



Kidd Courier

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Thomas Kidd Elementary

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Mrs. Kathy Pantaleo

Principal

Important Dates!

Sept 13 First Day of Breakfast Club!

Sept 15 Second Day of Breakfast Club!

Sept 21 Terry Fox Run @ 11:00

Sept 21 Meet the Staff Night @ 5:30pm

Sept 22 ProD Day - No School

Oct 9 Thanksgiving - No School

Oct 11 Early Dismissal @ 1:38

Oct 12 Early Dismissal @ 1:38

Kidd Schedule

8:30 - Morning Warning Bell

8:45 - Classes Begin

10:25 - 10:40 - Recess

12:05 - 12:45 - Lunch

2:38 - Dismissal



Welcome Back!

I hope that everyone had a great summer. It's always so nice to see the smiling faces back at school, and see how many of our students grew over the summer! When you come to school you will see familiar staff, as well as staff who are new to our school. Mr. Ritchie is our new Intermediate Teacher. He comes with a wealth of experience teaching, as well as a passion for teaching with technology. We are also happy to share that Ms. Neschki, Mrs. Burian, and Mrs. Volk are also back and here to stay! We are still waiting to hire our Teacher Librarian and ELL/Resource Teacher - hopefully we will have someone in those positions soon. Looking forward to another great year at Kidd!

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Air Quality Awareness

This summer we all experienced the effects of the forest fires in BC with the smoke and haze in the Lower Mainland. Now that the smoke has returned, we will be giving our students the choice to stay in the library during recess and lunch if they are having difficulty breathing while playing outside.



Our first PAC meeting of the year is this Wednesday, September 13th at 6:00pm. We welcome all families to come and meet us in the Library to learn more about how to help with all of the great events and activities that happen at Kidd!

Breakfast Club is Back!

We're happy to share that starting next week, Breakfast Club will be offered each Wednesday and Friday starting at 7:45am. We will be offering hot food items such as scrambled eggs and pancakes, as well as cold options such as fruit and yogurt and cereal. We're happy to have the support from the Richmond Food Bank and the Buddhist Compassion Relief Tzu Chi Foundation Canada who will be helping prepare our breakfast each Wednesday and Friday morning.



Meet the Staff Evening Thursday, September 21st @ 5:30pm



Come and join us for an evening to mix and mingle with families and Thomas Kidd Staff! The McNair Culinary Arts program will be here to cater a BBQ dinner, so you can eat your dinner, have some time to chat with staff, and walk around the school.

Focused conversations about your child will happen during our Term 1 Conferences on October 11th and 12th. A notice will be sent home shortly about what to order for the BBQ as all of the food served will be pre ordered.

Cardboard Box Challenge!!

Starting next week we will be building structures as a school out of cardboard. We could use your help in collecting everything from cereal to shipping boxes. It will be exciting to see all of the creations at the end!

