

Brighthouse Newsletter

Brighthouse

Elementary

6800 Azure Road
Richmond, BC
V7C 2S8

Kathy Pantaleo

Principal

Leah Scharf

Vice Principal

School Schedule:

8:40 - Welcome Bell
8:45 – Classes Begin
10:10 -10:25 - Recess
11:50 - 12:42 - Lunch
2:45 - Dismissal

Important Dates!

Dec 11	PAC Meeting @ 5:00 pm (virtual)
Dec 15	Family Movie Night
Dec 20	Winter Assembly
Dec 21	Report Cards published in MyEd to families
Dec 22	Last Day of School for Winter Break
Jan 8	First Day Back!
Jan 29	Pro-D - No School

Dec 11th - 15th Week at a Glance

Monday	PAC Meeting @ 5:00 pm (virtual link on PAC website)
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	Family Movie Night in the gym from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Dear Families,

Yesterday, our Grade 6 and 7 volleyball team wrapped up a great season with a staff vs. students game and pizza party at lunch! Thank you to Ms. Thorsen, Mr. Knight, Mr. Brackman and Mr. Der for their help coaching!

Thank you to families who were able to complete the feedback survey on morning snacks that are now available for students at school. The survey link is still open! Please use the survey link [HERE](#) to share your thoughts about the morning snack program at Brighthouse. We will also be surveying staff and students, and will share the results closer to the winter break.

Finally, Report Cards will be published in MyEd on December 21st. It is very important for families to have access to their MyEd account before December 21st, so that they can read their child's learning update. Instructions on how to set up your account is posted on our website. If you have any questions, you can email us at kpantaleo@sd38.bc.ca.

Wishing you all good health,

Kathy Pantaleo and
Leah Scharf



RICHMOND FOOD BANK CHALLENGE!

The Cook Cougars have challenged us (for the 4th year), to a friendly Food Bank Challenge between now and Dec. 20th!

Please send a canned or sealed food item with your child or support the Food Bank through cash online! Please check the expiry dates to ensure they are still good to eat! Every food item and dollar is worth one point.

Whichever school earns the most points wins!



FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT



**FRIDAY, DEC 15TH
3:00PM - 5:00PM**

Winter Wonderland

AT MINORU ARENAS Dec 15–Jan 7



richmond.ca/arenas





Do you have a drone with a camera?

We are looking to update our Kindergarten playspace, and would like aerial video footage of the area. Please email Ms. Scharf at: llscharf@sd38.bc.ca if you can help!



BRIGHOUSE PAC GROUP!

We need your help!



The PAC is a volunteer group whose goal is to work together with staff, students, and administration to make a positive impact on our children's school experience. The PAC website is an excellent resource for those who may be curious about what we are working on.

Check out our new website!

Our PAC website is a great place to go to find updates and answer questions about anything related to the PAC like Hot Lunches and Fundraisers.

<https://brighthousepac.wixsite.com/thepac>



POSITIVE DISCIPLINE IN EVERYDAY PARENTING



We are offering a 9-week program for parents and caregivers of children 0-6 years old.

Positive Discipline in Everyday Parenting is a non-violent approach to teaching children while respecting them as learners and individual human beings.

*Richmond Family Place membership is required
Childminding is available*

Dates: Wednesday January 17th to March 13th 2024

Time: 12:30 pm -2:30 pm

Location: Richmond Family Place

8660 Ash Street, Richmond, BC V6Y 2S3

To apply: Email emily@richmondfamilyplace.ca



Our next meeting is on Monday, December 11th!

December Brighthouse PAC Meeting

ONLINE on Monday December 11, 2023 at 5:00PM.

The direct link to the virtual meeting is on our website: www.brighthousepac.wixsite.com/thepac/about

PAC Calendar 2024 – 5pm Mondays online:

- Monday January 15th (delayed one week)
- Monday February 12th
- Monday March 11th
- Monday April 15th (delayed one week)
- Monday May 13th
- Monday June 10th.

Join at www.brighthousepac.wixsite.com/thepac/about