



STRIKERS WEEKLY WEEK AT A GLANCE



Sunday March 26	Monday March 27	Tuesday March 28	Wednesday March 29	Thursday March 30	Friday March 31	Saturday April 1
Ramadan Islam	Ramadan Islam School Re- opens after Spring Break	Ramadan Islam	Ramadan Islam PLT	Ramadan Islam End of Chaitra Navratri Hinduism Ram Navami Hinduism Collaboration Day	Ramadan Islam	Ramadan Islam

UPCOMING EVENTS

Welcome back from Spring Break!

A big welcome back to our students and staff from Spring Break. We hope you have all had a chance to relax and enjoy some time with family and friends.

Concours d'Art Oratoire & French Festival April 3

On April 3 from 5:00 – 8:00pm, McRoberts is hosting the Concours d'Art Oratoire along with a Festival for students learning French as a second language.

Concours d'art oratoire is a French public speaking competition that takes place in BC every year. The competition is organized by Canadian Parents for French, a non-profit organization that promotes French language education and cultural opportunities for youth. Concours d'art oratoire is open to students in grades 6 through 12 who are learning French as a second language or who come from French-speaking families. The competition is designed to help students develop their oral communication skills in French and to build their self-confidence.

In conjunction with Concours, this year the Richmond School District is hosting a first ever French Family Cultural Celebration. This event is open to everyone, regardless of age, background, or language proficiency. Activities include a French chef workshop with a take-away recipe and treat, French concert and performance for children, various performances in French by our students, and food trucks.

We welcome you to come and celebrate with us, meet new people, and learn about French culture. Admission is free, so bring your friends and family.

Dry After Grad Meeting Tuesday, April 4

All parents are welcome to join the Dry After Grad Meeting in the McRoberts Library, Tuesday April 4th at 7:30pm.

PAC Meeting, Wednesday, April 12

All parents are invited to join the PAC meeting on April 12th in the McRoberts Library. Parents can also join virtually via Zoom:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86989214596?pwd=R2F3cUVMV2NWVzhtWEV4TGluZnZMZz09>

Meeting ID: 869 8921 4596
Passcode: 294921

Spring Flowers Athletics Fundraiser



All families are invited to support our newest Athletics Fundraiser. Our McRoberts Athletics Department is selling mixed hanging baskets, flowers and cherry tomatoes. Order by April 6 on School Cash Online. Thank you for your support!

CELEBRATING DIVERSITY

Chaitra Navratri (Hinduism) - Mar 21 to 30:

Nine-day festival marked by fasting and praying to the goddess of energy, wealth and knowledge.

Ramadan (Islam) - Mar 22 to Apr 21:

The Holy Month of Ramadan is the month of fasting, self-examination and devotion during which physically able Muslims to not eat or drink from the first sign of dawn until sunset.

Ram Navami (Hinduism) - Mar 30:

Rama Navami is a Hindu festival that celebrates the birthday of Rama, the seventh avatar of the deity Vishnu. The festival celebrates the descent of Vishnu as the Rama avatar, through his birth to King Dasharatha and Queen Kausalya in Ayodhya, Kosala.

UPCOMING DATES

- April 3: Concours & French Festival 5:00pm
- April 4: DAG Meeting 7:39pm
- April 5: CLC Grade 12 Meetings PLT
- April 7: Good Friday (School Closed)
- April 10: Easter Monday (School Closed)
- April 11: Grade 12 Scholarship Applications Due
- April 12: Grade 11 CLC Intro Meeting PLT
- April 12: PAC Meeting 7:00pm
- April 14: Immunization Clinic
- April 20: Capstone Showcase
- April 20: S2 Term 1 Report Cards Published MyEd
- April 26: GNA 10 Provincial Assessment
- April 26: Parent -Teacher Conferences (Early Dismissal)
- April 27: GNA 10 Provincial Assessment
- April 27: Parent-Teacher Conferences (Early Dismissal)