



## *This Week at Currie*

WEEK AT A GLANCE				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Div. 5 to Art Gallery	Choir Practice	Div. 6 Art Gallery  Remembrance Day Assembly Rehearsal	Remembrance Day Assembly 10:45 a.m.

### **November 1st, 2024**

Hello Currie families

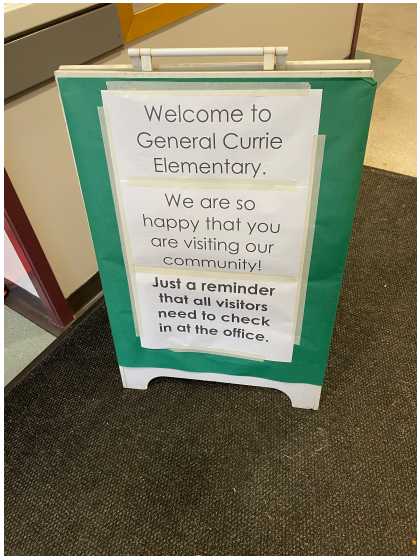
We had a wonderful time yesterday building and celebrating our community with our Halloween parade and buddy pumpkin carving activity. It was lovely to see so many families attend our parade.

**Please see below for some important information and upcoming dates.**

### **Visitors in the building :**

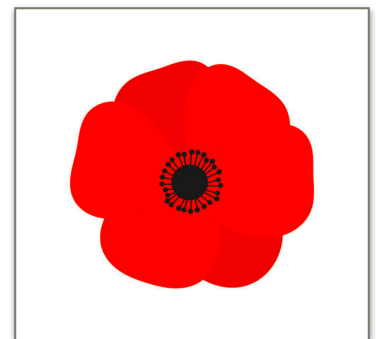
To ensure the safety of all students and staff **we request that all visitors, including parents, report to the office and wear a visitor's tag.** This will help to create a safe environment where all expected visitors are welcome. If

your child needs to be escorted to class, please check in at the office so that a staff member can assist. **If you need to pick up your child early, please report to the office, not your child's classroom.** This is for the safety of your child as well as helping to minimize disruptions during instruction. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Mrs. Hoffinger.



## Remembrance Day:

On Friday November 8th, at 10:45 a.m. we will have our Remembrance Day Assembly. Students that are contributing with their class, or in the choir, are asked to wear white tops and dark pants or skirts if they have them. All students in service clubs (Guides, Scouts, Cadets, etc.) may choose to wear their uniforms. Parents and families are invited to attend.



## **PAC News:**

### **PAC Purdy's Holiday Fundraiser 2024**

### **Our Purdys Fundraiser begins....NOW!**

Go get your chocolates:

<https://fundraising.purdys.com/821961-120873>

Stock up on your favorite Purdys treats for your family, friends and colleagues AND support a great cause at the same time—it's the best of both worlds. All fundraising profit raised will directly support General Currie Elementary so every order makes a great difference to us!

Ordering is as easy as eating chocolate. Just click this link <https://fundraising.purdys.com/821961-120873>, enter campaign number - **40486**, fill out your info you'll need an email address, name and phone number, click "Join Campaign" and order to your heart's content!

The order deadline is November 25, 2024; so, get shopping!

## **Parent Education Sessions:**

The Richmond School District is excited to offer the following parent education sessions during the 2024/25 school year:

- Social Media Awareness, Digital Citizenship, and Cyberbullying
- Cellphones: What's Healthy, What's Not, and What We Can Do to Support Our Kids
- Reclaiming Play: Revitalizing Childhood to Combat Anxiety and Aggression
- Cybersafe from Exploitation

These virtual sessions are open to all parents in the Richmond School District and will provide practical strategies, expert insights, and tools to support your child's well-being in the digital age. Please see below for detailed descriptions of each session and registration information. We look forward to your participation!

### **Social Media Awareness, Digital Citizenship, and Cyberbullying**

Presented by Steven MacDonald  
November 13, 2024 | 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

As a parent/guardian, you lead the charge as a digital role model. Help your child develop a strong digital citizenship foundation while reminding them that their digital tattoo reflects their real and online selves. Parents/guardians have an important role to play in providing support and guidance during critical periods. A snapshot of current trends and concerning apps will be provided to equip you in your digital parenting strategy.

[Click here to register](#)

## **Important Dates:**

**Nov. 8th:** Remembrance Day Assembly at **10:45 a.m.**

**Nov. 11th:** Remembrance Day (no school)

**Nov. 14th:** Photo Re-takes

**Nov. 15th:** Pre-ordered Hot Lunch

**Nov. 21st:** Movie night

**Nov. 25th:** Pro D Day- no school for students

**Nov. 29th:** Pre-ordered Hot Lunch

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call the office at 604-668-6440 or email me at [shoffinger@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:shoffinger@sd38.bc.ca)

Sincerely, Mrs. Sharon Hoffinger Principal, General Currie Elementary School

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