



What's Happening at Pearson Road

October 21- November 1, 2024

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

October has been a busy month at Pearson. As Fall sets in, many of our classes have engaged in outdoor learning and started their Learning from the Land!

We look forward to connecting with our Pearson Families at the Fall Festival organized by PSE PAC on the 23rd. We will wrap up the month with some Halloween fun and Diwali celebrations.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Warm Regards,
Mrs. Virk



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Mon, Oct 21	PAC Meeting- 5:30pm
Wed, Oct 23	Photo Retake Day
Wed, Oct 23	PAC- Fall Festival
Fri, Oct 25	NO SCHOOL - Teacher Professional Day

Wed, Oct 30	Cultural Assembly- 8:45
Wed, Oct 30	Gr. 4 & 5 Volleyball @ PSE
Thurs, Oct 31	Halloween
Fri, Nov 1	Diwali Assembly- 10:30

[Link to school calendar](#)



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From the Desk of Ms. Pizzey

Our first field trip of the year is to the McMillan's Pumpkin Patch on October 31st! However, we just could not wait, so we decided to create our own pumpkin patch in our classroom. We have worked together to brainstorm and explore many different things you may see at a pumpkin patch. The children are busy creating pumpkins, signs, scarecrows and other fall decorations using different materials. We will use the finished product as a dramatic play area for the class to pretend to run their very own business! After visiting McMillan's Pumpkin Patch we plan to compare our business creation to theirs! Happy Fall Y'all!





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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



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

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

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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

Click on the picture to explore resources from the Okanagan Regional Library





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

**From your
PAC!**

JOIN THE PAC

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

PAC GENERAL MEETING

This coming Monday, October 21 at 5:30 in the school library.

All parents are encouraged to attend! The agenda and previous meeting minutes are available at [PAC & Parent Meetings - Pearson Road Elementary \(sd23.bc.ca\)](https://sd23.bc.ca). This is a great way to be involved with the school community and support your child's education!

FALL FESTIVAL

This coming Wednesday, October 23 from 4:30-7:00 PM at the school.

All Pearson families are invited to enjoy fun activities, dancing, adventures and yummy food. Entry is by donation and there will be food for sale. Halloween costumes welcome! Please note that you must supervise your children at this event.

We need your help to make this a successful event. To volunteer your time or make a donation of needed items, please sign up here: [Pearson Elementary PAC: Pearson Fall Festival \(signupgenius.com\)](https://signupgenius.com).



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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Partners for Inclusive Education

Partners for inclusive Education (PIE) is a welcoming online space committed to supporting parents/guardians to learn more about the how students with neurodiversity, disability, support needs and/or diverse abilities are supported in their neighborhood school.

PIE is a space where parents/guardians, staff and community come together as partners to champion inclusive education by learning and supporting each other as we navigate the school years together. We connect virtually five times a year offering workshops, speakers, and opportunities to connect with other parents/guardians.

The purpose of Partners for Inclusive Education can be found on the School District website under Parent Resources

Next Event Date:

The next Partners for Inclusive Education meeting is scheduled for:

Date: October 15, 2024

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: Zoom: <https://sd23.zoom.us/j/8569391842>