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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Hallowe'en is days away and November is upon us! Soon we will be writing report cards and preparing for the winter holiday! The first few weeks of school often set the tone for the school year. It was an exciting beginning thanks to the completion of the new adventure playground. What a wonderful gift our community has given to the children of Glenwood! The PAC and parents did a phenomenal job of fundraising for the new playground equipment. We appreciate the amazing work that the playground committee did. Thank you!

The support of the PAC and parents are vital to the school community; from volunteering to distribute fresh fruit and vegetables, fundraising to support student learning opportunities, driving students to participate in sports activities, organizing special treats such as special lunches and helping in the primary classes. Please know that the staff and I are truly grateful for your support and for giving so generously of your time.

I would like to gently remind our community that the parking lot is for staff parking. Please do not park or stop in the middle of the entrance or exit, fire lanes or behind parked cars. Students walk through our parking lot. Thank you for your understanding and co-operation in ensuring student safety. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

We are excited to announce that our new school webpage is up and running. Information such as the school calendar, school events and district news are posted in real time. Parents and families can sign up on the website for email alerts when information is posted. With so much information available online the traditional monthly school newsletter will be smaller.

Sincerely,

Lori McNary

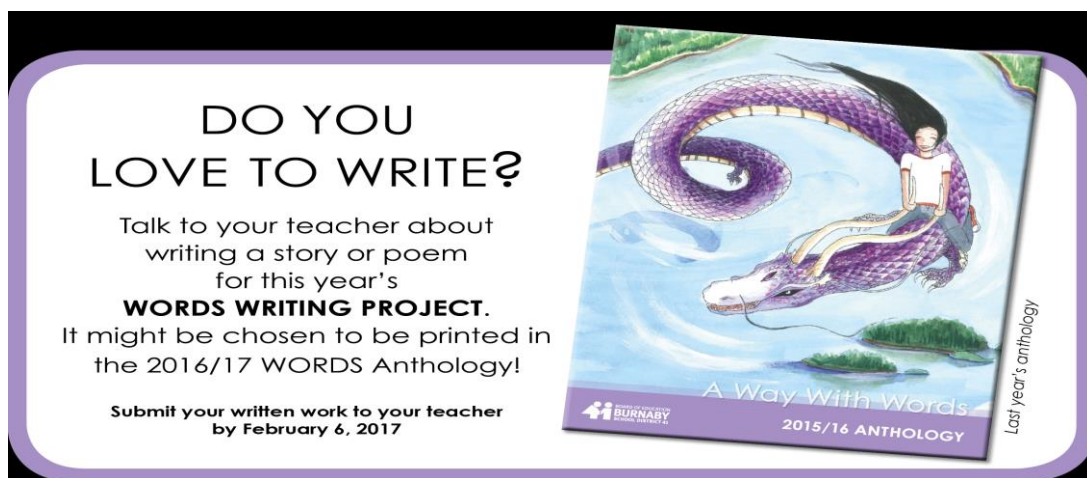


School Listserv

Below is the link used to “whitelist” the school district domain to be able to receive messages to your Outlook/Hotmail/Gmail account in case you are still not receiving e-mails from our Listserv due to last year’s District phishing disruptions.

<http://north.sd41.bc.ca/blog/2016/05/31/district-email-disruptions/>

2016/17 WORDS Anthology



DO YOU LOVE TO WRITE?

Talk to your teacher about writing a story or poem for this year's **WORDS WRITING PROJECT.** It might be chosen to be printed in the 2016/17 WORDS Anthology!

Submit your written work to your teacher by February 6, 2017

A Way With Words
2015/16 ANTHOLOGY
Last year's anthology

PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

The school year is flying by and before you know Winter Break will be upon us!

Fundraising

We have several fundraisers happening over the next few months...no need to feel overwhelmed...just participate in what interests you! If you ever have a suggestion or idea for events or fundraising activities please come out to a meeting or feel free to email Kyndrie at glenwood_pac@hotmail.com.

Cookies & Pies

It's time to stock the freezer for Winter Break and Holiday Entertaining! We are once again working with Western Direct Fundraising for our annual Cookie & Pie fundraiser! Order forms are due back November 4th. You will be able to pick up your orders on November 22nd!

Pub Night

We've booked The Great Bear Pub for our annual "Parents Night Out" Pub Night on Saturday, November 5th at 6:30pm. Tickets are \$20. On top of a fun night out, we'll also have a Toonie Toss and Silent Auction! Need a babysitter for the night? Contact Kyndrie at kmalmquist@pacificgatewayhotel.com

Don't forget our ongoing Fundraising Opportunities:

Boston Pizza-Market Crossing

We are continuing to partner with Boston Pizza who will generously donate 10% of their patron's bill if they write "**Glenwood Elementary School**" on the back of their receipt and drop it off in the school box; which is located at the front of the restaurant.

QSP

Another ongoing fundraiser and a great gift idea for the upcoming holiday season! QSP Magazine subscriptions! Save some money while supporting Glenwood at the same time. **The best part is we earn a 37% profit or an average of \$10.00 per subscription for our school.** Visit the website: www.qsp.ca to register and shop! Our schools online ID number is: 3744828. Happy shopping!

Cobb's Bread-Market Crossing

Remember each time you purchase a product at COBS Marine Way, mention you're raising dough for Glenwood Elementary and the staff will process a 10% donation of the total sale back to Glenwood!

Lee's Bottle Depot

Don't forget to drop all your refundable containers can be dropped off at Lee's Bottle Depot and placed in the Glenwood Bin. Staff will sort and credit Glenwood at 112% the value of the refundable containers. Please spread the word to neighbours, family and friends!

Next PAC Meeting

Our next PAC meeting will be on Friday, November 18th at **9:05am** in Room 2. All parents and guardians are welcome to join us at the meeting and for some light refreshments. If you have a little one, childcare will be available upon request and provided by our Grade 7 students, please contact Kyndrie at glenwood_pac@hotmail.com or Ms. Hajek at 604-664-8800 to reserve a spot.



Kyndrie Malmquist-PAC Chair

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Community Asset Mapping

You are invited to participate with your neighbours to create a map of community assets in South Burnaby. This is an opportunity for you to identify the people, places and experiences important to your sense of community.

Friday, November 25th at 7 p.m. at

Burnaby Neighbourhood House
Community Hall
5024 Rumble Street

Event is free and open to all South Burnaby residents but pre-registration is required. Child-minding is available upon request.

If you are interested in attending or would like more information, contact Briana at Briana.fraser@gmail.com

Community Adult Literacy Program

Passionate about literacy? Love working with adults? Become a Volunteers Tutor! You will receive a free 12-hour training. You can support adults to improve their reading and writing skills. This opportunity is available only to individuals 19 years and over who have completed their grade 12. Program is funded by Ministry of Advanced Education. Interested? Please contact Rajeeta at 604-431-0400 or literacy@burnabynh.ca

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COMMUNITY DANCE!



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\$20 family
free under 12

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