias**

For all your holiday decor/plant needs we have our annual poinsettia fundraiser. In addition to poinsettias, there are lots of other great options (indoor planters and wreaths, just to name a few). To find out more about this great fundraiser and to get the link to place your order click here.

#### **Purdys**

We also have our annual Purdys fundraiser. To find out more about the tasty treats available this year and to get the link to place your order <u>click here</u>.

#### Parent Social

The highly anticipated Parent Social is back! Tickets are now live on MunchaLunch - \$35 per person which includes one free drink, entertainment by DJ Barron S and plenty of grazing style food!

We hope you will join us on Friday November 22nd for Neon Nights!

## **ULE Babysitters!**

- Need a babysitter? Maybe you have an awesome party to attend on November 22<sup>nd</sup>?
- Do you have a kid interested in offering babysitting services?
- Do you have a kid offering babysitting services but contact details need updating?

Please access the modifiable document linked below: Upper Lynn Babysitting Contact List 2023-2024

#### Financial Assistance

Financial assistance is available for families that need to participate in any of the PAC events, or to purchase Hot Lunches, Spirit Wear, Orange shirts and Pink shirts. Please contact Mr. MacLeod at <a href="mailto:tmacleod@sd44.ca">tmacleod@sd44.ca</a>.

## PAC Facebook Group, Website and Email

The PAC email is upperlynnpac@gmail.com

The PAC has a website https://upperlynnpac.weebly.com

We also have a Facebook group ULE PAC Parent Group

# Reminders

#### Grade 7 Basketball

The Grade 7 Boys Basketball Team is heading to the district finals at Mountains! Best of luck to our players as they face Braemar in their opening game. A win will advance them to the next two rounds. Let's cheer them on – Go Bears!

## Upper Lynn at the Wolfpack Game

Come out for a fun night of hockey, friends, and community. Bring your family and friends to cheer on the North Vancouver Wolfpack, hear the Upper Lynn choirs sing the national anthem, and raise funds for our school. Wolfpack players will be visiting our school the week before the game to meet our students.

When: Saturday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>; 7p.m.

Where: Harry Jerome Arena

**Price**: Adults \$15 Kids \$10 (50% of all ticket proceeds will go back to Upper Lynn Elementary)

To Purchase: <a href="https://show.ps/l/0614f03c/">https://show.ps/l/0614f03c/</a>

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