# **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 7	April 8	April 9	April 10	April 11
Yard Clean Up – Ms. Gailloux's Class  Field Trip - Ms. Gailloux's Class – Seal Bay  11:00 – Fire Drill  Hackergal Club	Strong Start	Soup Day 6:30 – PAC Meeting	Salad Bar	School Sprit Day (Division Colours)  Field Trip - Ms. Gailloux's Class – Oyster River Hatchery  Hot Lunch Open Gym
April 14	April 15	April 16	April 17	April 18
Yard Clean Up – Ms. Gailloux's Class  Field Trip - Ms. McKay's Class – Nymph Falls  Hackergal Club	Strong Start  3:00 – Welcome to Kindergarten	Recycling - Leadership  Island Health Presentation for Grade 6/7  Soup Day	Salad Bar	Easter Weekend – No School

# Upcoming dates to note:

- April 21 Easter (No School)
- May 6 Art Walk and Family Numeracy Event
- May 7 Track and Field Jamboree
- May 15 Class Photos
- May 19 Victoria Day (No School)
- May 23 Fun Fair
- June 3 to 5 Camp Homewood
- June 10 Primary Fun Day
- June 19 Playland (Grade 6/7)
- June 23 Grade 7 Transition Tour of GP Vanier
- June 23 Grade 7 Graduation
- June 24 Primary Beach Day and Cookie Bus
- June 26 Year End Assembly
- June 26 Last Day of School

#### Salad Bar Video – Community School

Check out the video of our Salad Bar program at Miracle Beach Elementary School—one tasty part of the school's amazing lineup of nutritious food offerings for students. In addition to the Salad Bar, students also enjoy a Burrito Bar, daily Breakfast options, soup on Thursdays, Hot Lunch on Friday, and snacks available at all times.

A huge thank you to the school's dedicated volunteers who make this wonderful program a reality for our students!



Video Link - https://www.facebook.com/share/v/1AGKiepbeL/

#### **Primary Gym Sale**

On Wednesday, April 23rd 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.

#### Students need to do the following BEFORE coming to school on the day of the Primary Gym Sale:

- Collect a selection of used items from home to sell to other students. Examples of items include: toys, puzzles, books and games. Homemade cookies, treats or cupcakes (no nuts) are also acceptable but please do NOT bring prepackaged commercially produced items like pop or cotton candy.
- 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 23rd. 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. Mrs. Stride, Ms. Berg, Ms. Nesbitt, Ms. Ralph, Ms. Rodger, Ms. Gailloux & Ms. McKay

#### PAC Meeting April 9th at 6:30 PM

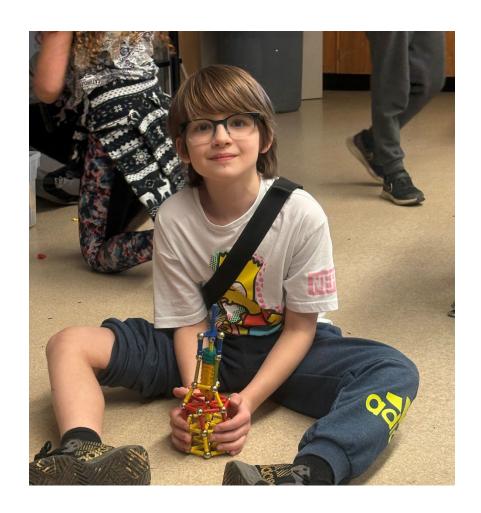
For anyone wishing to join the PAC meeting remotely please use the link below.

https://comoxvalleyschools-ca.zoom.us/j/62229364217?pwd=V6khVklGWGl2oTwAV3Nx84fHif22pC.1

## Fun Fair



# <u>Pictures</u>





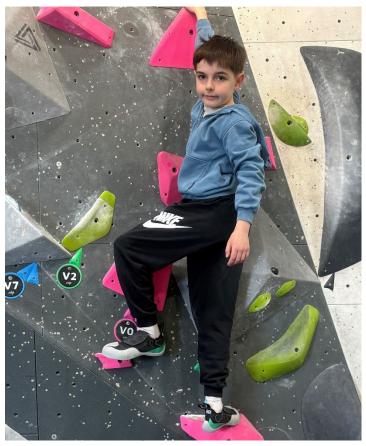








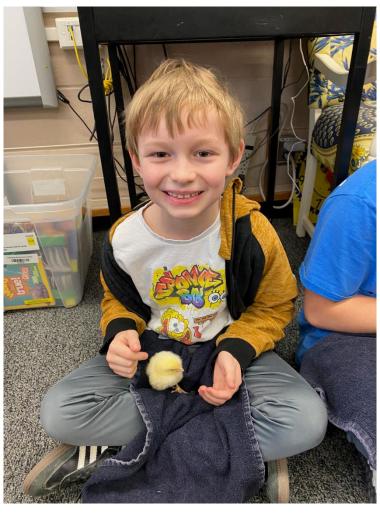




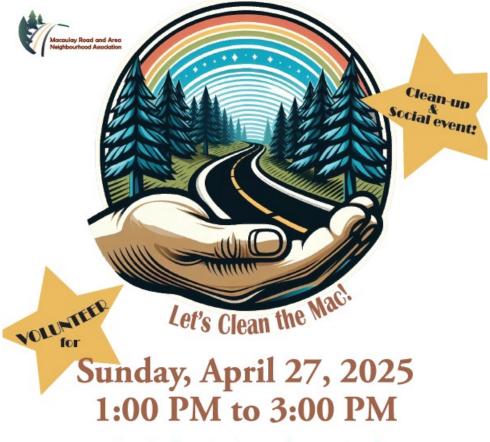








## **Community Information**



Sign up for a km length of Macaulay Road to clean up! Call Kim at 250-703-3790 or email macaulayroadana@gmail.com

- In support of Earth Day, a clean-up event along Macaulay Road. Volunteers will pick up plastic, bottles, and other rubbish left or thrown from vehicles into our ditches.
- 🕻 Meet at Macaulay Heights Park at 1:00 PM for assigned kilometres and pick up supplied garbage bags, gloves, etc. MRANA directors have organized a truck to pick up the bagged garbage along the road. Other volunteers have been asked to help with traffic calming while this event is in progress. VOLUNTEER Return to the park by 3:00 PM for refreshments
- We need lots of volunteers so please ask friends and family to help out!

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Feel free to email me at zale.darnel@sd71.bc.ca if you have any questions or comments.

Respectfully,

#### **Zale Darnel**

Principal, Miracle Beach Elementary