

ÉCOLE ROBB ROAD ÉLÉMENTAIRE / Comox Valley School (SD71)

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The RR Weekly – October 1st-4th

Dear Robb Road Families,

We hope everyone was able to enjoy a reflective long weekend for National Truth and Reconciliation Day. We hit October and Fall in full stride this week:

- **1. Student Photo Day** Lifetouch will be at École Robb Road this Wednesday, October 2nd, for individual student photos and class photos. Individual photo re-take day is October 30th.
- **2. Terry Fox Fundraising Total** Thanks to your tremendous generosity, École Robb Road raised 2700\$ for the Terry Fox Foundation. Students earned their extra recess time Friday for reaching and surpassing our fundraising goals.

3. Messages from your PAC

Hot lunch - Oct 3rd - Pizza

- <u>4. School District Strategic Plan</u> The School District's Board of Education has been working with partner groups and stakeholders since last year to develop a new strategic plan to guide learning for all students. <u>Comox Valley Schools Strategic Plan</u>
- <u>5. World Teachers' Day</u> October 5th (Saturday) is World Teachers' Day and we are very grateful for the skilled, dedicated and hard-working teaching professionals at École Robb Road. Every day, they strive to make a positive difference in the lives of our students. Thank you teachers!
- 6. Whooping Cough Letter from Island Health Please click for a letter from Island Health

7. Learning Workshops for Parents:

- i) Parenting without Power Struggles
- ii) Connecting with our Kids when Anxiety Leads to Social Isolation
- iii) A Conversation for Families about Digital Wellbeing and Mental Health
- iv) Sexual Health Series for Teens aged 12-17

8. Grade 4 and 5 Basketball – Free Drop-in sessions in the gym for grade 4 and 5 RR students. It'll run Friday evenings from 7:15 pm to 8:15 pm. The first session will be Friday October 4. It's drop-in with no commitment needed to attend every week.

<u>9. Story Festival in Fanny Bay</u> – <u>Please click here</u> for information on a Story Festival in Fanny Bay October 5th.

10. Dates to Remember

Tuesday, October 1st – Fire Drill @ 10:30 am
Wednesday, October 2nd – Student Photo Day
Wednesday, October 2nd – Cross Country race @ Brooklyn
Friday, October 4th – Vision testing for grades 2, 4, 7 (afternoon)
Friday, October 4th – Grade 4/5 Basketball Drop-in 7:15-8:15
Wednesday, October 9th – Cross Country race @ Cumberland
Monday, October 14th – No School - Thanksgiving
Wednesday, October 16th – Cross Country race @ Airport
Thursday, October 17th – Earthquake drill @ 10:30 am
Wednesday, October 23rd – Cross Country race @ Huband

Have a great week!

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Stéphane LeBlanc Directeur/Principal École Robb Road Elementary

I respectfully acknowledge that we are on the unceded traditional territory of the Pentlatch, E'iksan, Sahtloot and Sasitla Peoples (K'omoks First Nations) and am thankful for the privilege of living on the land and the gift of working with their children.