



Maywood Community School

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MAYWOOD COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER **December 1, 2017**

Principal's Message:

"Learning Involves Patience and Time"

One of the main aspects of the redesigned curriculum is the integration of Aboriginal content, history and perspectives. We are learning about the First Peoples' Principles of Learning that guide our teaching. One of these principles is "learning involves patience and time". This has stuck with me this term as we are reminded to slow down, work thoughtfully and be present in learning.

Our redesigned curriculum focusses on deep learning and problem solving more than quick memorization of information. To learn this way, we need to be patient and to remember that practice and collaborative work makes a difference. Patience is very hard to teach. We live in a world where we can get what we want instantly: fast food, online purchasing, google search for information, TV shows and movies with the press of a button.

Some ways that we can teach patience:

- Select a goal and identify the small steps needed to achieve this goal
- Waiting a few moments before giving your child what they want
- Playing games that require thinking and take time to play (i.e. chess, monopoly, stratego)
- Spend time together to do activities that take time (i.e. crafts, model building, large jigsaw puzzles)

The best thing you can do to teach patience is to model patience.

Warmly,

Ms. Kathryn Yamamoto,

Maywood Community School Principal



Winter Weather

Weather Related School Closures

It is time to remind you of how you might learn of any weather related school closures. All schools will remain **OPEN**, unless there is heavy snowfall, damage or other circumstances (e.g. power outage) that make it impossible to operate safely. In the event there are certain schools or the entire district closed due to snow, or any other weather-related issues, announcements will be made on local radio stations by 7 a.m. on the day of the closure. Please **do not** call the radio station – tune in and listen for the announcements, or check the radio station websites. Please do not call the school for information. Instead, check our website at Maywood.sd41.bc.ca.

Closure information will also be posted on the district website at:

www.burnabyschools.ca and on Twitter **@burnabyschools** (please follow us!).

However, keep in mind that there may be situations where this is not possible, for example, if there are power outages or technical problems. The most reliable way to get school closure information is to listen to the local radio stations.

PLEASE NOTE:

Information will only be provided on school closures. If there is no closure information, our schools are open for learning! However, the decision to send your child to school or not is ultimately a family decision.

It's not too late to apply to the Burnaby

Reminder

Christmas Bureau

This centre coordinates donations from the Burnaby Community to help break the cycles of poverty and isolation. Burnaby families with children 16 years and younger on Income Assistance or low-income can qualify to receive new toys for their children or sponsorship.

REGISTRATION on now to December 18th. Mon. to Fri. 10am – 5pm

Located in Metropolis at Metrotown Upper Level between Winners/Homesense & Big Orange Juice *Must provide a C-Print for EACH adult (to obtain one please call: 1-800-959-8281 press* to speak to an operator). If you are on Income Assistance a print-out from your Ministry Office will replace the C-Print.

Thanks to all of our Partners and Supporters!

Maywood Community School would like to thank many of our generous donors including the Burnaby Firefighters for their ongoing support to our breakfast and snack programs as well as the Real Canadian Superstore for their monthly donations of fresh fruit and vegetables.

Garbage in the Lane—No Dumping Please!!

There have been reports from neighbouring property owners and managers that Maywood parents have been dumping their garbage in or around dumpsters on private property especially in the lane. Please do not do this; dumping garbage on private property is not allowed. Instead, use the garbage and recycling containers inside the school or outside the main entrances. Or, wait until you get home and empty your garbage there. We need to do our part to keep our neighbourhood clean.

Thank you for modelling good citizenship for our children.

NO
DUMPING
VIOLATORS
WILL BE
PROSECUTED

School Cash Online Pay for Student Items Online

Benefits:

- ✓ **Convenient:** Make payments Anytime...Online!
- ✓ **Easy to Use:** Fill a shopping cart and check out
- ✓ **Safe:** No more need to send Cash to school
- ✓ **Secure:** Our website is protected and PCI compliant
- ✓ **Save Time:** It takes Less than 5 minutes to register

Concert Reminder: Maywood students will be performing on either Tuesday December 19th or Wednesday, December 20th. Concert information and ticket requests went home last week. Please see your child's teacher to find out which day and evening your child will be performing. Attendance for both day and evening performance is



Reminder:

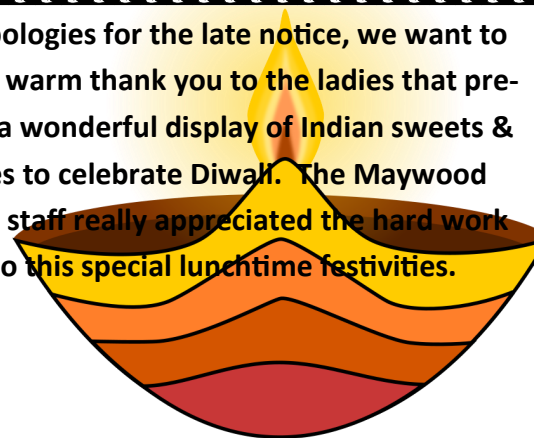
Breakfast with Santa is on Saturday December 9th

8:30-12 noon—Maywood School Gym
(tickets required, get yours in room 105)

Volunteers still needed to help set up and decorate the gym on Friday Dec. 8th after 3 pm

Sign up in room 105

Our apologies for the late notice, we want to send a warm thank you to the ladies that prepared a wonderful display of Indian sweets & goodies to celebrate Diwali. The Maywood School staff really appreciated the hard work put into this special lunchtime festivities.



Don't forget that school fees are now payable online!

Go to burnaby.schoolcashonline.com/ to register.

You can pay for the School Meal Program, Fieldtrips and Extra-Curricular Activities.



Maywood Community School

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Play to Learn Preschool, 3-5 yrs

Play activities help children develop physical, intellectual, social and emotional skills. Our Preschool provides a variety of recreational and educational play opportunities each class. Encouraging instructors use art, music, science, play stations, group activities and routines to create a fun learning environment for your preschooler.

\$182.95, 17 sessions
W/F, 1:00-2:45pm Jan 10 444131
W/F, 1:00-2:45pm Apr 11 444135

Paint and Sketch—Shadbolt in your School, 9-12yrs

Using paints and other exciting materials, young artists are introduced to traditional, imaginative and expressive art-making techniques. They explore the world of both painting and drawing with shapes, lines, colours and textures.

\$45.30, 4 sessions
W, 3-4:30pm Jan 17 464177

Muffins and Cookies Galore, 5-10yrs

Enjoy making and eating a variety of wonderful baked goodies. Each week there's a new recipe to try. The children will also make a recipe booklet to take home.

\$37.50, 4 sessions
Tu, 3-4:30pm Jan 30 464010

Lego™Mania, 5-10 yrs

Using Lego™ children are given the space to work together to build, create, learn and use their imaginations while exploring structural concepts using Lego™.

\$19.50, 5 sessions
W, 3-4:30pm Jan 31 464036
Th, 3-4:30pm Apr 5 464040



First Aid, 10-13 yrs

Be prepared! This first aid course will provide you with the skills and knowledge necessary to assist when faced with an emergency. The program will cover First Aid, CPR, injury prevention and safety.

\$37.50, 4 sessions
M, 3-4:30pm Feb 5 464005

Science Discoveries, 5-10 yrs

The children will have lots of opportunities to explore different aspects of science in this hands-on class. They will try experiments and discuss how science is an important part of our everyday world.

\$37.50, 4 sessions
Th, 3-4:30pm Feb 22 464020

Snack Attack, 5-8 yrs

Learn how to prepare and cook a new delicious and nutritious snacks each week while making friends at the same time.

\$37.50, 4 sessions
Tu, 3-4:30pm Apr 10 464003

Science in the Kitchen, 5-10yrs

Explore science all around us with simple ingredients found in the kitchen. Have fun with simple, safe experiments that are fun to do over and over while learning how and why things happen.

\$37.50, 4 sessions
Th, 3-4:30pm May 10 464023

After School Activities



Registration in Room 105 or any Burnaby Recreation Centre.
Louise Rusch 604-297-4572 for more information.
www.burnaby.ca/webreg



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Email: info@burnabyfamilylife.org
Web: www.burnabyfamilylife.org

Parenting for Immigrants

Raising children in a new society is a difficult task. Come and learn useful information on child development, the Canadian school system, child-care options, positive discipline and much more while you meet other parents and share your experiences.

Free quality childcare is available.

When: Tuesdays, starting January 23, 2018
8 weeks, 12:30-2:30 pm

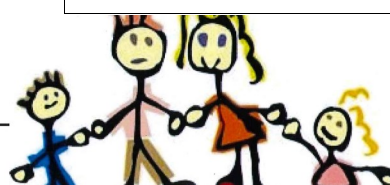
Where: Maywood Community School
6567 Imperial Street, Burnaby, BC

Facilitator: Maya Mihajlovic

To register: Call Amani at 604-664-8208

By Donation

Registration on now in room 105



Winter Break Daycamp

When: Dec 25th, 2017 - Jan 5th, 2018

(Closed Dec 25th, 26th & Jan 1st)

Camp Cost : Week 1 : 9am-4pm \$83 / 7am-6pm \$129

Week 2 : 9am-4pm \$110 / 7am-6pm \$172

For Gr. 1-7

Locations: Clinton, Stride

Contact on site supervisor or Stasi @ (604) 431-0400

Maywood, Marlborough & Suncrest

Contact on site supervisor or Scott @ (604) 431-0400

Gilpin, Lochdale & Douglas Rd

Contact on site supervisor or Kathy @ (604) 294-5444



**The children will take part in a variety of activities
such as gym games, crafts, cooking, and field trips.**



LET'S PLAY BALL...

WITH THE SOUTH BURNABY METRO CLUB!

Baseball programs offered to all youth 3-18 years old.

Online registration for the upcoming spring season opens December 15, 2017.



In-person registrations at the SBMC clubhouse (Bonsor) starting January 2018.

Early bird discounts available until Jan 31, 2018.


More details and information accessible at:

www.southburnabybaseball.com




Student Learning Page







My Spirit Animal



I chose a Raven as my spirit animal. The Raven symbolizes communication, love and life. I represent communication because I communicate with my hands and voice and I also represent love for my family.




by David - Div 9






Ethan



My Spirit Animal



I chose a wolf as my spirit animal. The wolf represents wisdom. I represent wisdom because I work very hard to finish my work. The wolf represents agility. I am fast when I run to the swings at recess.



Divison 9



The 2017 Maywood Volleyball Season

We had a great time participating in the volleyball season. We all learned a lot about volleyball and sportsmanship. We were quite successful in our games and tournaments, but we were most proud to see that our players were putting in an effort to have fun and cheer each other out. Many students improved their volleyball skills, thanks to our amazing coaches: Mr. G. Hamilton, Mr. J. Woo, Ms. C. Johanson, Ms. K. Macartney, Ms N. Harstone, Ms. L. Liaw and Ms. B. Lee. Also, a big thanks to those teachers who volunteered their time to drive the boys' volleyball team to the Byrne Creek Tournament.



We would like to recognize those students who participated in our school's volleyball program this season. For the Boys' Volleyball team: Andy, Greg, Dave, Malik, Nikolas, Rodrigo, Kurt, Kamran, Brian, Bardya, Francis, Jeriah, Campbell, Daniel, Youssif, Krist, Imran, Patrick, Gavin, Sirvan, Benedict and Tristan.

For the Girls' Volleyball team: Roxy, Erika, Jessa, Samantha, Racine, Summer, Davincia, Ermira, Joy, Tallulah, Kristneil, Diyana, Renjee, Rainbow, Drea, Maripet, Natalia, Yasmin, Seerah, Corina, Juliana, Yuna, Athena, Alyza, Soma and Kim.

We are looking forward to sending a competitive team to the Co-Ed Tournament at Burnaby South on December 8th. This is the first time Maywood has attended this event and we are very proud of our players.

By Roxy and Andy (Grade 7 students who play on the Maywood Community School Volleyball



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4 School Meal envelopes go home	5	6	7	8 School Meal envelopes due back	9 Breakfast with Santa
10	11	12	13	14	15 PAC/Council meeting 9:30 All welcome!	16
17	18 Report Cards go home	19 1:30pm Concert <u>6:30 pm Concert</u>	20 1:30pm Concert <u>6:30pm Concert</u>	21 Strong Start closed	22 Strong Start closed Last day of school	23
24 	25 Christmas day	26 Boxing Day	27	28	29	30
31	<p>School break December 23-January 7th</p> <p>School reopens 8:55 am on January 8th 2018</p> <p>Have a happy & safe holiday!</p>					