

# Bridge Week-at-a-Glance

November 13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023



## Multiculturalism Week

<b>Monday</b> 13	<b>Schools Closed for Remembrance Day</b>
<b>Tuesday</b> 14	<b>Safety Drill</b>
<b>Wednesday</b> 15	<b>Volleyball Game at Bridge – Go Bulldogs Go!!</b>
<b>Thursday</b> 16	<b>Grade 7 Bottle Fundraiser – 8:45am drop-off</b> <b>PAC Hot Lunch – Bar Burrito - Pre-Orders only</b>
<b>Friday</b> 17	<b>Will et Seeka – French Cultural Performance</b>

### Remembrance Day – November 11<sup>th</sup>

We had a wonderful Remembrance Day Assembly. Thank you to all who were able to attend and to our staff and students for such thoughtful presentations. We appreciate all of your **donations to the Poppy Fund**, which we continue to collect at the office or through KEV Online.

**Thank you for supporting our veterans.**

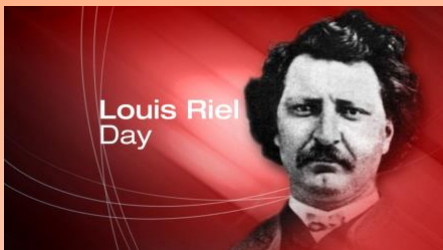


## Diwali – November 12<sup>th</sup>

A festival of lights and one of the major festivals celebrated by Hindus, Buddhists, Jains, and Sikhs. The festival usually lasts five days and is celebrated during the Hindu lunisolar month Kartika (between mid-October and mid-November).

**To learn more, please visit:**

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/pages/article/diwali>



## Louis Riel Day – November 16<sup>th</sup>

A day that recognizes the anniversary of Riel's execution in 1885. This day is an opportunity to learn more about the life and importance of Louis Riel, leader of the Métis.

**To learn more, please visit:**

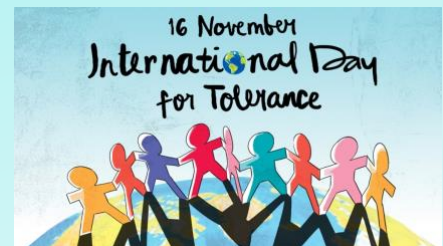
<https://www.mnbc.ca/news/louis-riel-day-2022>

## International Day for Tolerance November 16<sup>th</sup>

A day to recognize that people are diverse and only tolerance can ensure the survival of mixed communities in every region of the globe.

**To learn more, please visit:**

<https://www.un.org/en/academic-impact/international-day-tolerance-16-november>



## Multiculturalism Week November 12<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>

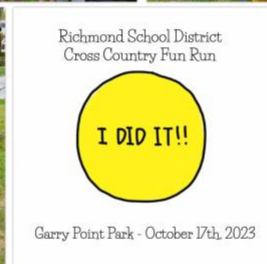
A time to celebrate the contributions of our multicultural communities and to appreciate the way diversity enriches British Columbia.

**To learn more, please visit:**

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/governments/multiculturalism-anti-racism/multiculturalism/multiculturalismweek>



# Here and there at Bridge...





**Will et Seeka**, of Will's Jams and Seeka Sings, are nationally recognized musicians and educators who both have a passion for music, languages, and childhood education. Their shared understanding of the power of music in teaching languages brought these two songwriters and parents together during the pandemic to create fun, unique, and relevant musical resources to support French and English language learning. Born into families of educators and musicians, music has been instrumental in helping both artists become fluent in French as their second language.

They are excited to share their upbeat and educational bilingual music for kids with families and educators around the world, with their debut album, "Will et Seeka: Amis avec tout le monde."

# SAVE THE DATE!

Tuesday, November 21  
 Thursday, November 23  
 Wednesday, Nov. 29  
 Thursday, November 30  
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**Friday, December 1**  
 Wednesday, Dec. 6  
 Thursday, December 7  
**Friday, December 8**  
 Thursday, December 14  
 Friday, December 15  
**Wednesday, Dec. 20**  
 Thursday, December 21  
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**Friday, December 22**  
**Monday, December 25**  
**Monday, January 8**

PAC Meeting via Teams at 6:45pm  
**PAC Hot Lunch – Fusion Feast - Pre-Orders only**  
 Grades 6 and 7 Immunizations  
 TCO2 Presentation for Grades 4-7  
**PAC Hot Lunch – Pizza Hut - Pre-Orders only**  
**Pro-D Day – schools not in session**  
 Safety Drill  
**PAC Hot Lunch – Sushi Lovers - Pre-Orders only**  
**First Day of Hanukkah**  
**PAC Hot Lunch – Bar Burrito - Pre-Orders only**  
 Report Cards published in MyEd for families  
**Bridge Winter Concert-afternoon and evening!**  
**Grade 7 Bottle Fundraiser – 8:45am drop-off**  
**PAC Hot Lunch – Fusion Feast - Pre-Orders only**  
**Last Day of School before the Winter Break**  
**Christmas Day**  
**First Day of School after the Winter Break**



A promotional banner for Kindergarten Registration. The top left features the text "Richmond School District" in a small blue font, followed by "Kindergarten Registration" in a large, bold blue font, and "November–January" in a smaller bold blue font. The background is a collage of educational icons like a lightbulb, a clock, a book, and the letters "ABC". Two circular photos are overlaid: one of a boy sitting on grass reading a book, and another of a girl smiling while holding a book. At the bottom, a dark blue bar contains social media icons for Facebook and Twitter, the URL "sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten", and the "RICHMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 38" logo.

Richmond School District  
**Kindergarten  
Registration**  
November–January

sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten

RICHMOND  
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 38

The Richmond School District 38 is excited to welcome **Kindergarten registration applications for children born in 2019, turning 5 in 2024**. These children will begin Kindergarten in September 2024. Online registration opens on November 1, 2023. Please visit our website [www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten](http://www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten) for more information about our online registration process, required documents, important dates, and FAQs.

We encourage families to complete their registration within the Priority 1 registration window, which spans from **November to January**, in order to maximize their chances of securing a spot at their catchment school. All registration applications received any time during the Priority 1 registration period will receive placement decisions by February 2, 2024.

Videos detailing Kindergarten registration have been made available on our District website, providing new parents with guidance on the registration process, English Language Learner (ELL) assessments, and District Program Options (Early French Immersion and Montessori). These videos are available in English and Mandarin. Please view the videos at [www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten](http://www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten).

Finally, there will be a **Kindergarten Information Evening for parents of students with disabilities and diverse abilities** on Zoom held on November 8th from 6:30 – 7:30pm. A link to the Zoom is available on our District website [www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten](http://www.sd38.bc.ca/kindergarten)

Thank you and please share this information with your friends and family who have Kindergarten aged children!