

Kidd Courier

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Thomas Kidd Elementary

10851 Shell Road

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Mrs. Kathy Pantaleo

Principal

Important Dates!

Jan 9 - Drumming with Milton Randall begins

Jan 16 - PAC Meeting @ 6:30pm

Jan 17 - Hot Lunch

Jan 17 - BC Lions Presentation @ 1:45

Jan 24 - Snack Shack

Jan 26 - ProD - School is Closed

Jan 31 - Div 2 - 8 Skating at RIC

Feb 1 - Div 1 and International Students Skating

Kidd Schedule

8:30 - Morning Warning

Bell 8:45 - Classes Begin

10:25 - 10:40 - Recess

12:05 - 12:45 - Lunch

2:38 - Dismissal



Volunteers from Tzu Chi cooked pancakes for the whole school on Dec 18th!

Dear Families,

We hope that everyone had a restful and relaxing winter break. A new year brings time when we set goals for ourselves or try something new. At Kidd, we're jumping back into school with drumming lessons this week, basketball for students in Grades 4 - 7, as well as Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) for our students in Grade 5! All great opportunities for our students to learn something new in January. If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me at the office.

Kathy Pantaleo

Principal



January 26th is a Professional Development Day no school on this day.

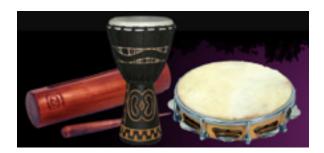
Skating in January!



We're going skating at the Richmond Ice
Centre on January 31st and February 1st!
Students in Divisions 2 - 8 will be skating on the first day, and students in Division 1 will be skating with the International Students on February 1st.
Skating will cost \$5.00.
A notice will be going home today.

Drumming in January!

We are very excited for our first week back to school in January! Milton Randall, the talented drumming instructor from Groove Masters Production, will introduce our students to a variety of drums and techniques from Tuesday to Friday with a performance Friday afternoon at 1:10pm! Families are welcome to join us and see what our students have learned. Thank you to our PAC for helping sponsor this wonderful opportunity for our students!



International Students Coming to Kidd

At the end of January, we will be hosting 24 Grade 7 students from China for one month! They will be here to learn English, and understand more about Canadian culture. There will be another classroom

teacher at our school who will be teaching the International Students during their stay. We are excited to have them visiting our school and we will



make sure that they feel welcome during their visit!

Ready Set Learn 2018

MORNING EVENTS 9:30 -11:00

WILL PERFORMS ON:

January 17 BRIGHOUSE 6800 Azure Rd. January 24 WOODWARD 10300 Seacote Rd. January 31 ERRINGTON 9831 Herbert Rd. GRAUER 4440 Blundell Rd. March 7 BLUNDELL 6480 Blundell Rd. March 14 BYNG

3711 Georgia St.



January 17 McKINNEY 10451 Lassam Rd. January 24 THOMPSON 6211 Forsyth Cr. WHITESIDE 9282 Williams Rd. February 7 COOK 8600 Cook Rd. March 7 DIXON 9331 Diamond Rd. March 14 MITCHELL

12091 Cambie Rd.

AFTERNOON EVENTS

1:00 -2:30

Ready Set Learn 2018

COME TO A FREE CONCERT WITH WILL STROET AND JOIN US FOR SOME FUN ACTIVITIES!

> You and your pre-school aged child are invited. Events take place January-March and are free!

WE HAVE ACTIVITY STATIONS PLANNED! This year we will highlight Aboriginal culture.

We look forward to seeing you!

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