

Sundance-Bank Weekly



WEEK OF OCT 14 - 18

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Thanksgiving

No School in
Session

Cross
Country Race
at Lambrick
Park School
3:45

Great BC
Shakeout

LOOKING AHEAD

Wednesday Oct 23 - Photo Re-Take Day and Class Photos

Friday Oct 25 - Pro-D Day - No Classes in Session

Tuesday Oct 29 - PAC Halloween Dance 6:00-7:00

Thursday Oct 31 - Halloween

Nov 1 - Science World - On the Road

Parking Lot Full

Please note that our small school is growing and there isn't enough parking in the parking lot to accommodate all the staff. Please do **NOT** park in the parking lot for pick up or drop off. We do have a white drop off zone on Bank Street or park on Fell St on the opposite side of the field. Your cooperation is much appreciated.

Also please watch out for our little ones on the sidewalks on their way to school. Visibility on Bank St is very limited. Please slow down.



Athletics

Cross Country Team

Practices will take place on Thursday at lunch.

Swim Team

Practices start on Oct 21st after school at Oak Bay Rec Centre

Athletes, please remember to hand in your waiver form.



Choir Kids

Grade 2 & 3s

The Victoria Conservatory of Music runs a Choir Kids program and our school is able to participate this year. Annika Sauser from the VCM and an accompanist will meet with Gr 2 and Gr 3 kids who are interested in singing, on Fridays at lunchtime in the gym, after the kids have eaten their lunch.

Annika has shared they "will focus on a variety of musical singing games and activities that reinforce connection, cooperation, and team building, whilst also developing musical skills such as in-tune singing, singing in parts, dynamic and rhythmic accuracy, and conveying emotions through music."

There will be an (optional) opportunity to sing in a concert with other school choirs this year at the Conservatory and hopefully a chance to sing at future assemblies with our school community.

Please complete and return the Registration Form and Media Release Form if your student would like to participate.



Great BC Shakeout

Thursday Oct 17, 2024



We will be participating in the Great BC Shakeout. Our Earthquake Drill will include an announcement to start the drill followed by rumbling sounds to start the drill. Students will be directed to Duck and Cover and then Hold for 60 seconds. Students will then quickly get their outside shoes and coats on line up to go outside. Our muster place is on the field where attendance will be taken again to ensure everyone made it out safely.

Please take a few moments before our drill to talk about it with your child. While research shows the importance of doing regular drills so students know what to do in case of a real emergency, they can also cause emotions even if it is known only to be a drill.

Now is also a good time to replace the batteries in smoke detectors at home and look in your emergency supply kits to replace food and water.



PAC Halloween Dance!

Tuesday, October 29th 6pm-7pm in the gym

Welcome to dress in your costume and come dance away!

All children must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

We are looking for some strings of lights to use at the dance, if you have any to donate to the PAC or lend us (please label with your name) and drop off at the office that would be greatly appreciated.



PAC Fundraiser



The “Clean-Up Program” donates 5% of your purchase value to Sundance-Bank Elementary School! In person: Let the staff know at the time of purchase that you are a member of the Sundance-Bank PAC.

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