



ÉCOLE ROBB ROAD ÉLÉMENTAIRE / Comox Valley School (SD71)

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The RR Weekly – April 27 – May 1

Dear Robb Road Families,

We hope you were able to enjoy the very summer like weekend. Looks like more of the same coming this week : students spend 1 hour outside per day for recess so please consider sun protection in the morning.

This week's highlights:

1. PAC News

* **Salad Bar – no salad bar this week**

* **Hot Lunch – Thursday, April 30th – Local Pizza**

* **French T-Shirt Sale** – please consider purchasing a [French promoting t-shirt](#). [Order form here](#) and \$5 per shirt returns to PAC.

* **Volunteer Opportunity - McHappy Day (May 6)**

Our Hot Lunch Vendor, McDonald's (Aldred Restaurants Ltd) is looking for volunteers for McHappy Day on Wednesday, May 6. Funds raised during McHappy Day will support [Foundry Comox Valley](#) and [Ronald McDonald House BC](#) helping children, youth and families in our community. Volunteer shifts are about 1 hour long, anytime between 8am - 5pm. During your shift, you may be helping behind the counter or in the dining area serving guests. If you are interested in volunteering, please email RobbRoadHotLunch@gmail.com and let us know your preferred time and location (Cliffe Ave, Crown Isle or Comox). Thank you for considering this opportunity to support our community.

* **Volunteer at the Roller Disco:** [click here to sign up](#)

2. Roller Disco: Mme Sophie and PAC are putting together a fun afternoon of roller disco Saturday, May 2nd. Book your tickets through the hot lunch ordering web site or by using the QR code on the [poster](#).

3. Book Fair Update: Thank you to all the parent volunteers that helped with the book fair. It was a huge success and we raised \$2803 in credit at Books4Brains. Thank you to Melissa from Books4Brains for putting this event on at our school!

4. Grade 5 Grocery Bagging : Our grade 5 basketballers raised over \$1300 toward the purchase of an electronic scoreclock this past weekend bagging groceries at Hugh's Independent. Thanks coaches James and Shadi for your guidance!

5. Plans for Next School Year - Please let the office know ASAP at robbroad@sd71.bc.ca if you are moving and/or if your child will be changing schools.

6. Parking Around the School – a few gentle reminders:

- please be mindful of not parking in a way that blocks our neighbours from their driveways on Robb Avenue, Sable Crescent and other streets around the school.
- the area between Sable Place and the west school parking entrance is a No Stopping zone to prevent cars parking there and creating potentially unsafe conditions as traffic weaves around them. We've noticed ample parking and drop off spots along Robb Avenue, past the school heading west toward Anderton
- the orange cones at the front of the school indicate the bus zone and are for the yellow First Student bus.
- both parking lots at the rear of the school are for staff only. Student pick up and drop off are at the front of the school on Robb Avenue. Wee Care families may use the east parking lot before 8:15 am and after 3:00 pm.
- There are lots of parking spaces available at the front of the school after 2:35 pm and there is supervision from school staff until 2:45 pm.

7. Dogs – Thanks for keeping your dog leashed at all times on school property, especially during crowded arrival and dismissal times. Also, if your dog is a jumper/ biter or barks at people / other dogs, please stay away from crowded areas.

8. Parent Learning Opportunities:

[Parents Together](#)

[Establishing Safe Digital Communities](#)

[Parents as Education and Career Coaches](#)

9. Summer Camp Opportunities

* [Triple Heat Summer Camp](#)

* [Compass Adventures](#)

* [Special Olympics – Comox Youth Programs](#)

10. Dates to Remember

Saturday, May 2nd – Roller Disco @ RR ([see poster](#))

Monday, May 4th – Class Photos (am)

Tuesday, May 5th – Welcome to Kindergarten – 3 to 4 pm

Thursday, May 7th – Track and Field Meet (grades 4-7)

Friday, May 15th – Non Instructional Day (no school for students)

Monday, May 18th – No School – Victoria Day

Wednesday, May 20th – Lockdown Drill @ 9:00 am

June 1st - 5th – Bike to School Week (À go, à vélo!)

Wednesday, June 10th – Band Concerts (1:15 pm and 5 pm)

Wednesday, June 24th – Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony @ 4:30 pm

Thursday, June 25th - Year End Assembly @ 9:45 am

Thursday, June 25th – Last day of school 8:40 – 12:00

Have a great week!

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I respectfully acknowledge that we are on the unceded traditional territory of the Pentlatch, Sahtlout, 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.