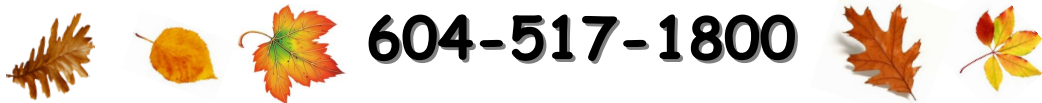


November

FRASER RIVER MIDDLE SCHOOL

604-517-1800



"Our goal is to create an engaging environment where students collaborate and learn through cross-curricular explorations"

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

On Friday we had our Remembrance Day Service at 9:30. The service was emceed by Ana and Fatma and was one of the best school Remembrance Day Services I've seen. Ana and Fatma did an amazing job of keeping the pace and the tone of the assembly smooth and calm. Our grade 8 band played God Save the Queen, O' Canada and A Song for Peace. They keep on amazing me with how well they can play. Savannah and Maria read two poems eloquently and Emmaline and Lynda sang In Flanders Fields beautifully. Liam C., a former student at Fraser River, started and ended the service playing the Bagpipes. He is quite an accomplished player and we were fortunate to hear such high level playing.

We were very lucky to have Sgt. Scribbins join us for the service. He spoke to us about some of his experiences and how people who serve are also very involved in supporting Canada and other countries in need during tragedies, not just war. Sgt. Scribbins also visited many classes after the service to continue his talk about his experiences and to answer questions.

We want to thank Mrs. Cranstoun and the student counsel for organizing our service today. We would also like to thank our special guest Sgt. Scribbins and all of the students who participated in today's service.



Important Dates

- Nov. 26 - Non-Instructional — School Closed
- Dec. 3 - PAC Meeting (7:00 pm - Learning Commons)
- Dec. 4 - Band Concert (6:30 pm in the Gym)
- Dec. 13 - Term 1 Report Cards go home
- Dec. 21 - Last day of school before Winter Break
- Jan. 7 - School reopens after Winter Break

SCHOOL GOAL PLAN

...has been posted to the FRMS website. To read it, go to: fraserriverschool.ca

TERM 1 REPORT CARDS

Term 1 report cards will be going home on Thursday December 13th.



CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

We will soon be starting to create Christmas Hampers for families in our community.

We are asking people to bring in donation items to the school to add to our hampers. We are hoping to collect many of the following items: salad dressing, syrup, stuffing, cranberries, sugar, flour, baking soda, baking powder, icing sugar, chocolate chips, mayonnaise, juice, pickles, coffee, tea, candy canes and gingerbread house kits. We will also accept cash donations or unwrapped toys.

If you are aware of a family in need of a Hamper this Christmas, please email Debbie Jones at djones@sd40.bc.ca.

Safety to and from School

We want to stress the importance of using sidewalks & crosswalks and following safe traffic and road rules. Please talk to your child about taking extra caution near busy intersections and corners. Students should be cautious and fully aware of their surroundings and avoid using their cell phones and listening to loud music. We would also like to stress how important it is to ALWAYS wear a helmet if riding a bike, scooter or skateboard.

PAC MEETING

The next PAC Meeting is on December 3rd at 7:00 pm in the Learning Commons.





FRMS CLUBS



CLUB	MEETING DAY/TIME	LOCATION
Volleyball Intramurals	Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at lunch	Gym
Art Club	Wednesday at lunch	Learning Commons
Gender/Sexuality Alliance	Every Thursday at lunch	Ms. Tara's Room
Chess Club	Friday at lunch	Learning Commons
Ukulele Club	Tuesday at lunch	Music Room
Photography Club	Thursday at lunch	Room 308

TROPICAL DAY

On Nov. 23rd lets bring some warmth to FRMS! Dress in your best tropical wear.



CONGRATULATIONS



to our Grade 7 Girls and Grade 7 Boys Volleyball Teams for winning the championship.

The teams should be VERY proud of all of the hard work they put in this season!



WINTER BAND CONCERT

Fraser River Middle School's Grade 7 and Grade 8 Bands have been hard at work practicing for their upcoming band concert!

When: Tues., Dec. 4th

Where: FRMS Gym

Time: 6:30 pm



BAKE SALE



Student Council Bake Sale!!

Mark your calendars!

The Student council will be having a bake sale on November 30th. Come and enjoy some freshly baked goodies.



LOST & FOUND



There are MANY unclaimed items in our lost & found!

Please have your child check before or after school to see if they can find anything that belongs to them.

GRADE 6-8 DANCE

New West Youth Centre
620 Eighth St, New West

Sat. Dec 15th from 7:00pm-9:30pm
Tickets: \$7 advance/\$12 at the door



Disney THE LITTLE MERMAID

Musical Production! Come and see the Little Mermaid, Live!

When: Nov. 24th & 25th

Where: 735 8th Ave.

Time: 6:30 pm

Tickets are \$20-\$49.50. Concession will also be available. Everyone is welcome!