



# ARDEN ELEMENTARY

week at a glance  
NOV. 13 -NOV. 24, 2023

Monday Nov 13	Tuesday Nov. 14	Wednesday Nov. 15	Thursday Nov. 16	Friday Nov. 17
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>School Closed</b> Remembrance Day</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Curling</b> - Div. 11&amp;12</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Last Wheelie Wednesday</b></li> <li>• Salad Bar</li> <li>• <b>Grade 5 Volleyball @</b> Courtenay El.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School Based Team</li> <li>• <b>PAC Hot Lunch</b></li> </ul>	
Monday Nov 20	Tuesday Nov 21	Wednesday Nov 22	Thursday Nov. 23	Friday Nov. 24
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>PAC Meeting</b> - 6:30</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bonanza</b></li> <li>• <b>Curling - Div</b> 9&amp;10</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Book Fair</b> <b>8-9am; 2:30-3pm</b></li> <li>• <b>No Wheelie Wednesday</b></li> <li>• Salad Bar</li> <li>• <b>Grade 5 Volleyball @</b> Royston</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Book Fair</b> <b>8-9am; 2:30-3pm</b></li> <li>• <b>Parent/Teacher Meetings</b> <b>No School</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Book Fair</b> <b>8-9am; 2:30-3pm</b></li> </ul>

## Looking ahead:

**Nov. 20th** – PAC Meeting 6:30 p.m. in the Library

**Nov. 22-24 Book Fair** – 8-9am; 2:30-3:00pm

**Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>** – Parent Teacher Interviews – **No school**

**Dec. 11** – PAC Meeting 6:30 in the library

Hello everyone,

I want to start off by thanking Ms. Cameron for organizing a very diverse and effective Remembrance Day assembly today. I also wanted to thank Retired Master Corporal Wade Wick for joining us today as our guest. He did a wonderful job of explaining 'Why we go to war?' in a kid friendly way. Thank you Wade. Our kids did an amazing job of demonstrating the 'Arden Way' by respecting the somber tone of the assembly. Well done everyone!

Next, I wanted to give a huge 'Shout Out' to Ms. Phye and Ms. Lyle for organizing our Salmon week. We had some amazing guests come in throughout the week culminating in a tasty treat today. But I will let you read more about it on the district website at this link...

<https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/arden-elementary-celebrates-salmon-week/>

This coming week we are obviously closed on Monday for Remembrance Day. I hear that we are getting out the 'Blender Bikes' for our last Wheelie Wednesday. We also get to travel to Courtenay El., my old stomping grounds, for a Grade 5 volleyball tournament.

## **Reminders**

### **Winter Market**

You're invited to our annual Arden Winter market. It will be from 10-3 pm on Saturday December 2nd. We will have an array of local vendors from woodworking to soap to baked goodies, handmade crafts and so much more!

If you are interested in becoming a vendor please reach out to [jwitt616@gmail.com](mailto:jwitt616@gmail.com) for more details.

Also see attached

Please feel free to email me with any questions or comments at [andrew.ferneyhough@sd71.bc.ca](mailto:andrew.ferneyhough@sd71.bc.ca)

Have a wonderful weekend everyone!

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and

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