

# Miracle Beach Elementary School Newsletter

Hello Miracle Beach Families,

Here are this week's information items. New items are in **Yellow**.

## Week at a Glance

| April 1   | April 2  | April 3   | April 4   | April 5                          |
|---|--|---|---|----------------------------------|
| No School   | 9:00 – Strong Start<br>2:45 – Staff Meeting                        | Noon – Inclusion Club<br>4:30 – PAC Movie Night | 9:45 - Leadership Field Trip - Meet the Superintendent<br>Noon – Soup Day | Hot Lunch                        |
| April 8   | April 9  | April 10  | April 11  | April 12                         |
| Yard Clean Up – Ms. Gailloux' s Class<br>12:30 - Reading Link Challenge – Gym Unavailable | Recycling - Leadership<br>9:00 – Strong Start<br>2:45 – EA Meeting | Noon – Environmental Club<br>6:30 – PAC Meeting | Noon - Leadership<br>Noon – Soup Day                                      | 9:00 – Strong Start<br>Hot Lunch |

Upcoming dates to note:

- April 16 – Welcome to Kindergarten Event
- April 24 – Primary Gym Sale
- April 26 – PAC Gym Sale

## Primary Gym Sale

On Wednesday, April 24th the primary students will be holding a gym sale between 1:00 pm and 2:00 pm. Much like a giant community garage sale, student participants will get to be both buyers and sellers. The sale will provide the students with the opportunity to practice some of their mathematical skills as well as expand on what they have been learning about the purpose of money. Most of all, the sale will be for fun! Parents are also welcome to join us for this event.

**To participate, the students need to do the following BEFORE coming to school on the day of the Primary Gym Sale:**

1. Collect a selection of used items from home to sell to other students. Examples of items include: toys, puzzles, books and games.

\*\* There is no restriction on the number of items a student may bring to sell as long as they all fit in one bag the student can carry. Likewise, a student does not need a lot of items to participate and still have fun. 4 or 5 small sale items are absolutely fine! \*\*

2. Price items using masking tape or a homemade sign (i.e., 25 cents for all small cars).
3. Collect \$5 in change consisting of nickels, dimes and quarters. A loonie and toonie could also be included, however, small change is of greater use when purchasing and making change.
4. Have some sort of moneybox, container or purse for holding change and using as a cash register.
5. Have a blanket, mat or towel to display items for selling.

**\*\*\*\*All items should be brought to school on the morning of Wednesday, April 24th. They should be in a bag (labeled with the student's name) that can be easily stored in the classroom.**

**PLEASE NOTE: This is a REAL sale. Items will truly be sold.**

Students from the Kindergarten classes have been invited to come as buyers.

Our primary gym sale is also a [Y.A.N.A](#) fundraising event. Your child can support Y.A.N.A by donating a portion of his/her profits at the end of the gym sale.

If you have any questions, please contact your child's classroom teacher. Thanks in advance for your support,

Mrs. Stride, Ms. Berg, Ms. Nesbitt, Ms. Ralph, Ms. Rodger, Ms. Gailloux & Ms. McKay

### Lost and Found



Throughout the course of this year, our lost and (not yet) found collection has quietly but steadily expanded. We will be donating our lost and found collection on April 30<sup>th</sup>. Please be sure to check the lost and found collection prior to April 30<sup>th</sup> to retrieve lost items.

We understand the value of personal belongings and the inconvenience that comes with losing them. Please take a moment to check the lost and found collection before April 30<sup>th</sup>. This is your opportunity to reclaim any lost items before they find new homes elsewhere.

Your lost items might be waiting for you among the assortment of items gathered over the months.

### PAC

*Our school is fundraising with Mabel's Labels! If you're not familiar with Mabel's Labels, they make personalized, durable, waterproof labels for everything! Mabel's Labels also offers clothing stamps, silicone bands for water bottles and even allergy alert labels!*

*This is a great way to ensure your items don't end up in the lost & found.*

To support our fundraiser, visit [campaigns.mabelslabels.com](https://campaigns.mabelslabels.com) and select **Miracle Beach Elementary School (Black Creek)**. You can also enter our school name at checkout under 'Support a Fundraiser'. You can pick out whatever labels or products you want, and it will ship for free directly to your house! Thank you for supporting us.



PAC invites Miracle Beach Elementary Families to a free viewing of the movie "HOP" on Wednesday April 3rd! Doors open at 430, and the movie starts at 5pm sharp.

There will not be a concession so please bring a picnic and blanket and snuggle in with the school community to enjoy the festive movie.

Parents must attend, all unaccompanied children will not be admitted.

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There will be no concession, please bring a picnic for your blanket.



## Pictures



In Class Scavenger Hunt



Field trip to Museum





District Spelling Bee



Outdoor Reading





Books4Brains



St. Patrick's Day Crafting and Easter Buddy Bags

## Community Information



Lunch is  
Provided

**JUNIOR  
FIREFIGHTER  
DAY CAMP**

**MARCH 21, 2024**  
**9am - 4pm**  
**\$10**

STUDENTS WILL LEARN HOW TO:

- Tie Knots
- Raise and Climb Ladders
- Pull and Use Fire Hose
- Wear a Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus
- Basic First Aid Skills

**FINISH THE DAY WITH THE  
FIREFIGHTER FITNESS  
CHALLENGE!**

To Register  
Call 250-337-5190  
or online at [blackcreek-cc.com](http://blackcreek-cc.com)

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## THE CCS PAC **BIKE & GEAR SWAP**

**SATURDAY MAY 11**

**9am - 5pm**

**Cumberland Community School**

**Drop off May 10, 5pm - 8pm**

**All money raised supports students.**

**Email us for more info:**

**[cumberlandcommunityschoolpace@gmail.com](mailto:cumberlandcommunityschoolpace@gmail.com)**



**Volleyball Camp Wave** - Spring Break Volleyball Camp hosted by the U18 Wave Boys!

This co-ed camp, tailored for athletes aged 12-15, will take place on March 20th and March 21st, running from 10:15 AM to 2:15 PM each day. Join us for two action-packed days of skill development, camaraderie, and fun on the court!

Registration fees for this 2 day program are \$65 for rec pass holders and \$75 for non-rec pass holders.

Call to secure your spot 1-250-339-8211 extension 252-8315



Feel free to email me at [zale.darnel@sd71.bc.ca](mailto:zale.darnel@sd71.bc.ca) if you have any questions or comments.

Respectfully,

**Zale Darnel**  
Principal, Miracle Beach Elementary