



October 9, 2024

Sinkut View Elementary

Phone: (250) 567-5133

We are grateful to live, work, and play on the unceded, ancestral territories of fourteen First Nations representing the Dakelh, Nedut'en and Wet'suwet'en peoples.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Hadih parents,

This morning, it was -2 before school. A day like today is a good reminder for all of us to think about the outside clothing we are wearing when we come to school. A few students were complaining about the cooler weather and wanted to come inside before the bell rang. If you are aware of missing clothing belonging to your child, please feel free to come by the school and see what we have in our growing pile of unclaimed clothes.

Looking way ahead to October 31, here are some things to keep in mind when you are purchasing or making a costume for your child - we cannot accept any violent, adult-themed costumes. We also cannot allow weapons or full-face masks. Finally, culturally insensitive costumes are not allowed. If you have any questions about your child's costume and its suitability for school, please feel free to contact me at the school.

And, looking ahead a few days - Happy Thanksgiving Day! Enjoy the long weekend with family and friends.

Mrs. Geddes



Upcoming Events

October 10 – Cross Country Run for Gr. 3, 4, 5 and 6
October 10 – Chicken Caesar Wrap
October 10 – Grade 6 Band
October 11 – Hamburger
October 11 – Learning Updates Sent Home
October 14 – Thanksgiving – No School
October 15 – Ham and Cheese Bun
October 15 – Grade 5 Band
October 15 – Hockey Academy
October 16 – Mac and Cheese
October 16 – Grade 6 Band
October 17 – Grade 6 Band
October 17 – Chili
October 18 – Fall Dress Up Day
October 18 – Caramel Chicken
October 21 – Grade 5 Band
October 22 – Grade 5 Band
October 22 – Talk About Learning Time/Early Dismissal
October 23 – Grade 6 Band
October 24 – Grade 6 Band
October 25 – Pro-D Day – No School



**Why can't your
nose be 12 inches
long?**

Because then it would
be a foot!

Register Now

VANDERHOOF PUBLIC LIBRARY'S

KIDS BOOK CLUBS

2024/25

BOOKS - GAMES - CRAFTS - FRIENDS
ENGAGING IN A BOOK CLUB FOSTERS A LOVE FOR READING BY INTRODUCING KIDS TO CAPTIVATING STORIES AND DIVERSE GENRES

MORE INFO AND TO REGISTER:
SARA@VANDERHOOFLIBRARY.COM
250-567-4060

BOOK BUDDIES
FOR EMERGING CHAPTER BOOK READERS
WEDNESDAY
THE CLUB MEETS ON THE LAST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH, FROM OCTOBER TO JUNE. THE FIRST MEETING WILL BE ON OCTOBER 30TH.
3:15 PM - 4:30 PM

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ESPECIALLY FOR MIDDLE GRADE READERS
FRIDAY
THE CLUB MEETS ON THE THIRD FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH, FROM OCTOBER TO JUNE. THE FIRST MEETING WILL BE ON OCTOBER 18TH.
3:15 PM - 4:30 PM


Bringing Knowledge to Life



2024 Jackrabbit Ski Program

The objective of The Jackrabbit Program is for children (ages 4-12) to learn basic cross country ski skills and to instill a lifelong interest in the sport, thereby enhancing their quality of life and health!

REGISTRATION for The Jackrabbit Program can be made online at:

<https://zone4.ca/register.asp?id=32959&lan=1&cartlevel=1>

For additional funding eligibility go to kidsports.ca

Lessons start January 11th (January 18th for Bunnies) and run on Tuesday evenings from 6:00-7:30pm and Saturdays from 10:00am-12:00pm.

To avoid being disappointed please register as soon as possible as space is limited!!

See you on the trails!



Fall Dress Up Day

Friday, October 18th

What to Wear: Plaid, sweaters, scarves, wool socks, toques, and slippers

Fall Colours: Yellow, Orange, Red, Burgundy, Brown

Hot drinks sold at lunch \$1



Funds raised will go towards School Leads Events

JUNIOR VIKES WRESTLING



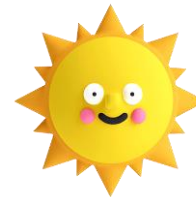
- Open to athletes grades 2-6
- No previous experience necessary
- October 16th - December 18th



Only a few spaces remain

INFORMATION/REGISTRATION:

[HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/VOZDERVKMSPQC3QB7](https://forms.gle/VOZDERVKMSPQC3QB7)



Dakelh Word of the Week

Jenyo ~ bull moose



Hot Lunch Orders

Hot lunch ordering is done online unless a paper order form is requested. Thanks for helping us keep paper costs down! Please let Mrs. Swanson know if you need assistance with your MunchaLunch account. Hot lunch can be ordered daily, weekly or monthly.

Hot lunch is available everyday.

www.munchalunch.com



CONTACT SARA
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School Board Meeting

Monday, October 21, 2024
6:00 pm

Room 112, FSJSS
Fort St. James, BC

Important Public Attendance Notice:

Members of the public are invited to attend Regular Meetings of the Board of Education.

Due to limited space and seating availability, please request your seat prior to noon on meeting day if you wish to attend in person.

Alternatively, members of the public may attend this meeting virtually through Microsoft Teams. To take advantage of this online attendance option, please visit www.sd91.bc.ca/meeting-information for the Teams link or you may request your electronic invitation prior to 4:00 pm on meeting day.

Contact:

Heather Silver

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Vanderhoof Clippers Speed Skating Club 2024 - 2025 Season



Registration is Open!!

From beginners to advanced skaters from age 4 years to adult.

Speed skates available for rent.

Low cost, fun and fast winter sport!

Must be 4 years old on or before June 30th.

Questions? Contact Terry Lazaruk 250-570-8444.

Registration link: <https://icereg.ca/#!/events/vanderhoof-clippers-speed-skating-club-20242025-2025>

vanderhoofspeedskating@gmail.com



BASKET BALL

REGISTRATION

We're excited to kick off a fresh season of youth basketball. Registration ends October 11th.

Practises will start October 25th.

K-GR.3 SEASON ENDS FEBRUARY 14TH.

GR.4-7 EXTENDS UNTIL SPRING BREAK



FOR MORE INFORMATION JOIN
THE FACEBOOK GROUP

VANDERHOOF YOUTH BASKETBALL (JR NBA PROGRAM)

JOIN NOW!

<https://zone4.ca/register.asp?id=36527>





Nechako Figure Skating Club

Do you have a child ready to skate?
REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Nechako Figure Skating Club (NFSC) has programs for children and youth of all ages! Come out and join us for a fun year!

REGISTRATION LINK:

<https://nechakofsc.uplifterinc.com/registration>

Contact: nechakofsc@gmail.com

www.nechakofsc.com



**Why do bicycles
fall over?**

Because they are
two-tired!



NEWSLETTERS: Newsletters will go home on Wednesdays. If you wish to receive a copy by e-mail, please send a request to sswanson@sd91.bc.ca

VANDERHOOF PUBLIC LIBRARY CHILDREN & YOUTH PROGRAMS OCTOBER 2024



TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 Rhymes & Songs 10:30 - 11:15	2 Storytime with Sara 10:30 - 11:15 Lego Time 3:20 - 4:30	3	4 Chill Zone: Games & more 3:15 - 4:45	5 Saturday Hours: 10:00 - 3:00
8 Rhymes & Songs 10:30 - 11:15	9 Storytime with Sara 10:30 - 11:15 Minecraft 3:20 - 4:30	10	11 After School Movie Time 3:20 - 4:45	12 Closed for Thanksgiving
15 Rhymes & Songs 10:30 - 11:15	16 Storytime with Sara 10:30 - 11:15 Imagination Station 3:20 - 4:30	17	18 Lit Legends Book Club REGISTRATION FULL 3:15 - 4:30	19 Saturday Hours: 10:00 - 3:00
22 Rhymes & Songs 10:30 - 11:15	23 Storytime with Sara 10:30 - 11:15	24	25 Pro-D Day Morning Movie Time Drop-in 10:00 am - 12:00 pm FrankenToys: Upcycle Registration Required 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	26 Saturday Hours: 10:00 - 3:00
29 Rhymes & Songs 10:30 - 11:15	30 Storytime with Sara 10:30 - 11:15 Book Buddies Book Club Registration Open 3:15 - 4:30	31		2



Registration is now open for the Fall Session, October 1st - December 14th. Pick one day or two days per week options. We're always accepting new swimmers to the club! There is a payment plan available and all family members must register at the **SAME** time for the family discount to apply. Please see the following website for more info. or check out our Facebook page: Nechako Valley Swim Club.

[Nechako Valley Swim Club
Website/Registration](#)

Nechako Valley Swim Club