



STRIKERS WEEKLY WEEK AT A GLANCE



Sunday January 21	Monday January 22	Tuesday January 23	Wednesday January 24	Thursday January 25	Friday January 26	Saturday January 27
	Black Excellence Day		World Day for African and Afro Descendant Culture			International Holocaust Remembrance Day
			Bell Let's Talk Day PLT 8:30 – 10:10am	Collaboration Time 8:30 – 10:10am	Pro-D Day School Closed	
			GLA 12 @9am	GLA 12 @9am		
			Homeroom @ 2:45pm	Grade 7 Parent Information Night 6:30 – 7:30pm Old Gym		
	Drama Production Snow Angels 7:00pm		Grad Friendship Photos By appointment 4:30 – 8:30pm	Drama Production Snow Angels 7:00pm	Drama Production Snow Angels 7:00pm	

EVENTS & UPDATES

Drama Production

The Drama 10 class will be presenting Snow Angel this week. Evening shows start at 7:00pm. Tickets are available at the door: \$5 for students / \$10 for adults.

Grad Friendship Photos

We are excited for our Grad Friendship Group Photos Event on January 24th from 4:30 to 8:30 pm!

To book your session, grads should go

to: https://artona.com/schools/MCRO/programs/graduation_group

Homeroom January 24 @ 2:45pm

A homeroom will take place on Wednesday at 2:45pm, where program planning sheets will be distributed. Students will also take place in a school survey for our Innovation Inquiry Grants.

Grade 7 Parent Information Night

We look forward to meeting new families at our Grade 7 Parent Information Night which will take place on January 25^{th} from 6:30-7:30. All parents of our incoming grade 8s for the 2024-2025 schoo year are welcome to attend.

Grade 8 - 11 Parent Information Night

As we begin our program planning for the 2024-2025 school year, we welcome parents of our current grade 8-11 students to the Parent Information Night on January $31^{\rm st}$. Current Grade 8 Parents: $6-7\rm pm$ Current Grade 9-11 Parents: $7-8\rm pm$

Yearbooks on Sale Now

School yearbooks are now on sale on Cash Online. Don't be disappointed – order your yearbooks ASAP. Once orders close, no late books can be purchased as we order based on student requests. Sales close on February I^{st} .

Reconciliation, Equity, Diversity & Inclusion (REDI)

Richmond parents and caregivers are invited to a Zoom webinar on REDI, to be presented on both January 25th at 7pm or January30th at 11am (repeat presentation). This 60-minute session is designed to help participants understand the district's commitment to Reconciliation, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, and the values and language that inform our practices in school. Registration is required. Please go here for registration. See attachment for more information.

Inclement Weather Procedures

Please see our website for posting on procedures for inclement weather and potential closures due to snow.

 $\underline{https://mcroberts.sd38.bc.ca/news/2024/01/district-information-snow-and-cold-weather}$

Food & Financial Assistance for Families

If families require financial assistance for school fees or class- based field trips, or assistance with lunches, please call or email Ms. Vaughan (avaughan@sd38.bc.ca) for details. It is important to us that all our students are able to focus on their learning and participate in school events without financial barriers.

Social Media Awareness Family Sessions

Safe Schools Together, in partnership with the Ministry of Education and Childcare, is offering "Social Media Awareness" family sessions, designed to support families in navigating the digital world. See the link below for more information on registration

https://pages.saferschoolstogether.com/erase-family-session

CELEBRATING DIVERSITY

World Day for African and Afrodescendant Culture Jan 24:

This day celebrates the contributions of the many vibrant cultures of the African people around the world.

Bell Let's Talk Day Jan 24:

This day encourages people to have important and open conversations about mental health

International Holocaust Remembrance Day Jan 27:

This day is the anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz-Birkenau. This day of remembrace was established to honour the six million Jews and millions of other victims of the Holocaust and Nazism.

UPCOMING DATES

- Monday, Jan 29 Semester Turnaround Day
- Tuesday, Jan 30 First Day of Semester 2 (Rotation 1)
- Wednesday, Jan 31 Gr. 8–11 Parent Program Planning Info Night
- Thursday, Feb 8 S1 Final Report Card Published on MyEd
- Thursday, Feb 8 S2 Meet the Teacher Night