Quilchena Elementary School District #38

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Quilchena Community

The Week Ahead ~ FINAL

We invite families to visit the School Calendar on our website: <u>https://quilchena.sd38.bc.ca/</u> for all of our future notable dates and events. Simply click on the 'event' for more details.

June 29 – Pro-D Day (no students in session) June 30 – Administrative Day (no students in session) September 6 – First Day of School 8:45am-9:45pm



It has been an excellent year full of learning and special moments. We re-experienced many activities this year that we had to press pause over the last couple of years due to Covid (Family Teams, Assemblies, Book Fair, Cyclone Day, Beach Day) and it was wonderful to be able to reconnect as a community. As you begin your summer break, all the staff would like to wish you a restful and fun-filled holiday. Thank you for being part of our special Quilchena community.

In Other Quilchena News:

<u>Daily Health Check:</u> We would like to thank all families this year for your continued compliance with

our mandatory daily health check. Your support in following the provincial health guidelines has been most helpful in keeping our community safe.

<u>Summative Assessments:</u> Communicating Student Learning (CSL) You would have had access to your child's Summative Posts and MyEd report on June 24th. If you haven't done so already, please spend some time together, celebrating your child(ren)'s learning and hard work over this past year.

For our students leaving the Richmond School District (withdrawing, moving to a different district, etc.) you can export their portfolio to save their evidence of learning, reflections and assessments. This process will create a zip file on your computer and posts will be available in a web-based or image file. If your child is leaving the Richmond School District, it is imperative that this is done as soon as possible. Once the student is no longer with the district, their portfolio will no longer be available. Please see the attached instruction sheet.



<u>Office Hours</u>: The school is now closed to students. Should you have questions or concerns, the office will be open until Tuesday, July 5th at 12:00pm – if attention is required after this time, please contact the school district directly on 604-668-6000

PAC Bursary: Every year The Quilchena PAC and Hugh Boyd Secondary collaborate to present a Bursary to an ex-Quilchena student to assist with their post-secondary school expenses. This year's recipient is Jake Blair – congratulations and good luck in your pursuits.



Looking at September: September 6th, 2022 school reopens.

On the first day of school all students will attend for one hour 8:45am-9:45am, please enter through the exterior doors of your current classroom. New gr. 1-7 students will enter through the main doors and after checking in, will go to the library. Our new Kindergarten students will come from 9:00am-9:45am, you will be directed where to go on the day.





Notice of Late Return: School restarts on Tuesday, September 6th and we hope to see everyone on this date. Should extenuating circumstances prevent your child from attending the first day of school, please complete the attached form along with a written explanation of why your child's return to school will be delayed, send these to Mrs. Kusch. It is the expectation that all students will be in attendance by Wednesday, September 14th. Failure to do so may result in your child losing their placement at Quilchena and they may have to attend another school upon their late return.

<u>Garden Volunteers:</u> Please don't let the hard work of our students go to waste. We are still seeking families to volunteer for gardening maintenance August 1-7 and August 29-September 4.— if you're available, please let Mrs. Hughes know as soon as possible — for those families who require a garden care orentation, please come to the office on Thursday afternoon at 2:45pm — thank you.





<u>Volunteer Opportunity:</u> If you have a teenager at home looking for a great volunteer opportunity please take a look at the information below from Ms. Jessy at our Chill Zone.

Creatively Crafted Childcare

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY @ The Chill Zone (Inside Quilchena Elementary, Richmond)

Are you 13 years old or older? Do you want some volunteer experience this summer working with children between the ages of 5 and 12? Are you active and enjoy being outdoors? If you answered yes; this may be a great opportunity for you! The volunteer hours are 9am-2pm, Monday to Friday. Each week has a different theme with lots of outdoor and indoor activities.

Due to COVID, we are looking for commitment for a week at a time. This will ensure you are with the same children & staff for the whole week. If you are feeling unwell, you must NOT come to the program, (notify childcare coordinator asap). You must do a daily health check prior to coming to the program. At this time, staff, volunteers and children must wear a face mask at all times while at our program, except when eating snack or lunch.

You will be required to submit a resume, do an interview, and provide consent for a criminal record check before you begin.

At the end of summer, you will receive a letter stating the number of hours you have volunteered.

If you are interested, please send your resume to Jessy at creativelycraftedchildcare@yahoo.com