ÉCOLE ROBB ROAD ÉLÉMENTAIRE / Comox Valley School (SD71)

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Dear Robb Road Families,

This week we remember the sacrifices made by the many veterans and active military members who have served to maintain our peace and freedom. Students will be learning about the importance and significance of Remembrance Day and contributing art and reflections through age-appropriate classroom activities. Here are a few items for your consideration this week:

1. ÉRR Spirit Wear – The École Robb Road Spirit Store is open until tonight - November 9th . Last chance to buy your school logoed t-shirt, hoodie, sweatshirt, etc.: https://store.passionsports.ca/robbroadspirit/shop/home

2. Remembrance Day Assembly - Our Remembrance Day Ceremony will be held at 11:20 am Tuesday morning. Parents are welcome to attend the ceremony. The Legion has offered poppies for all students to wear. If possible, it would be great if students could bring in a loonie (1$) to donate for their poppy. Not mandatory, but helpful.

3. Remembrance Day Statutory Holiday – No school Wednesday, November 11th due to the Remembrance Day statutory holiday

4. Parent/Teacher Interviews – Thursday, November 19th is parent/teacher interview day and there is no school for students. The link to book your appointment is included below. Please ensure you are selecting your child(ren)'s correct teacher(s) from the drop-down list when booking your appointment (and not the default 'Anyone' button). You will also see these instructions when you open the link. All meetings are in person at the school. Be mindful of the correct time zone on your device (UTC-07:00).
https://bookings.cloud.microsoft/book/ParentTeacherInterviewsFall2026@learn71.onmicrosoft.com/?ismsaljsauthenabled

5. Messages from your PAC:

Hot Lunch: Thursday, November 12th - McDonalds
The Elf Exchange is Back! - We're excited to announce that our Elf Exchange store will be returning this year! The Elf Exchange gives students the chance to purchase gifts for family members while helping raise funds for our school. We're seeking donations of new or gently used items to stock the store—popular choices last year included jewelry, mugs, books, board games, stuffies, and toys. A collection box is located near the school office for your donations. Thank you for helping make this holiday event a success!
PAC Meeting – Tuesday, November 17th @ 7:00 pm

6. Eagle Tree – Nature has ultimately decided the fate of the eagle tree at the back of the school property. Friday's storm toppled the tree and the nest is no longer. Luckily, there appears to be no damage to neighbouring fences or properties. School District crews will soon clean up the area, secure the rest of the dead tree and reopen access to the path.

7. Winter Fair – Reminder of this Saturday's Winter Craft Fair in the ERR school gym from 10 am until 3 pm.

8. Repair Café – November 14th at Lake Trail Community School. Click here for details

9. StrongStart for Pre-Kindergarten Children – Several options for family fun and learning at Comox Valley Schools StrongStart programs around the district. Click here for details.

10. Parent Learning Opportunity - Anxiety– Please click here for an in-person learning session on anxiety offered by Family Smart.

11. Dates to Remember

Tuesday, November 10th – Remembrance Day Assembly @ 11:20 am
Wednesday, November 11th – No School (Remembrance Day)
Thursday, November 12th - grade 6 vball @ Robb ; gr. 7 vball @ CDI
Saturday, November 14th – Craft Fair at ERR
Tuesday, November 17th – PAC Meeting @ 7:00 pm in the Library
Wednesday, November 18th – gr.6 vball @ CDI, gr. 7 vball @ Robb
Thursday, November 19th – Non-Instructional Day – Parent Teacher Conferences
Wednesday, November 25th – gr.6 vball @ Robb, gr. 7 vball @ Puntledge

Wednesday. December 16th – Elf Exchange
Friday, December 18h – Last day of school before Winter Break
Monday, January 4th – First day of school after Winter Break

Have a great week!

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