

Brighouse Newsletter

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

Feb 9th - 13th 2026 Week at a Glance

Monday	
Tuesday	Spirit Day! Dress like a Book Character
Wednesday	PAC Meeting in Portable 2 @ 3:15 pm Hot Lunch - Gmen
Thursday	Early Dismissal for Conferences at 11:50 am
Friday	Professional Development Day - School is Closed

Dear Brighouse Families,

February is Black History Month in Canada. During Black History Month, Canadians celebrate the many achievements and contributions of Black Canadians who, throughout history, have done much to make Canada the culturally diverse, compassionate and prosperous nation it is today. We will be highlighting some prominent Black Canadians in our newsletter's for the next few weeks.

Harry Jerome:

At the age of 19 he became the first Canadian to hold a world track record. He won the bronze medal in 1964 at the Tokyo Games. At the same time he was teaching Science and Math at Richmond Secondary School!! Throughout his life he was awarded numerous honours and awards - including the Order of Canada. Click [HERE](#) to learn more about Harry Jerome.



Secondly, this is a reminder that conferences are next week. Conferences are an opportunity to connect with the staff who support your child, and learn more about their learning progress so far this year. Please contact your teacher if you have not yet scheduled a conference.

Wishing you all the best,

Leah Scharf and Kathy Pantaleo

Important Dates!

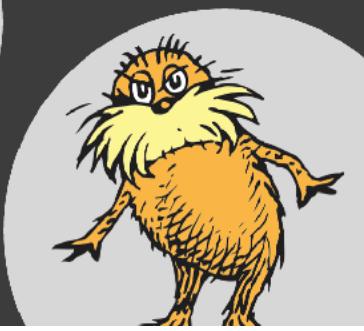
Feb 9th - 12th	Scholastic Book Fair
Feb 10th	Spirit Day - Dress like a Book Character
Feb 11	Hot Lunch - Gmen
Feb 11	PAC Meeting @ 3:15 pm
Feb 12th	Early Dismissal @11:50 am for Conferences
Feb 13th	ProD - No School
Feb 16th	Family Day - No School
Feb 25th	Pink Shirt Day!
Feb 25th	Pancake Breakfast in the Gym!

Dress Like Your Favourite Book Character Day

When: **Tuesday February 10th**

What: Think of your favourite character from a book and dress up like them.

Why: Bookfair starts on Feb 9th and we would like to celebrate the power of stories!



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR FEB 9TH - FEB 12TH

The book fair is back! Students will have class time to look and purchase items during their usual library block times.



The Book Fair will also be open:

Feb 9, 10, 11, 12:
11:50 am - 12:25 pm
and after school

Feb 12:
12:00 pm - 4:00 pm
(during conferences)

Please select your school below:



Brighouse Elementary

(Richmond, BC)



Brighouse Elementary - Feeding Futures

(Richmond, BC)

or

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Free Hot Lunches Coming Soon!

When you log into your Munchalunch account, you will now see a new option - Feeding Futures. The Richmond School District is now offering **FREE** hot lunches for students! The first delivery date is Tuesday, February 24th. Use this link [HERE](#) to learn more on how to order lunches!