



November 2023

Ey Swayel Families,

November is Diabetes Awareness Month, Hindu Heritage Month, Antipoverty Month

We recognize: Indigenous Veterans Day and Remembrance Day

Cultus Lake Community School honours the veterans who sacrificed for our freedom so that we could have the way of life we currently have.

On November 9th at 10:40, we will have our **Remembrance Day Assembly** in the gym. All families are invited to attend.



In conjunction with Remembering our past, we must also focus on what we want the future to look like. Our students and staff continue to focus on...

Being kind which looks like...

1. Being helpful
2. Saying 'hello'
3. Including others
4. Being a good listener
5. Being patient

News from the library...



"Thanks again for coming out to support our Scholastic Book Fair. It was a great success, and it was so nice to see so many of you. We look forward to doing it again next year.

Don't forget to turn in your October reading logs. November ones will be coming home soon.

If you secretly like to alphabetize your spice jars or wrap presents, Mrs. Knodel has jobs for you on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday mornings. Please reach out.

Indigenous Education – we will be applying for the annual Indigenous Education Success Grant to fund initiatives and learning opportunities at our school. We need parent representatives for this committee! If you are able to join us on this committee, please email lisa_wallace@sd33.bc.ca



Please email CLCSAcultuslake@gmail.com for information on programs.



Thank you to our PAC for putting on the **Halloween Dance on this past Friday (October 27)!** You wouldn't have recognized our gym – it was transformed into an amazing Halloween Dance hall. Thank you to families for coming out and supporting this event. What a great time!

You can reach the PAC at: Cultus-PAC@sd33.bc.ca

The next PAC meeting is Tuesday, November 28th at 6 pm in the library.

Zoom link: <https://sd33-ca.zoom.us/j/4156034737>

Appliances

We are in the market for a new stove, washer and dryer. Our PAC is contributing to the cost of these items but we are wondering if there is anyone who might have a line on a place where we can get these at the lowest cost possible?

Please email lisa_wallace@sd33.bc.ca if you have any suggestions.





CHOIR

Mrs. Knodel and Mrs. McLeod will be leading our choir this year. The choir meets at lunch on Tuesdays in the library. CLCS Choir will be singing at our Remembrance Day assembly and have been invited to perform a song (which will be recorded) for the Rotary Christmas Show.



School Sports – we are fortunate to have many staff members willing to volunteer their time so that our students have opportunities to be involved in after school sports.

Cross Country – Ms. Hnatiw and Ms. Pollock

Soccer – Mrs. Beesley and Mr. Allen



Christmas Support

As things become more expensive in our world, we know that Christmas can sometimes be an extra stress financially. We are fortunate to have a few donors from our community who would like to support our families who might need it this year. Please email lisa.wallace@sd33.bc.ca if you would like more information.

November	
Wed. Nov. 1	School Hike #1 (Vedder Mtn. 10:30 – 12)
Fri. Nov. 3	Pajama Day
Thurs. Nov. 9	Remembrance Day Assembly 10:40
Fri. Nov. 10	Non-Instructional Day (pro-d)
Mon. Nov. 13	Remembrance Day (no school, statutory holiday)
Fri. Nov. 17	Individual Photo Retake Day
Fri. Nov. 24	Non-Instructional Day #4 (Assessment and Evaluation)
Tues. Nov 28	PAC Meeting (Zoom link: https://sd33-ca.zoom.us/j/4156034737)

