



Wowk News / March 6 – 10th

March 6 Monday	ILLUMA Studio Dance Program / Fruit and Veggie Program Book Fair
March 7 Tuesday	ILLUMA Studio Dance Program
March 8 Wednesday	ILLUMA Studio Dance Program Book Fair – Final Day Pizza Day
March 9 Thursday	ILLUMA Studio Dance Program PAC Hot Lunch Reports to Families on MyEd Parent Portal
March 10 Friday	ILLUMA Studio Dance Program and Performance – 1:30 pm Spring Break Starts

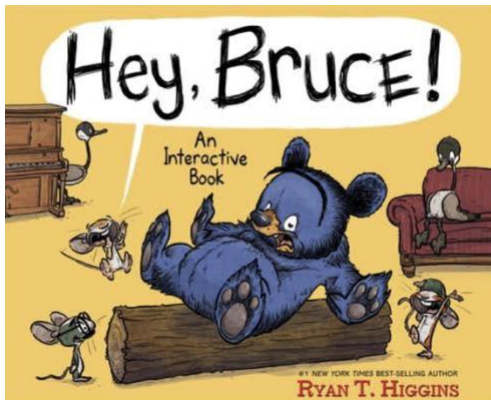
Scholastic Book Fair Information The book fair is open!

Friday, March 3
Monday, March 6
Wednesday, March 8

Parents, grandparents, older and younger brothers and sisters as well as Wowk students are all welcome to come before and after school on these days. There is no need to sign up. Wowk students will also come during their library block and have the opportunity to purchase items or make a wish list of books they would like. I hope to see you there!

Readers' Choice

We have just finished our 7-week Readers' Choice event in the Library Learning Commons. Primary students enjoyed 6 brand new picture books and voted (with pom poms) on their favourite - Hey, Bruce - a unique, funny, participation book:



Intermediate students could choose to read 3 or more fiction books from a selection of ten books and write a brief response on each book. Special congratulations goes to Jessie, Div. 2 and Prudence, Div. 4 for reading and writing about all 10 books! The winning fiction book was Among the Hidden - a story about a future world of environmental challenges and government control, winner of several awards.



Learning Updates / Reports

This Thursday, March 9th, families will be able to access their child's learning update / report using the MyEd parent portal. Please see the attached document that we have previously shared with families in case you have questions regarding accessing your child(ren)'s learning update. The learning update will be available at 2:45 on Thursday, March 9th.

ILLUMA Studio Dance Program / March 6 – 10

We're excited to announce that we will have a dance workshop for our students all of next week! ILLUMA studios, who we have had here at Jessie Wowk in the past, will be offering three dance workshops next week to each division with a performance for families at 1:50 pm on Friday, March 10th. We will reach out to families next week with more information about the performance. This year's dance theme is Pop and K-Pop! We want to thank the PAC committee for their contribution to making this workshop possible for our community.



PAC Updates

PAC is excited to sponsor a dance program for all students to have a chance to participate in. Each division will be learning a dance and will have an opportunity to present at the end of the week. All families are invited to attend.

Important Dates Coming Up

March 3, 6 and 8 - Scholastic Book Fair
March 9 – Learning Updates to Families
March 10 - Spring Break Begins
March 27 – Return From Spring Break
April 5 – Greg Kennedy Performance
April 7 – Good Friday / No School
April 10 – Easter Monday / No School
April 21 – Class / Group Photos
May 1 – 3 – Outdoor Ed for Grades 6/7

Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Dates (March)

Irish Heritage Month
6 – Magha Puja Day (Buddhism)
6 – 7 – Purim (Judaism)
8 – International Women’s Day
8 – Holi (Hinduism)
21 – International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
21 – 30 – Chaitra Navratri (Hinduism)
22- Ramadam Begins (Islam)
30 – Ram Navami (Hinduism)
31 – International Transgender Day of Visibility

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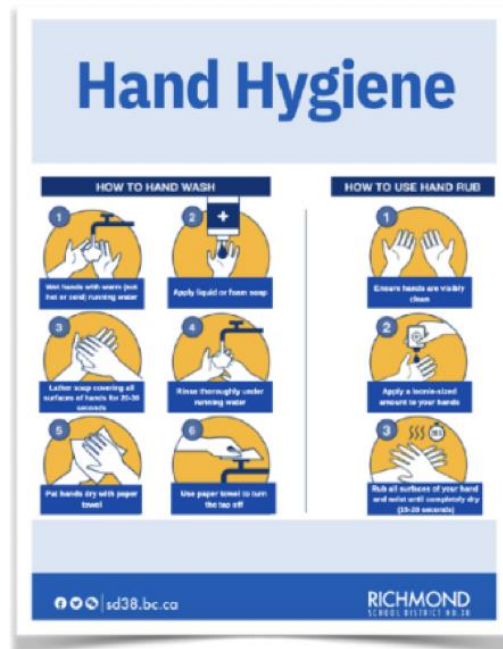
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<https://covidcheck.gov.bc.ca/>



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