

WEEK
at a
GLANCE

**ANDERSON
EAGLES**



NOV 4 - NOV 8

ANDERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Principal: Mr. C. Daum | Vice-Principal: Mr. C. Chan

Upcoming events

PHOTO RETAKE DAY | WED, NOV 6

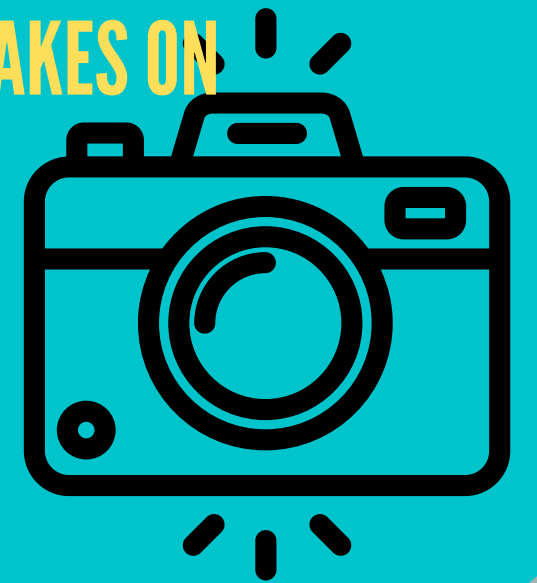
REMEMBRANCE DAY ASSEMBLY | FRI, NOV 8

PRIMARY ASSEMBLY @ 9:10AM

INTERMEDIATE ASSEMBLY @ 10:30AM

Photo Retakes

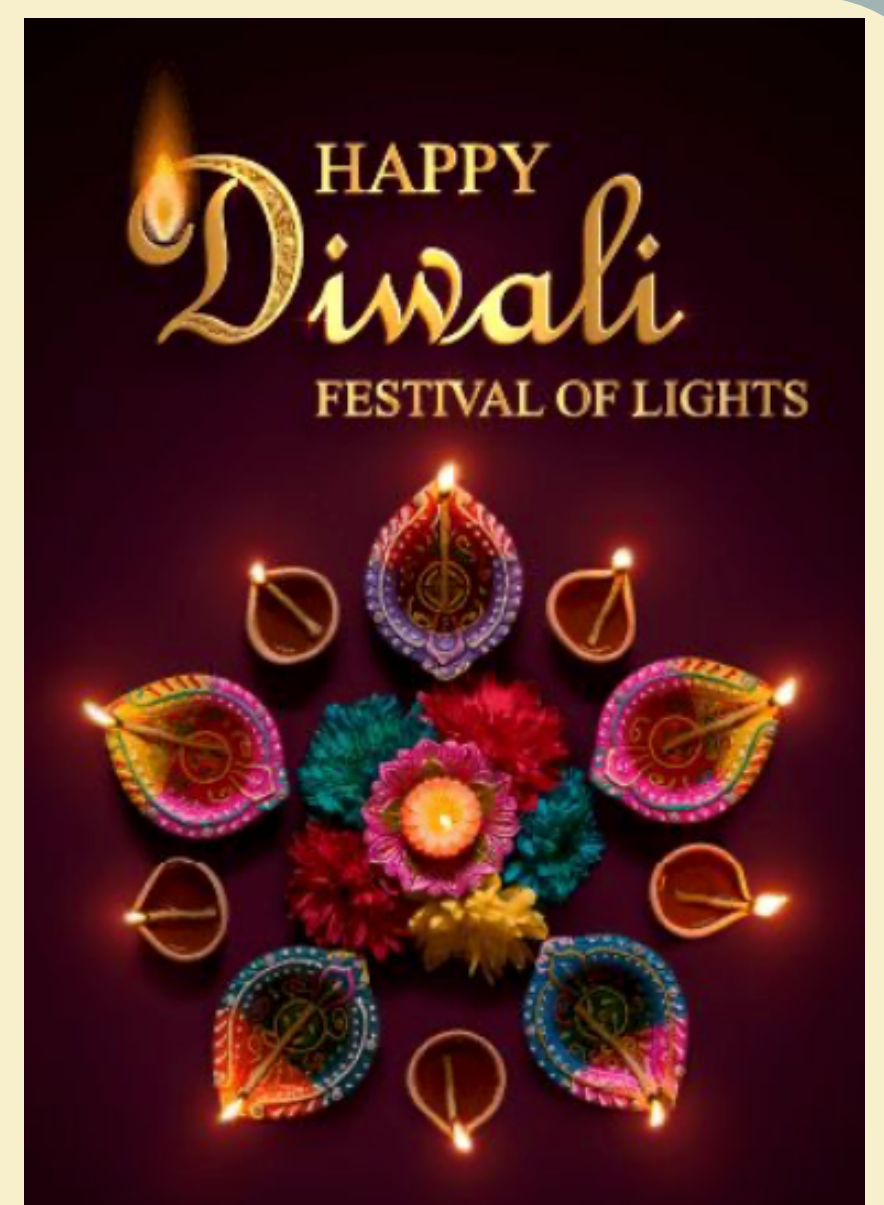
WE WILL BE HAVING PHOTO RETAKES ON
WED, NOV 6TH



Happy Diwali

Happy Diwali to all of those in our community who celebrate this important day!

Diwali is a festival of lights and one of the major festivals celebrated by Hindus, Buddhists, Jains, and Sikhs. The festival usually lasts five days and is celebrated during the Hindu lunisolar month Kartika (between mid - October and mid-November). Please go here for more information: [Diwali](#)



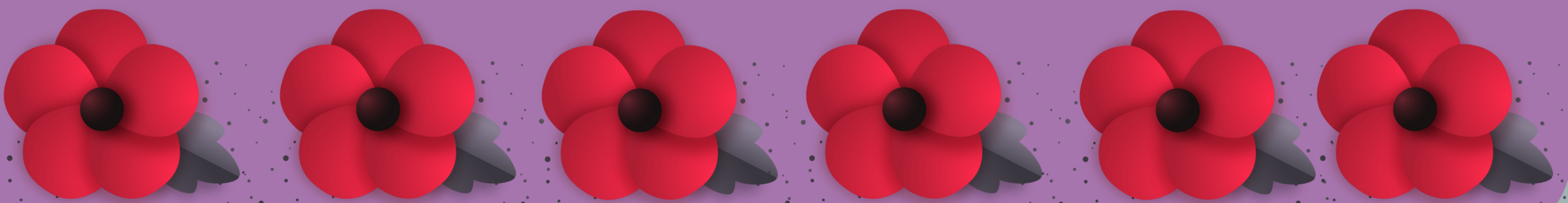
Remembrance Day Assembly Friday, November 8th

This Friday, November 8th, we will be having our Remembrance Day assemblies to honour those who have made the ultimate sacrifice for peace in our world.

We will be having our primary assembly at 9:10 am and our intermediate assembly at approximately 10:30 am.

Families are invited to join us for this important assembly.

Please note that school will not be in session on Monday, November 11th.



Connect and Learn - In Person Community Events for Parents & Caregivers

Topic: Emotion Regulation

When kids frequently have big emotions, parenting can be overwhelming and tiring. As parents, we play an important role in helping our kids manage their big emotions. Discover some strategies and skills to make it easier for your kids and you.

Join us to learn about emotion regulation and dysregulation from Nicole Allen, Registered Clinical Counsellor.

This video presentation will be followed by a facilitated discussion by the Family Peer Support Workers in Richmond.

Cost: Free

Location: McMath Secondary School (Rotunda room) 4251 Garry St, Richmond, B.C.

Date: Thursday, November 7, 2024

Time: 6:30 – 8:00 PM

Register at: familysmart.ca/events

Questions?

Email: sandie.rai@familysmart.ca or Phone/

Text: 604-607-9570



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Grad Hoodies

A reminder to our Grade 7 families: Our grad hoodies are available for purchase on the school's cash on line. Please submit your purchase by Nov. 15

Pumpkin Patch Fun



On Tuesday we had another Anderson pumpkin patch event! All students came to our south field and grabbed a pumpkin of their choice. There was lots of energy and enthusiasm and it was a very positive experience for our students. We would like to thank our hard working PAC for making this event possible for our school by both funding the event and organizing and placing over 650 pumpkins on our field!

HALLOWEEN CANDY DONATIONS

GIVE
SUPPORT



The McMath Leadership class will be collecting Halloween Candy Donations to give to vulnerable people on Vancouver's Downtown Eastside. This work is in conjunction with the Good Shepherd Ministry. From Nov 1 - 8, we will be collecting any unwanted pre-packaged candy donations for this cause. There will be a donation bin in our main entrance for families looking to donate. Thank you.



Thinking about Identity and Belonging at Anderson

At Anderson, we are actively exploring new ways to support a sense of identity and belonging for all students. We believe that creating an inclusive environment is essential for every child to feel safe, valued and connected within our school community. In the very near future, we are going to start by connecting as a staff and discussing the following questions:

- When it comes to student interactions and relationships, what is going well?
- What are some areas for growth?
- What are your concerns around identity and belonging for our students?

We will look at the staff responses and see what we notice. In the upcoming months, we will also be connecting with students and families with similar questions around identity and belonging. Our intention is to learn more about the strengths of our community as well as what any areas of need are to help everyone know and understand that they truly belong in our Anderson community. Thank you.

GRADE 6 / 7 VOLLEYBALL

Our volleyball season is well underway!
Here are the upcoming practices and games:



Practices:

- Tues @ 8am
- Wed @ Lunch
- Thur @ afterschool

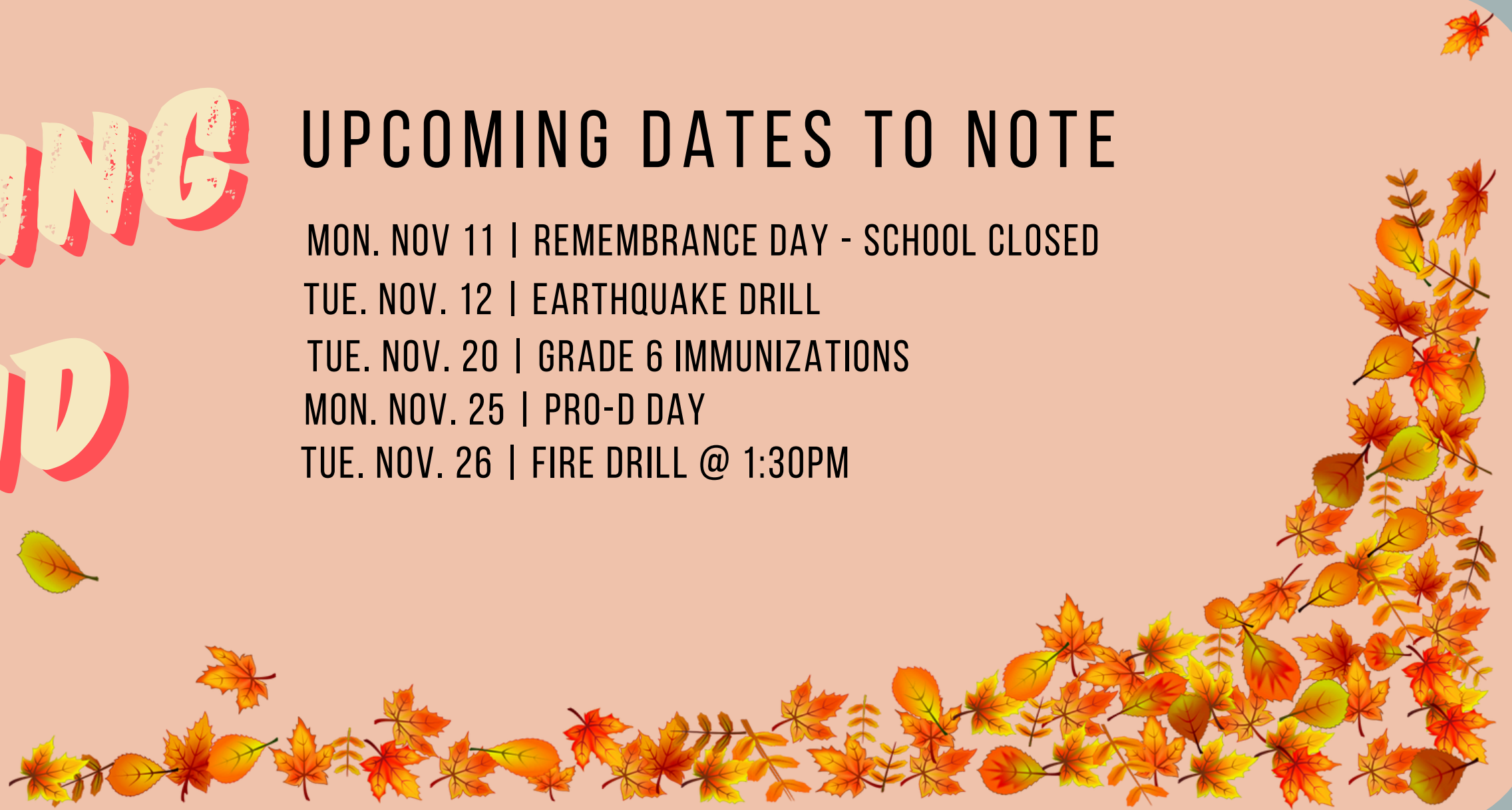
Games:

- Wed. Nov 6 @ Cook
- Wed. Nov 13 @ Home
- Tues. Nov 19 Tournament more info to come

LOOKING
AHEAD

UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE

MON. NOV 11 | REMEMBRANCE DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED
TUE. NOV. 12 | EARTHQUAKE DRILL
TUE. NOV. 20 | GRADE 6 IMMUNIZATIONS
MON. NOV. 25 | PRO-D DAY
TUE. NOV. 26 | FIRE DRILL @ 1:30PM



EXPANDED CALENDAR - NOVEMBER 2024

Lebanese Heritage Month

Adoption Awareness Month

Oct 31 - Nov 1	<u>Diwali</u>
Nov 1	<u>Musqueam Day</u>
Nov 7	<u>Inuit Day</u>
Nov 8	<u>Indigenous Veterans Day</u>
Nov 11	<u>Remembrance Day</u>
Nov 15	<u>Birthday of Guru Nanak Dev Sahib</u>
Nov 16	<u>International Day for Tolerance</u>
Nov 16	<u>Louis Riel Day</u>
Nov 18-22	<u>Multiculturalism Week</u>
Nov 20	<u>Transgender Day of Remembrance</u>
Nov 20	<u>National Child Day</u>
Nov 23	<u>Holodomor Memorial Day</u>
Nov 24	<u>Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahdur</u>

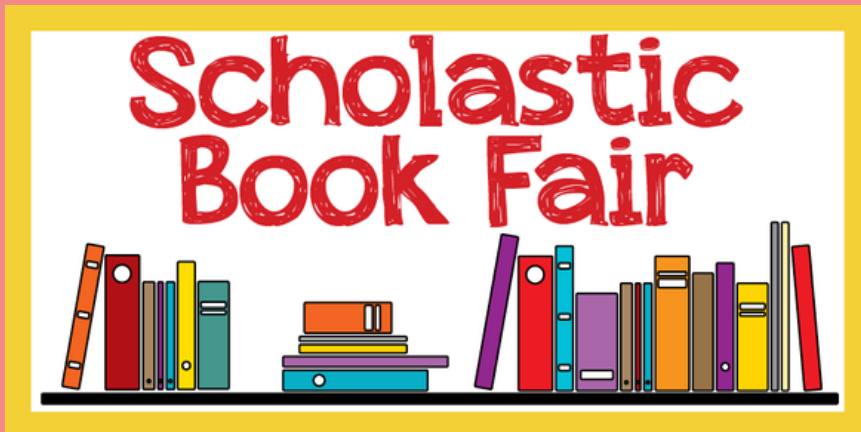
to learn more about the
importance of the dates, click
on the holidays



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR IS COMING

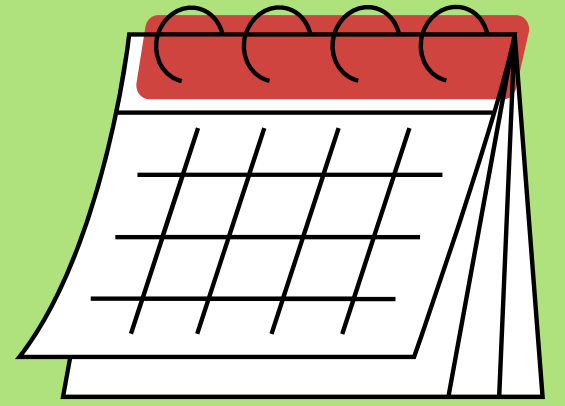
Mark your calendars! Nov. 12th to 15th, our Book Fair will be coming to our Library! We are looking for volunteers to help set up on Nov 8th, as well as the entire week of the Fair.

If you can help, please email henryandersonfundraising@gmail.com



MESSAGES FROM THE PAC

UPCOMING PAC MEETINGS



Hot Lunch Committee Meeting

Thurs. Nov 7th at 7pm. Please email andersonhotlunch@gmail.com if you are interested.

PAC Meeting

Tues. Nov 12th at 6:30pm in the Multipurpose room.

PAC SPIRIT WEAR



Join in on our school spirit wear! Socks! Hats! Water Bottles! There are limited quantities. Click and purchase on the link before they're sold out!
<https://forms.gle/Nh65z92NkZA9GS4c6>

Thank YOU!

Thank you to all the parents that helped out at our Pumpkin Patch! As well, to all the parents that donated to our Halloween Costume Drive! The students really appreciated it. It was a success!



Craft Fair

Our 1st Anderson Community Craft Fair is coming Nov. 22nd from 4pm to 8pm in our Gym! We are looking for vendors to join us for this fantastic event! Whether you offer handmade crafts, unique gifts, delicious treats, or anything in between, this is a great opportunity to showcase your products to our own community. Especially our talented Anderson parents, please join us!

To apply, please click and fill out the application form found here:
[application link](#)

Spaces are limited, so be sure to apply soon!
Any questions, email henryandersonfundraising@gmail.com

