

Jessie Wowk News – October 9 - 13

Oct. 9 Monday	Thanksgiving Holiday / School is Closed
Oct. 10 Tuesday	Grade 6/7 Volleyball Practice at Lunch Break
Oct. 11 Wednesday	Hot Lunch: Pizza Day <u>(Order on Munch-a-Lunch)</u> Fun Run Practice @ 8:00 am / Grades 1 – 7
Oct. 12 Thursday	Hot Lunch: Sushi Day <u>(Order on Munch-a-Lunch)</u>
Oct. 13 Friday	Photo Day – Edge Imaging Grade 6/7 Volleyball Practice at Lunch Break

Insure My Kids

As in previous years, families can choose to purchase an optional student accident insurance plan for their children through the "InsureMyKids[®]" program, underwritten by Old Republic Insurance Company of Canada. The "InsureMyKids[®]" accident insurance program offers protection against the potentially high costs of any injury resulting from unexpected accidents and is especially valuable for families who:

- do not have medical or dental plans,
- have limited plans, as it may help supplement health and dental benefits, or
- have active children who enjoy sports and outdoor activities.

The insurance agreement will be between the family and Old Republic Canada and will be effective on the date the enrollment application and payment are received by the insurance carrier. To purchase a student accident insurance plan, families can visit <u>http://www.insuremykids.com</u>, or speak with an Old Republic Canada customer service representative at 1-800-463-5437.

The program coverage typically includes:

- A full year (365 days from date of purchase), 24 hours a day, whether at school or at home;
- Expenses such as ambulance, physio-therapy, private tutoring, counselling, and much more that are limited or not covered by private or group insurance plans, or provincial health plans;
- Injury related dental treatment as the result of an accident;
- Out-of-province or country emergency medical expenses. (Platinum Plan Only)





Attached is the InsureMyKids[®] Brochure for your information.

If you have questions relating to this insurance program, please contact Joyce Coronel from the Secretary Treasurer's office at <u>jcoronel@sd38.bc.ca</u> or 604-668-6008.

Edge Imaging – Individual Photo Day

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Our Individual Photo Day is coming up on Friday, October 13th. Please see the flyer below for more details.

YOUR PHOTO DAY IS APPROACHING!

Showcase Your Best Smile

- Students will be photographed at school.
- On photo day, no order form or payment is due.
- Review your images and purchase online with ease!







DON'T FORGET

School photos are a Canadian tradition to capture the school year and preserve your continued growth.



GET REMINDERS

Sign up for notifications at edgeimaging.ca/photoday to get real-time updates about your photo day and stay in the know with Edge.





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School Supplies and Agenda Fees

This is just a reminder to please note that we are kindly requesting for families to please provide \$33 dollars for school fees and \$7 dollars for their agenda / planner. Information about how to pay online can be found at the following link: https://richmondsd38.schoolcashonline.com/

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We do recognize and respect that some families may benefit from financial assistance with any costs related to their child's educational experiences, such as school supply fees, field trip costs, instrument rentals, etc. If you are a family who could benefit from such supports, I ask that you please do not hesitate to contact me directly at cdaum@sd38.bc.ca or call me here at the school. What you share will be kept confidential and there will be no questions asked about your family's circumstances. Thank you.

What's on the Walls at Wowk?



Self Portraits by **Division 9**

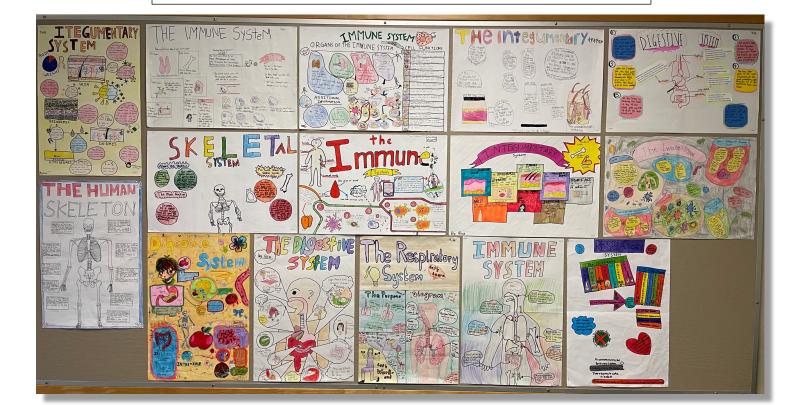
Moon Sketches (Inspired from the story Taan's Moons) By Division 3



Art Inspired by Peter Reynold's book "The Dot" By Division 8



Body Systems Posters By Division 1







PAC Message and Announcements

DISTRICT CODE OF CONDUCT

HOW WE LEARN AND WORK TOGETHER

The Board of Education recognizes its obligation to provide all members of our school district community with a positive climate and a safe, healthy environment.

As we learn and work together, we will...

- Show respect for the diversity of the members of our school and district community.
 - Behave in a safe, considerate and courteous manner.
 - Not threaten, harass, intimidate or assault, in any way, any person within our school district community, through physical violence, print or electronic media.
- Not be in possession of weapons, dangerous articles, alcohol or illegal drugs while in school or work.
- Show respect and pride in our school district buildings and equipment through care and appropriate use of school district property.
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Respect the non smoking environment of our schools and school district facilities.

Our expectations for how we learn and work together shall apply to everyone in our schools and at school functions.

> The complete code of conduct is available online at: sd38.bc.ca/codeofconduct



Important Dates Coming Up	Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Dates (October)
October 4 and 5 – Family Conferences / Dismissal at 1:45 pm both days	2- Statutory Holiday for National Day of Truth and Reconciliation
October 6 – Fire Drill	9 – Thanksgiving
October 9 – Thanksgiving	6 – Sukkot Ends (Judaism)
October 13 – Individual Photo Day at	7 – 8 – Simchat Torah (Judaism)
October 17 – Cross Country Fun Run	15 – 24 – Navaratri (Hinduism)
October 19 – Earthquake Drill	20 – Installation of the Scriptures as Guru Granth (Sikhism)
October 31 – Halloween at Jessie Wowk	
	24 – Dussehra (Hinduism)

Thank you for taking the time to read this important information for our Jessie Wowk Community. As always, if you have any questions, please contact us here at the school. Sincerely,

Mr. Chris Daum Principal / Jessie Wowk Elementary cdaum@sd38.bc.ca 604-668-6198

