



ÉCOLE ROBB ROAD ÉLÉMENTAIRE / Comox Valley School (SD71)

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## **The RR Weekly – September 8<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**

Dear Robb Road Families,

Many tired students and staff Friday at the end of the first full week of school! It was certainly a fun week of settling into new routines in new classrooms. We look forward to another exciting week ahead.

Here are a few items for your consideration this week:

**1. Meet the Teacher Night** – Teachers will be hosting parents and guardians in their classrooms this Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup>. There will be 2 classroom sessions, one at 5:00 and another at 5:15. This will allow parents to visit 2 different classrooms. Please note the gr. 6/7 classes will begin at 4:45 pm and there are no classroom sessions for Kindergarten as you've just had a brief individual meeting with the teacher. At 5:30, parents will be called into the gym for a brief introduction to staff, an overview of the school year and a presentation from your PAC.

## **2. PAC News**

**- Next PAC Meeting: Following Meet the Teacher night on Tuesday, September 16th, at 6pm in the ERR library!**

We are looking forward to having some new faces at our meetings this year and would welcome anyone interested in learning more about PAC to join us! We post meeting agendas [here](#), along with [minutes for our previous meetings](#). We will also have a couple of older kids available to provide childcare in the gym and library. If you have any questions, please reach out to us at [chairerrpac@gmail.com](mailto:chairerrpac@gmail.com) and we look forward to seeing you at the meeting!

**- Hot Lunch (All students)**

**Ordering is now open for hot lunch this Fall. Closing date is Tuesday, September 23rd at midnight.** We will not be taking late orders as this makes it challenging for our volunteers and vendors.

Please note that there are no special orders accepted. Any food left because of student absences will be donated. We cannot store food.

There are **no refunds** as the Hot Lunch program is a fundraiser for every students such as field trips, supplies, activities and more.

**HOW TO ORDER HOT LUNCH - Everyone starts as a new user for the new school year. Last year's accounts were deleted.**

Please go to: <http://robbroad.hotlunches.net>

Press “click here to register” (under the login boxes).

Enter the ACCESS CODE: **RRHL**

Add students

Manage Orders

If you have any questions or problems with ordering, please email: [RobbRoadHotLunch@gmail.com](mailto:RobbRoadHotLunch@gmail.com)

If ordering hot lunch is a strain on your family budget, but you would like your child(ren) to order, please reach out to any teachers, admin or PAC. Orders will be placed anonymously. This is being funded through PAC donations.

#### **\* Salad Bar (Grade 1-7)**

We are looking for more volunteers. If you are able to help some Mondays and Tuesdays, please email: [RobbRoadHotLunch@gmail.com](mailto:RobbRoadHotLunch@gmail.com)

**3. Terry Fox Run** – On Friday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, students will participate in the annual Terry Fox Run. K-2 students will run around the back field while gr. 3-7 students will run a route through the neighbourhood. Runners will depart school just after 1:45 pm. Parent volunteers are needed to ensure safety along the neighbourhood route (grades 3-7). Please e-mail me at [stephane.leblanc@sd71.bc.ca](mailto:stephane.leblanc@sd71.bc.ca) if you can be a safety volunteer for the neighbourhood run. Also, please consider making a donation to the Terry Fox Foundation by clicking on the school's fundraising page here: [Link for donation](#). We'll also have a Twoonies for Terry donation box at the office.

**4. Student Verification Forms and Clevr** – Sincere apologies for the confusion and frustration over student verification information. Many of you were successful in completing the process via Clevr, but unfortunately the system glitched and some were not able to log in or complete the process. If your child came home with a package of forms, please complete and return promptly.

### **5. Understanding Individual Education Plans (IEPs) for Parents & Caregivers:**

Join Comox Valley Schools Inclusive Education and SD 71 DPAC for an important session to help parents and caregivers better understand Individual Education Plans (IEPs). This session will provide families with tools and knowledge to support their children's learning journeys. Registration is required. To register or learn more, email: [dpac@sd71.bc.ca](mailto:dpac@sd71.bc.ca)

Thursday, September 25<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 – 8:00 pm

2488 Idiens Way, Courtenay

Zoom option available + Free childcare option available

### **6. Dates to Remember**

**Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup>** – Meet the Teacher Night (5:00 – 6:00 pm) + PAC Meeting at 6 pm

**Friday, September 19<sup>th</sup>** – Terry Fox Run (1:45 pm)

**Thursday, September 25<sup>th</sup>** – Individual Student Photo Day

**Monday, September 29<sup>th</sup>** – Orange Shirt Day

**Tuesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>** – No School – National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

**Wednesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>** – Cross Country Run @ Puntledge

**Wednesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>** – Photo Retakes

Have a great week!

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*I respectfully acknowledge that we are on the unceded traditional territory of the Pentlatch, Sahtloot, Sasitla and Ieeksun Peoples (K'omoks First Nations) and am thankful for the privilege of living on the land and the gift of working with their children.*