



What's Happening at Pearson Road

November 4 - November 15, 2024

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

It was a busy week at Pearson! We had our first volleyball game on Wednesday after school. Many parents and siblings come to watch and cheer. The students thoroughly enjoyed themselves and gave their best! Go Panthers!

Students did fun activities in their classes and on field trips for Halloween and ended the week today with a vibrant Diwali assembly. What a great start to November!

Remember, the time change happens this Saturday.
Have a wonderful weekend!

Warm Regards,
Mrs. Virk



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Wed, Nov 6	• Pancake Breakfast • Pajama & Stuff Day • Hot Lunch - Quesadillas • Grade 4/5 Volleyball @ PSE- 3:00pm
Fri, Nov 8	• Chips sale- Gr 4/5 Fundraiser • Remembrance Day Assembly- 10:30

Mon, Nov 11	No School
Wed, Nov 13	• Hot Lunch- Fresh Slice Pizza • Grade 4/5 Volleyball @ PSE- 3:00pm
Fri, Nov 15	Chips sale- Gr 4/5 Fundraiser

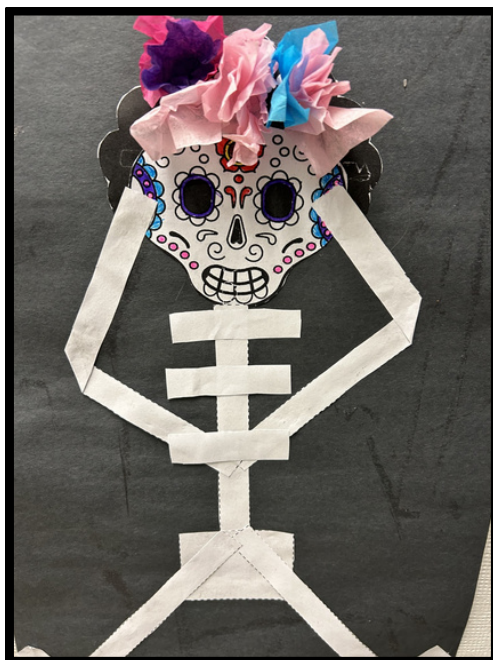
[Link to school calendar](#)



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From the Desk of Ms. Mantilla

Mrs. Mantilla's grade 1 class has been learning about the "Day of the Dead" or "Dia de los Muertos" (in Spanish). The Day of the Dead is celebrated in Mexico and other countries from October 31st – November 2nd. It is different from Halloween because it is a time to remember loved ones who have passed away. Some families may decorate their homes with pictures, food, candy skulls, marigolds, and candles. They may eat a special bread called "Pan de Muertos" which is very delicious! Some also may dress up like skeletons or paint their faces for parties or parades. We would like to say thank you to our big buddies from Ms. Vaton's class who helped us with our art project as well!





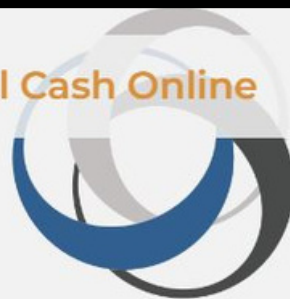
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Please follow the “No Parking” signs in the neighbourhood.



We have many students walking in the front of the school. For their safety, please use the street parking during pickup.

School Cash Online



SchoolCashOnline

POWERED BY KEV GROUP

Please click here to see how to register for School Cash Online

This entails a monthly meeting,

SCHOOL ABSENCES and COMMUNICATION:

Please make sure you have signed up with SchoolMessenger to report all lates, absences and early departures. You are required to inform the school when your child will be absent from school. This app makes that reporting very easy for you.

SchoolMessenger App

SchoolMessenger



SchoolMessenger is also how the school communicates with you! If there are any issues with you not receiving messaging please contact us as there may be an issue with the email address we have on file for you.

Click here to go to Messenger

ERASE helps students, adults, and school staff build safe, caring and inclusive school communities.



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**MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION &
OVERALL SCHOOL EXPERIENCE.**

JOIN THE PAC

**EMAIL YOUR PAC PRESIDENT WITH ANY QUESTIONS
PACPRESIDENT@SD23.BC.CA**

**From your
PAC!**

A HUGE THANK YOU to everyone who helped make the Fall Festival possible! We are so grateful for your help, donations and participation.

Our next PAC meeting will be Monday, November 18 at 5:30 in the school library. Come find out what's happening at Pearson! All parents and guardians are welcome.

Thank you! Happy Diwali!

HOT LUNCH

Order hot lunch now at www.munchalunch.com for November and December lunches. Hot lunch is served on Wednesdays.





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QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT
PSE.PAC.HOTLUNCHANDFUNDRAISING@GMAIL.COM

PEARSON ROAD ELEMENTARY PAC

20% OF ALL
SALES WILL BE
DONATED TO
OUR PAC!

HOLIDAY FUNDRAISER

*Olivia's Oil & Vinegars and
Rocky Mtn Chocolate*

Go to <https://www.oliviasonline.ca>

Click on the "PSE" header (or "PSE" in the drop down menu on a device)

Enter the code, "Panthers"

You will see the welcome message/instructions and two separate links

1. Add the promo code (Pearson logo) to the cart for at school pick up
2. Access the exclusive Rocky Mountain chocolate items.

**Please use the pick-up option or the code "Panthers" during
check-out and your cart will be updated to reflect "free
shipping".**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR NOVEMBER 25TH AS
THIS IS THE DEADLINE TO GRAB YOUR GOODIES.
THEY WILL BE READY FOR PICKUP ON DECEMBER
5TH AND 6TH!**

**EXTEND THE JOY OF GIVING WITH
YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY BY USING
THE CODE "Panthers" AT THE STORE
NESTLED WITHIN ORCHARD PARK
MALL.**

Night Sky Club!

Calling all 9 to 12 year olds...

Become a
Night Sky Ambassador in our
4 week after school program.

Meet new friends, play outside,
work on creative crafts &
expand your knowledge.

Cost of program: \$24

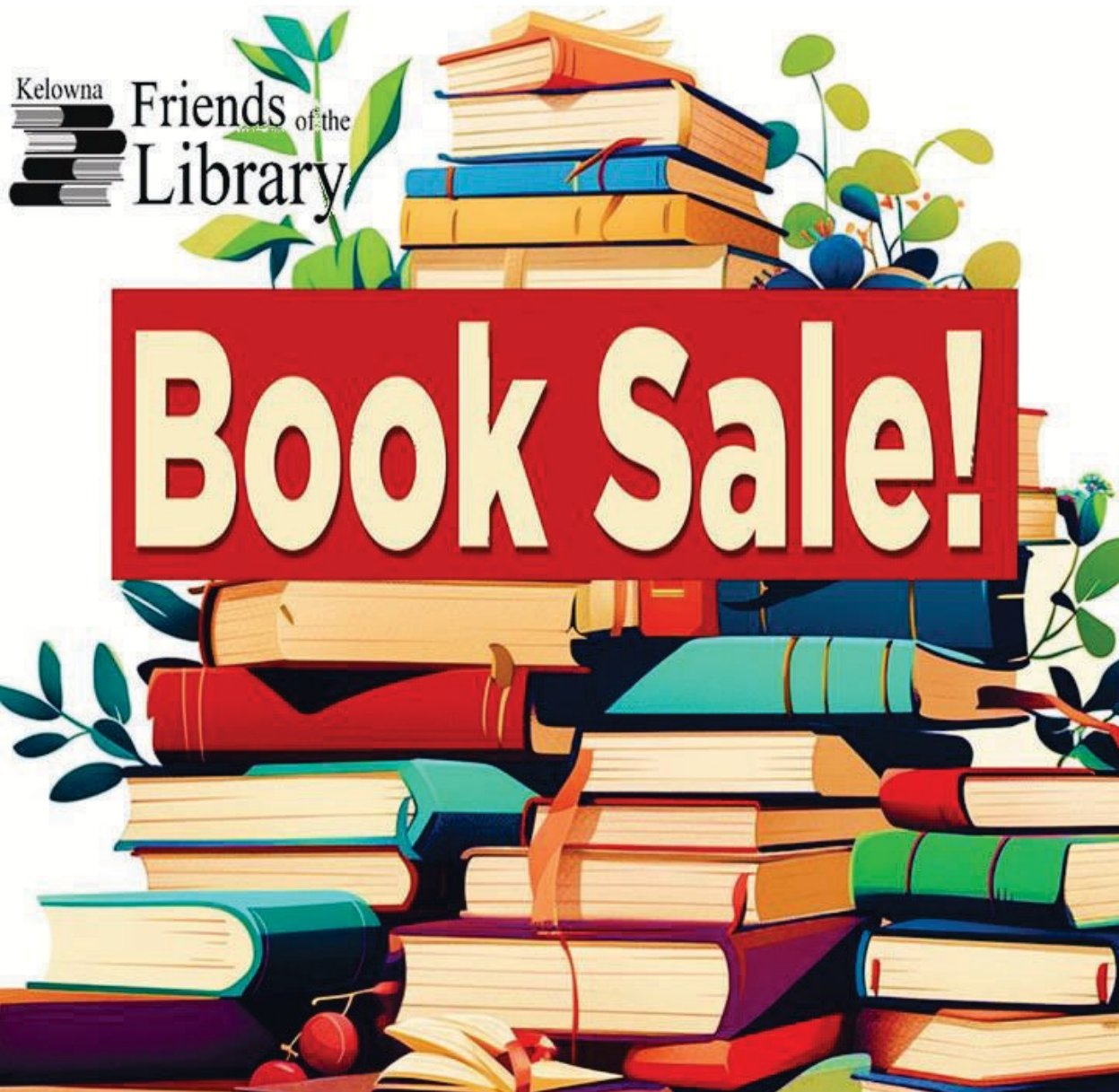
* bursary is available upon request, call 250-469-6140



Register: rdco.com/parkprograms

Wednesdays, November 6 to 27, 2024
3:30 p.m.— 5:00 p.m.
Mission Creek Regional Park (EECO)
2363A Springfield Road, Kelowna BC





34th GREAT OKANAGAN BOOK SALE

SUPPORTING ALL BRANCHES OF OKANAGAN REGIONAL LIBRARY

Wednesday November 13 1pm to 8pm

Thursday November 14 10am to 8pm

Friday November 15 10am to 8pm

Saturday November 16 10am to 2pm

Locaon: Immaculate Conception Parish Hall

839 Sutherland Avenue, Kelowna

fol4k@hotmail.com | www.kelownafol.ca | Facebook

Central Okanagan Family Hub - Kelowna

www.facebook.com/COFHP for up-to-date info or www.cofh.ca

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-4:00pm

Location: 700 Pearson Road, Kelowna, BC

November 2024



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Program Key: Red= Registered program: Pre-registration required. Closed groups that run for several weeks. Green= Drop-in: Join without prior registration Call/text 236-970-4567 or Email: maya@cofh.ca for any Questions, Referral, and Navigation services.				1 Parent Talk, 9:30am-12:00pm Language Cafe, 12:30pm- 2:00pm Drop-in Play Time, 2:30pm-3:30pm
4 Drop-in Play Time, 9:00am-11:30am Launch Okanagan Financial Education, 9:30am-11:00am Drop-in Play Time, 11:30am-3:30pm	5 Circle of Security Arabic, 9:30am-11:00am Drop-in Play Time, 12:00pm-3:30pm	6 Drop-in Play Time, 9:00am-10:00am Japanese Story Time, 10:30am-1:00pm Drop-in Play Time, 1:30pm-3:30pm	7 Drop-in Play Time, 9:30am-11:30am Drop-in Play Time, 12:00pm-3:30pm	8 Parent Talk, 9:30am-12:00pm Language Cafe, 12:30pm-2:00pm Drop-in Play Time, 2:30pm-3:30pm
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WelcomeBC



Program Details:

Drop-in Programs:

Family Play Time at the Hub,

Parents/caregivers with children are welcome to drop-in for a family play time in the HUB playroom. For more information call the HUB at [236-970-4567](tel:236-970-4567)

Parent Talk: The Bridge Youth and Family Services

Support and information group for parents of children 0-6 years old. Opportunity for parents to share and gather information about issues that are impacting their lives and their parenting, create connections, and be a part of a supportive parenting community. Childcare is provided. Please bring a snack for your child(ren).

Select Fridays, 9:30am-11:30 am If you are new to this group and would like to join, call Laura at [250-878-6331](tel:250-878-6331)



Language Café

For newcomers! It's a free program where you learn fundamental English skills. Specifically designed for individuals with zero English proficiency. We provide childcare support for your convenience.

Fridays, 12:30pm-2:30pm

Indigenous Learning at The Hub, The Bridge Youth and Family Services

Parents/caregivers with children are welcome to drop-in for Indigenous learning activities in the HUB playroom. Opportunity for children to learn and create Indigenous crafts and treats.

Last Tuesday of the month 9:30am-11:30am



Community Partners:

Circle of Security in Arabic – The Bridge Youth and Family Services

At times families feel lost or without a clue about what our child might need from us. Circle of security is parenting program based on decades of research about secure parent-child relationships can be supported and strengthened.



Registered Outatoto Ohanashino Kai (Japanese Story Time for infants & toddlers)

A space where children can practice and reinforce the Japanese language and culture. This space is 100% Japanese. Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month, 10:30am-1:00pm

Registered Connect & Play - KCR Family Friend Program

Playtime for moms and children is part of the Family Friend Program. Meet other moms in the program and let your children play.

Select Tuesdays, 12:00pm-2:00pm, Email familyfriend@kcr.ca or visit www.kcr.ca/family-services/family-friend

