

THE WEEK AHEAD

FERRIS FALCONS

Feb 3-7

UPCOMING DATES

MONDAY:

TUESDAY:

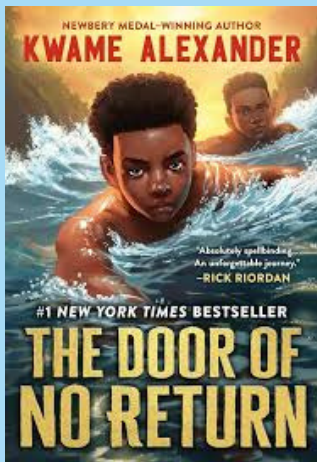
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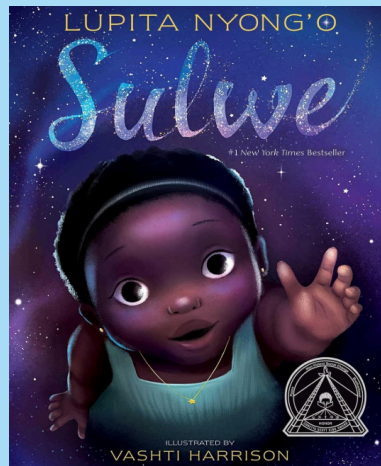
FRIDAY: Hot Lunch - Libby's Kitchen



FERRIS BOOK CORNER



Grade 5-7



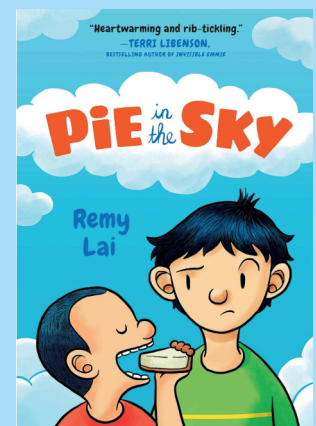
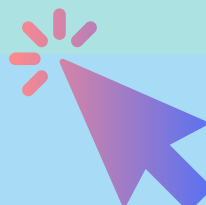
Grade K-7



Grade 1-3



Grade K-3



Grade 4-7

IMPORTANT DATES AHEAD



Feb 7: Hot Lunch - Libby's Kitchen

Feb 10: PAC Meeting

Feb 14: District Pro D Day - No School for Students / Valentine's Day

Feb 17: Family Day (BC) - School Closed

Feb 21: Hot Lunch - Fresh Slice Pizza

Feb 26: Pink Shirt Day

Feb 27: Early Dismissal/conferences - 11:53am

Mar 7: Hot Lunch - Sushi Lovers

March 10: PAC Meeting

March 12: Class Photos

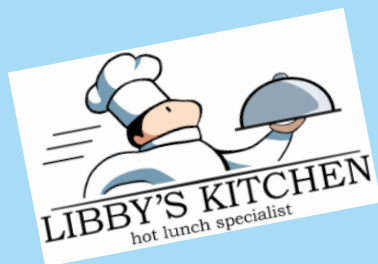
Mar 14: Last Day of School Before Spring Break

Mar 17-28: Inclusive: Spring Break

Mar 31: First Day Back to School



PAC NEWS



Feb 7 - Libby's Kitchen

Feb 21 - Fresh Slice Pizza

Mar 7 - Sushi Lovers

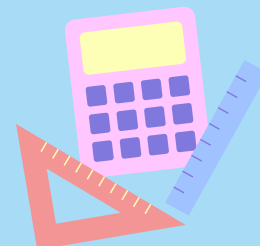
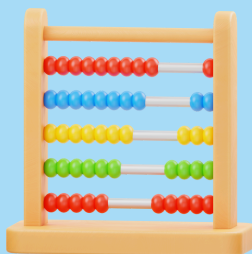


Thank you to everyone who attended the PAC Meeting on Monday and to all the parents who volunteered for Hot Lunch!

We are always in need of volunteers for our events, whether you can spare a few hours or more. If you are interested in volunteering, please click the link to sign up on [Konstella](#) or reach out to us at FerrisPAC@gmail.com.

MATH

Math Club Mondays @
Lunch
Grade 4-7



FEBRUARY IS: BLACK HISTORY MONTH

- 1-7 UN World Interfaith Harmony Week
- 2 Vasant Panchami
- 5 Ash Wednesday
- 12 Lantern Festival
- 12 Magha Puja Day
- 15 Nirvana Day
- 17 Family Day
- 20 World Day of Social Justice
- 21 International Mother Language Day
- 26 Maha Shivarati
- 26 Pink Shirt Day
- 28 Ramadan Begins (Ends March 29)



Richmond School District's 2024-25 School Year Calendar

Legend

- Buddhism
- Christianity
- Hinduism
- Islam
- Judaism
- Sikhism
- RLT Meeting
- Administrative Day
- Professional Development Day
- Choice Professional Development Day
- Statutory Holiday
- Vacation Period

Important Notes:
Exact dates of some holidays may vary slightly depending on the specific faith calendar and the sighting of the moon.
Dates listed are the best predictable dates for those faiths that follow a lunar calendar, including Judaism, Islam and Hinduism.

Schools and departments are encouraged to avoid scheduling any significant day and evening meetings/events on dates shown in bold.

Updated: November 5, 2024

Month	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
September 2024	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
October 2024	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
November 2024	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
December 2024	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
January 2025	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
February 2025	26	27	28	29	30	31	
March 2025	30	31					
April 2025	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
May 2025	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
June 2025	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
July 2025	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
August 2025	27	28	29	30	31		

September 2024

- 2 Labour Day
- 7 Ganesh Chaturthi ☸
- 8 International Literacy Day
- 8-14 Menonite Heritage Week
- 15-18 **Mawlid-al-Nabi C**
- 22-28 Gender Equality Week
- 30 **National Day of Truth and Reconciliation / Orange Shirt Day**

October 2024

- 1 National Seniors Day
- 2-4 **Rosh Hashana Y**
- 3-12 Navaratri ☸
- 4 Nat'l Day of Action to Honour Missing Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls, Trans and 2-Spirited
- 5 World Teachers' Day
- 10 World Mental Health Day
- 11 International Day of the Girl
- 11 **Kol Hidrel Y**
- 11-12 **Dussehra S / 'Om Kippur Y**
- 14 Thanksgiving
- 16 International Promenades Day / World Food Day
- 16 Sukkot Begins (ends Oct 23) Y
- 17 Int'l Day for the Eradication of Poverty
- 17 Spirit Day
- 18 Persons Day
- 20 Installation of Scriptures as Guru Granth ☸
- 24-25 Simcha Torah Y
- 28 Inquiry eCamp

November 2024

- 1 Musqam Day
- 1 **Diwali (starts Oct 31) ☸ S**
- 5 Support Staff Day of Recognition
- 7 National Inuit Day
- 8 Indigenous Veterans Day
- 11 Remembrance Day
- 15 **Birth of Guru Nanak Dev Sahib ☸**
- 16 International Day for Tolerance
- 16 Louis Riel Day
- 18-22 Multiculturalism Week
- 20 Transgender Day of Remembrance
- 20 World Child Day
- 23 Holocaust Memorial Day
- 24 Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahdur ☸
- 25 Elementary Mini Conference

December 2024

- 2 Secondary Mini Conference
- 3 Int'l Day of Persons with Disabilities
- 4 Leadership and Management Staff Day of Recognition
- 6 National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence Against Women
- 8 **Booth Day ☸**
- 9 International Day of Commemoration and Dignity of the Victims of the Crime of Genocide and of the Prevention of this Crime
- 10 Human Rights Day
- 13 Salgrah
- 19 Elementary Reports Published: Term 1
- 21 Winter Solstice (Northern Hemisphere)
- 24 **Christmas Eve †**
- 24 Quinceañera Begins
- 25 **Christmas †**
- 25 **Hannukah (ends Jan 2) Y**

January 2025

- 1 Ochetokoskaw – Kissing Day – Hand Shaking Day (Métis)
- 4 World Braille Day
- 5 Guru Gobind Singh Birthday/Prakash ☸
- 13 Magha ☸
- 14 Mahayana New Year ☸
- 15 Black Excellence Day
- 17 **Racial Walkersberg Day**
- 21 Lincoln Alexander Day
- 20 World Day for African and Afrodescendant Culture
- 27 Elementary Mini Conference
- 27 International Holocaust Remembrance Day
- 28 **Semester 2 Starts (Select Secondary Schools)**
- 29 Lunar New Year ☸
- 29 National Day of Remembrance of the Quebec City Mosque Attack and Action Against Islamophobia
- 29 Day of Remembrance and Action on Islamophobia (in the Province of BC)

February 2025

- 1-7 UN World Interfaith Harmony Week
- 2 Vasant Panchami ☸
- 5 **Ash Wednesday †**
- 5 **Richmond School District Student Voice Forum**
- 12 Lantern Festival
- 12 **Magha Puja Day ☸**
- 15 Nirvana Day ☸
- 17 Family Day
- 20 World Day of Social Justice
- 21 International Mother Language Day
- 26 **Maha Shivarati ☸**
- 26 **Pink Shirt Day**
- 28 **Ramadan Begins (Ends March 29) C**

March 2025

- 1 **Zero Discrimination Day**
- 8 International Women's Day
- 13-14 Purim Y
- 14 **Holi ☸**
- 14-16 Holi Mohalla ☸
- 15 International Day to Combat Islamophobia
- 17 Neurodiversity Celebration Week
- 19 Nowruz – Iranian (Persian) New Year
- 20 Baha' New Year
- 21 International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
- 21 World Down Syndrome Day
- 30 **Chaitra Navratri (ends April 7) S**
- 30-31 **Eid-al-Fitr Celebration C**

April 2025

- 1 Autism Awareness Month, Condemnation and Prevention Month, Genocide Remembrance, Sikh Heritage Month
- 2 World Autism Awareness Day
- 6 Ram Navami ☸
- 10 French Festival
- 12 Hanuman Jayanti ☸
- 12-20 **Pesach Y**
- 14 **Vaisakhi ☸**
- 14 International Day of Pink
- 14 **Bangka Heritage Week**
- 20 **Good Friday †**
- 20 **Easter Sunday †**
- 20 First Day of the Festival of Ridvan
- 21 **Easter Monday †**
- 23-24 **Yom HaShoah** (Holocaust Remembrance Day) Y
- 29 Elementary Reports Published: Term 2
- 30 Joint Pro-D Day Celebration

May 2025

- 1 **Allian Heritage Month, Jewish Heritage Month, Speech and Hearing Month**
- 5 Dutch Heritage Day
- 5 Red Dress Day
- 10 **Beer Willies Day**
- 12 **Wesak/Buddha Day S ☸**
- 16 **Non-Instructional Day – District Wide Indigenous Learning Focus**
- 17 International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia, and Biphobia
- 18-24 **Anti-Racism Awareness Week**
- 19 Victoria Day
- 21 World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue Development
- 23 Anniversary of Komagata Maru
- 25 National Accessibility Week
- 27 **Richmond School District Indigenous Achievement Ceremony**

June 2025

- 1-3 **Shawon Y**
- 4 Inqui Celebration
- 4-9 **The Hajj C**
- 7 **Eid al-Adha C**
- 16 **Guru Arjan Martyrdom ☸**
- 17 **National Indigenous Peoples' Day**
- 23 National Day of Remembrance for Victims of Terrorism
- 24 St. Jean-Baptiste Day
- 26 The Islamic New Year (Arabic New Year or Hijri New Year) C
- 26 Elementary Reports Published: Term 3
- 27 Canadian Multiculturalism Day

July 2025

- 1 Canada Day
- 1 **Sant Teja Day ☸**
- 17-20 Métis Nation Day
- 18 Nelson Mandela Day

August 2025

- 1 Emancipation Day
- 4 BC Day
- 9 Int'l Day of the World's Indigenous People
- 12 International Youth Day
- 15 National Academies Day
- 16 Jannashami ☸
- 19 Birth of Lord Krishna – Jannashami ☸
- 23 International Day of Remembrance of Slavery Victims and the Transatlantic Slave Trade

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