

Preparing Hearts And Minds For The Future



GREENDALE FAMILY FRIDAY MEMO

DATES TO NOTE

Jan 24	Non-Instructional Day - No School for Students
Feb 1	Grade 5 Bottle Drive
Feb 13	Red, White & Pink Day
Feb 14 & 17	Pro D Day & Family Day long weekend
Feb 28	Early Dismissal (11:00am)
Mar 7	Term 2 Ends
Mat 17-28	Spring Break (reopens on Mar 31)

DID YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN PAY FOR FIELD TRIPS NOW ONLINE!?

Visit the same website you signed up to pay for school supplies. If you have any questions, please contact the school office. Field trip fees will be added when we send home permission forms. Click the link below to the SD33 QuickPay site

[CLICK HERE](#)

TOMORROW

Non-Instructional Day

Fri, Jan 24th

No school for students

Help Ashton Fight Cancer and Support His Family



Ashton, a bright and beloved Grade 1 student at Greendale Elementary, has spent the last 7 months in the hospital battling cancer. His fight has been long and difficult, and he has had to miss his entire Grade 1 school year so far. Despite the challenges, Ashton remains resilient and full of heart.

To support Ashton and his family during this incredibly difficult time, Greendale Elementary has partnered with West Coast Seeds for a special fundraiser. Ashton's mom, a local artist and small flower farmer, works from home and his dad is on leave from work so they can stay by his side while managing the financial strain of ongoing medical expenses & care for their other 3 children. Their family's love for gardening and nature has been a source of hope and healing, and this fundraiser reflects that spirit of growth and renewal.

All proceeds from this fundraiser will go toward Ashton's medical expenses and helping his family maintain their small flower farm, a vital source of strength and livelihood. By contributing, you're helping Ashton on his journey to recovery.

Let's come together to show Ashton and his family that they're not alone in this fight. Every donation makes a meaningful impact.

Fundraiser starts on January 31-February 16. Link to follow.



FLOOR HOCKEY TEAM

JANUARY 31ST @ CHEAM ELEMENTARY

Next Meeting:

Feb 24, 8:30am in school Library

Hot Lunch
February 27th





family movie night

SATURDAY JANUARY 25, 2025



6:10pm Doors Opens

6:30pm Movie Starts

\$2.00 Admission

Popcorn sales prior to movie & during intermission

Bring your comfy blankets and pillows!

(Please no camping/folding chairs as they block other's view)



KINDERGARTEN 2025-2026 REGISTRATION



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION IS OPEN!
Chilliwack schools are accepting Kindergarten registrations for September 2025.
IF YOUR CHILD WILL BE FIVE YEARS OLD BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 2025, PLEASE REGISTER AT:
<https://sd33.bc.ca/registration>

Chilliwack School District
#sd33learns
604-792-1321
www.sd33.bc.ca

REGISTER NOW!!

Spots are filling up!



CAMP SQUEAH BOTTLE DRIVE

DATE: Saturday, February 1st

TIME: 9:30-11:30AM

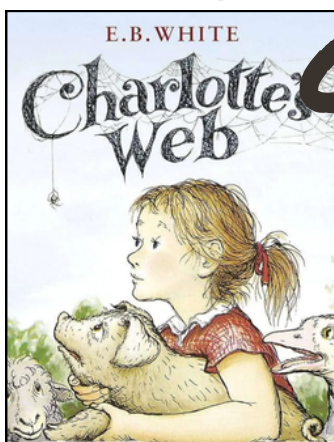
PLACE: Greendale Elementary School

HOW: It's easy! You have 2 options:

- 1) Fill your bag(s) with empty bottle and cans. Leave the bags at the end of your driveway on Saturday morning and we will pick them up! (We will be going all around Greendale, west of Lickman Rd)
- 2) Bring your bottles to the school before 11am.


THANK YOU! FOR HELPING US GET TO CAMP

ONE SCHOOL ONE BOOK



Visit the school website to view the reading calendar and where you can listen to the read-alouds of each chapter!

CLICK HERE



INCLEMENT WEATHER SCHOOL CLOSURE GUIDELINES

Information for Parents and Students

Inclement weather conditions such as freezing rain, significant snowfall or high wind can occur during the fall and winter months. In such conditions, decisions on the opening or closure of school district facilities are made by the Superintendent of Schools in consultation with management and supervisory staff who have checked first-hand on the driving conditions, walking/sidewalk conditions, and general condition of buildings and accessibility to sites. For more details on how this is done, [click here](#).

While service to students and parents is a priority and schools will be kept open as much as is reasonably possible, student and staff safety is the primary consideration.

In the event of extreme weather conditions, parents are urged to check the **School District website** www.sd33.bc.ca or tune into radio stations **STAR FM (98.3 FM)** or **JR COUNTRY (89.5 FM)**, to receive up-to-date information on school closures and information on bussing. Reports will start after 6:00 a.m. and will be repeated often. There is no need to call your school, the School District Office or the radio station.

When there is extreme weather and schools remain open, student attendance is the parent/guardians' decision.

A **Transportation Snow Plan** is in place for students who rely on travel by school bus and live in **higher elevations** such as Chilliwack Mountain, Little Mountain, Majuba Hill, Ryder Lake and some areas of Columbia Valley and the Eastern Hillides. An announcement will be made should travel in these areas become challenging due to slippery road conditions.

All inclement weather announcements will be posted on the District website www.sd33.bc.ca

READY, SET Explore!

Your local school is hosting an open house for preschoolers and their parents! **Ready, Set, Explore** is a series of fun and informative events focusing on early childhood learning.

Ready, Set, Explore is a great opportunity to connect with your preschooler's future neighborhood school. **Ready, Set, Explore** events can include interactive play activities for children and their parents, a time to meet and connect with school staff, school tours, visits to the school library and other activities that support preschool aged children's learning.

Please note: Dates and times are subject to change, please contact the school prior to attending.

School	Ready Set Learn	Time
Bernard	February 26	11:00-12:00
Central	May 23	1:00-2:00
Cheam	April 24	10:30-12:00
Cultus Lake	April 8	12:45-1:45
East Chilliwack	February 24	9:00-10:00
Evans	April 10	9:30-11:00
Greendale	February 24	10:30-11:30
Leary IAT	February 11	8:45-9:45
Little Mountain	February 12	8:45-11:50
McCammion	May 23	12:45-1:45
Promontory	May 27	8:45-11:30
Robertson	TBD	TBD
Rosedale	April 7	9:00-11:00
Sardis	February 7	1:00-2:00
Stitt's	May 2	9:15-10:45
Strathcona	TBD	TBD
Tyson	February 21	9:00-10:00
Unsworth	January 30	9:00-11:00
Vedder	May 28	8:30-11:30
Watson	February 19	10:30-11:30
Varrow	TBD	TBD

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One heart, one mind, working together for a common purpose.

