



ÉCOLE ROBB ROAD ÉLÉMENTAIRE / Comox Valley School (SD71)

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September 28 – October 2nd, 2026

Dear Robb Road Families,

Here are this week's highlights:

1. Truth and Reconciliation Week – A number of classroom and schoolwide activities will help us reflect on the importance of healing relationships within Canada and honouring Indigenous peoples and their contributions. We will gather for a Reconciliation Week Assembly Tuesday morning at 10 am and encourage students to wear their orange shirt (and all week if possible!).

2. National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (NO SCHOOL) – Wednesday, September 30th is a statutory holiday and schools are closed for the day.

3. Terry Fox Run - Thanks to the many volunteers who helped make our annual Terry Fox Run a fun and safe event last Friday. Fundraising efforts so far have raised over \$1200 dollars and we hope to reach our ultimate goal of 2000\$ by the end of this week. Students can still bring in a toonie for Terry in the donation container in front of the office. [Link for donation.](#)

4. ERR Craft Fair – November 14th! [Click here for poster](#) and here to [book a table as a vendor](#)

5. Cross-Country Running – Cross-Country running will continue this week with practices Tuesday during first recess and Friday before school. The first race will be Thursday, October 1st. Students from grades 3-7 are invited to join the team. Forms were handed out last week and extras are available at the office. Completed forms can be dropped off at the office.

6. Messages from your PAC:

Hot Lunch (All students) & Salad Bar (Grade 1-7)

Ordering is now open for hot lunch and Salad Bar this Fall. Closing date is Thursday, October 1st 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

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.

Volunteers Needed!

We are looking for more volunteers to support our school food programs this year. You don't need to commit to every week. Even once or few times throughout the year makes a big difference and helps us keep these programs running for our kids! If you're available to volunteer, please let us know! RobbRoadHotLunch@gmail.com

Hot Lunch Volunteers (Thursdays)

-Picking up hot lunch orders from vendors (10:30-11:00)

-Helping with sorting and distributions at the school & delivering lunches to classrooms (10:30-12:00)

Salad Bar Volunteers (Monday afternoon & Tuesdays)

-Food prep, Serving and Clean-up (2.5hr shifts)

Salad Bar is loved by so many of our students, and we'd love your help keeping this healthy and fun program going. Did you know that 12 volunteers are needed to run 1 day of salad bar!?

PAC Survey and Trustee Candidate Information

Please take the time to fill out this quick [survey](#) about ways you might like to volunteer at the school. It is a great way to let us know what kinds of things interest you, even if you only have a little time to give.

Save the Date: SD71 School Trustee Candidate Forum, Wed. Oct 7th, 6:30pm, Vanier Secondary.

7. Canadian Parents for French – Please consider joining the local chapter of Canadian Parents for French. [Click here for more information.](#)

8. Dates to Remember

Tuesday, September 29th – Truth and Reconciliation + Orange Shirt Day
Wed., September 30th – No School – National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
Thursday, October 1st – Cross Country Race @ Puntledge
Monday, October 12th – Thanksgiving (No School)
Wednesday, October 21st – Photo Retakes
Friday, October 23rd – Provincial Professional Development Day (No School)

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