



Northridge Elementary School

WEEKLY UPDATE
Friday Nov. 17

Important Messages



Drum Circle: This past Wednesday we had our very first Drum Circle led by Mrs. Maxwell. It was well attended by many who were interested in drumming and singing together! Our next session is Wednesday at 2:45 in the gym. Everyone is welcome!



Professional Development Day on Monday: Just a reminder that there is no school on Monday for students. Our educators will be collaborating on our school goals as we learn more about the Indigenous Spirit Animals and the gifts we can learn from them. We will also be collaborating in grade groups to learn more about how to support our students in writing.



Feeding the Future Fund: As you may know, The Ministry of Education has given all schools in the province money to help directly off-set food costs for students and families. At Northridge, we are able to help off-set costs by providing grocery gift cards, providing snacks in the office, and paying for hot lunch days. Please email Lindsay Swan directly (lswan@sd61.bc.ca) if we can support your family in any of the above ways.



Head Lice: It's that time of year again! We are noticing an increase in the number of incidents of head lice in our classes. This is a friendly reminder to give your child's head a quick scan. If you require assistance in treatment, please contact the school office.

UPCOMING DATES

- Friday November 17th: Board Game Café Night. 5:30 to 7:30 in the gym
- Sunday November 19th: Northridge Swim Club Swim Meet 9:30 -1:00
- Monday November 20th: No school for students
- Tuesday November 21:
 - 8:00 Strings
 - 12:10 Choir Practice
 - 3:15 Swim Club
- Wednesday November 22:
 - 8:00 Strings
 - 10:35 Fire Drill
 - 12:10 Rainbow Club
 - 2:45 Drum Circle
- Thursday November 23rd:
 - 10:35 Monthly Assembly
 - 2:45 Soccer in the gym
- Friday November 25th:
 - Funky Sock Day!

Please remember to check out our website for important dates and information:

<https://northridge.sd61.bc.ca/>

