

From the Raven's Nest...

for Friday, October 31, 2025



Dear Families,

Trick or Treat!... Well I am sure that tonight is going to be an exciting night for many of our families that celebrate Halloween! We have been reminding all our students to BE SAFE, BE VISIBLE, BE AWARE and BE CAREFUL.

We really appreciate that even though they will have the weekend to recover (and have I mentioned how much we appreciate that?!), we may have some tired students that are riding the peaks and valleys of their sugar levels and want to try to ensure that they are able to be successful here at school. Proper nutrition is so important to ensuring a child's success of please help us out by trying to ensure that you are aware of what your child is bringing in terms of food and snacks next week. In the past, we have had some students bring excessive amounts of candy to school to share, or even sell, to their classmates. This is not acceptable, and we appreciate you taking the time to monitor your child's candy consumption so they can be successful next week.



Monday, November 3rd

- Rainbow Raven's in the Art Room at Lunch
- Gr 7/8 Girls Basketball Practice at Lunch
- Gr 7/8 Boys Basketball Game at ROCKHEIGHTS

Tuesday, November 4th

- Gr 6/7 Boys Basketball Practice at Lunch
- Craft Club in the LLC at Lunch
- Gr 6/7 Girls Basketball Game at ROCKHEIGHTS

Wednesday, November 5th

- All Nations Room is OPEN at Lunch
- Music Room is OPEN at Lunch
- YEARBOOK fundraiser finishes at Lunch in the LLC
- Gr 7/8 Boys Basketball Practice at Lunch

Thursday, November 6th

- D&D Club at lunch
- Gr 7/8 Girls Basketball Practice at Lunch

Looking Further Ahead:

November 10 Remembrance Day Ceremony at 10:15

November 11 Remembrance Day Holiday

November 12 Grade 8's to Goldstream

November 14 Grade 6 Immunization Clinic

Friday, November 7th

- No Stone Left Alone Ceremony at God's Acres
- Gr 6/7 Girls Basketball Practice at Lunch



Pizza update Thank you to everyone who placed their orders online using SchoolCash Online. **ALL ORDERS WILL NEED TO BE SUBMITTED BY MIDNIGHT ON THIS SUNDAY.** All orders can be placed using www.schoolcashionline.com We will still try to have a couple of pizzas for those students that forget to order online, but availability will not be guaranteed if you have not pre-ordered!

RMS PAC News:



Remembrance Day **Lest we Forget**

Calling All Chocolate-lovers!

Want to know the most DELICIOUS way to support us? Order Purdy's chocolates from our fundraiser! From now until November 26, 2025, you can order Purdy's treats from our fundraiser by joining our campaign and browsing the tastiest selection of chocolates online. Shop gifts for family, friends, neighbours AND yourself in one convenient place. After all orders are submitted, pickup will be held on the evening of the Music programs Winter Concert on Dec 10, 2025.

Order online until November 26, 2025 at:

<https://fundraising.purdys.com/2059264-132353>

Step 1: Enter your email and click "JOIN A CAMPAIGN"

Step 2: Click "SHOP ONLINE" using the drop down menu

Step 3: Place your order and checkout

Step 4: Pick up your order Wednesday, December 10 either after school from 2:45-3:45pm or before the Winter Concert 6-7pm at the school, 1250 Rockheights Ave.

If you would like to browse the Winter 2025 catalog before ordering:

<https://www.purdys.com/media/wysiwyg/GnF/Xmas2025/support-materials/FR-Catalogue-Winter-2025.pdf>

Thank you EVERYONE for your support. Even if you can't buy chocolates from us, it would mean the world if you could share this fundraiser link to everyone you know!

Rockheights Middle School will be having our annual Remembrance Day activities on Monday November 10. This year we will be having two smaller services that will take place at God's Acres cemetery on November 7 and then a formal ceremony here at the school on November 10. One tradition that we have here at RMS is that I create a slideshow to recognize the various family connections that our students and staff have to the armed forces. This will be playing on the TV at the entry to the school starting on Nov 5. If you have a family member that has served, or maybe is currently serving in the armed forces could you please email me (amaxwell@sd61.bc.ca) a photo of the person, including their name and connection to the child at the school.

If you sent in photos last year, I still have them and plan to use them again, but if you are not sure please feel free to send them as having a duplicate is preferable to missing someone out of the video.

Thank you for your support with this important project.

We wish you all a safe and fun evening and on behalf of everyone here at the school, we hope you have a great weekend.

Aaron Maxwell & Beth Richardson

Principal

Vice-Principal

