



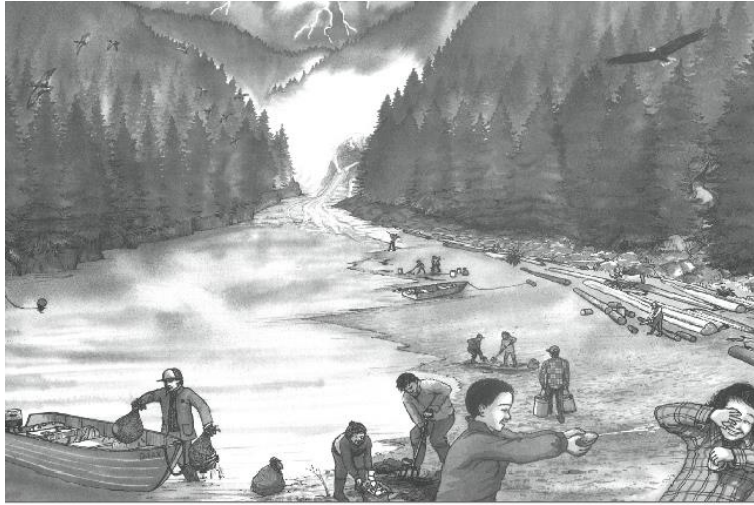
# Roosevelt Park Community School

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## École Communautaire Roosevelt Parc

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Ha'lilaxsits'a'ax: Clam Digging in November



Clam Digging, from Tsimslian Seasonal Rounds Poster Set (Ha'lilaxsits'a'ax—November poster). Artist: Judy Hilgemann. FNES SD 52

Nov. 7, 2024

### Newsletter #4

Dear parents,

It was nice to see many of you during our early dismissal days at the book fair and meeting with your child's teacher. We had a really fun day on Halloween with a parade and dance and it was great to see all the students so excited in their costumes! Thank you to Michael Cote for doing the music for the dance!

#### Remembrance Day

We will have our Remembrance Day Assembly at 11:00 on Friday, Nov. 8. Everyone is encouraged to wear red and black. There will be some presentations from students and parents are welcome to attend. Thank you to Ms. Ellwood for organizing this!

#### PAC (Parent Advisory Council)

All parents are welcome to be part of the Roosevelt PAC and attend the PAC meetings. It is a great way to be involved and support your child's learning at school! The PAC AGM happened in October and this year's executive was elected. The next meeting is Monday, Nov. 18. Hope to see you there! Please let the office know if you need childcare.

**Elections have been held.** Congratulations and thank you to this year's executive!

PAC Chair: Michael Cote

Secretary: Aisa Smithanik

Treasurer: Tracy Robinson

DPAC Rep: Tracy Robinson

Canadian Parents for French Rep: Ashley Sandy

#### Canadian Parents for French

Canadian Parents for French (CPF) is a national network of parents, volunteers, and advocates dedicated to the promotion and creation of French-second-language learning opportunities for young Canadians. We had a great turn out to the first event of the year! The next meeting is Tuesday, Dec. 3 at 7:00 in the library.

### Dress for the Weather!

Looks like we have some rainy and cold weather here! The students will be going outside, so please make sure they are dressed appropriately. Prince Rupert is a rainy place, so rain gear is helpful for those days. An extra set of clothes for all ages is a great idea!

### Badminton

Mr. Singh has started working with interested grade 4 and 5 students who would like to play badminton during our lunch hours over the next few weeks. We will be choosing 2 mixed boy/girl teams (4 students and possibly a spare team as well) for this day on Nov. 30 at the Civic Centre between 9:00-12:00. Such a great lifelong sport! Come on out to watch and support our teams!

**Fresh to You Fundraiser:** The veggies will be arriving on Nov. 20. Watch for details about pick-up times. Thank you to everyone who supported our garden project and to Ms. Boker for organizing and Ms. Monette for dealing with the money!



### Children's Christmas Bazaar

This will be on Wednesday, Dec. 18. We are excited to host this event where students can go "shopping" to buy Christmas gifts for their family and friends. Items will be 25 cents each and students will each be able to purchase at least one and likely 2 or 3 items.

We will be looking for lots of donations of gently used items (no clothes or stuffies) that can be purchased for gifts by the students, **so start sending in your treasures any time!** Some suggestions are: Christmas items, toys, games, purses, mugs, jewelry, pictures, housewares, etc. Don't forget things for the men! You can start sending things in at the beginning of December and we will need items in by Tuesday, Dec. 17.

We will be looking for some parent help to set up Tuesday afternoon and some help during the day on Wednesday as well to help supervise, wrap gifts, collect money and/or clean-up at the end of the day. As well, we will be having a wrapping station, so we are looking for **donations of wrapping paper, gift bags, ribbon, gift tags,** etc. Should be a wonderful event!

**Winter Concert:** We will be having a Winter Concert at the Lester Center on Monday, Dec. 16 in the evening. More details to come. Mark it in your calendar!

### School Supplies

Just a friendly reminder to pay for your child's school supplies if you haven't done so already, \$30 for grades K-2 and \$35 for grades 3-5. We have set up E-transfer which can be sent to [Laura.Monette@sd52.bc.ca](mailto:Laura.Monette@sd52.bc.ca), security answer "supplies". You can also pay in person at the office with cash or cheque. Thank you!



### Important Dates to Note

Date	Event
November 8	Remembrance Day Assembly at 11:00, everyone encouraged to wear Red and Black
November 11	Remembrance Day stat: no school
November 18	PAC meeting at 7:00 in the library



November 19	Board meeting at 7:00
November 20	Veggie Delivery
November 22	PROD: no school for students
November 28	Assembly at 11:00, <b>Spirit Day: Jersey Day</b>
November 30	Badminton Play Day (gr. 4/5) from 9:00-12:00
December 3	CPF meeting at 7:00
December 6	Report cards home
December 15	District Winter Band concert at 2:00
December 16	Roosevelt Winter concert at the Lester Center in the evening
December 17	Board meeting at 7:00
December 18	Children's Christmas Bazaar
December 20	Last day before Winter Break

*T'oyaxsmt 'nüüsm, Merci, and Thank you!*

Sincerely,

Debra Fabbi, Principal

Mike McDowall, Vice-Principal

Please call if you have any questions.

It was a happy Halloween!





