

The Prowler

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Hadi, Bonjour and Hello,

ANNIE is just one week away! Our 16th Proud to Be McLeod Production is on May 1, 2 and 3. Tickets are available at Wallace Studios, Quilter's Corner and at our school office. They are only \$5.00 each and \$20.00 for a family of 4 or more. We hope to see you out to the show to enjoy our very talented and hardworking students.

Thank you to the caregivers how have volunteered to help in our Fish on the Fence install on Thursday, May 15th at 9:00. We need a few more people. Please let me know if you can help out for a few hours on this day.

We have started Jump Rope for Heart 2025. Have you made your donation to the Heart and Stroke Foundation yet? It's super easy to do. Just go to their website and make sure you use the drop down to identify W. L. McLeod as the participating school. Our goal is \$3,000. We've raised so much money before. Let's do it again!

Congratulations to our Floor Hockey teams who participated in the District Play Day today. Thanks to their coaches, Mr. Meads and Mme Leclerc for their leadership.

Grade 4 caregivers, please remember that the deadline for the Student Learning Survey (and a chance to be in the draw for pizza) is this Friday. We truly appreciate all your feedback.

Our students have been working on the goal - I will flex my empathy muscles and try to understand another's viewpoint. Nice work everyone!

It is our goal to work together with you and the kids to help our McLeod students become adults who can take on the world. Please feel free to contact the school if you ever have any questions or concerns.

> Proud to be McLeod Ms. L. Hart

We would like to remind you that doors in our school are <u>locked</u> apart from the front door. Adults should **only** enter through the front door. Please **sign in and out** at the office. Please **do not go to classrooms** without permission from our office staff.

COMING SOON:

April 23: Floor Hockey Play Day

May 1—3: ANNIE SHOWS

May 12-16: Share the Love Week

May 15: Fish on the Fence

May 27: Welcome to Kindergarten BBQ

4:30-5:30 PM



See the whole newsletter



W.L. McLeod PAC Corner

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Growing Smiles fundraiser due back April 25th. Go to



<u>http://</u> <u>wlmcleod.growingsmilesfundrasing.com</u> / to order.



May 2025 MENU



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If your child regularly receives a Hot Lunch, please check the menu for meals that they cannot or will not eat. Please provide a lunch for your child on those days. Thank you! Cheques should be made payable to SD91				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 Chicken Bacon Ranch Wrap and Salad Bar 7:00 - ANNIE	2 Chicken Tetrazzini 1:00/7:00 - ANNIE
5 Cinco de Mayo – Taco Casserole	6 Chicken Noodle Soup	7 Eggs and Sausage	8 Butter Chicken Lasagna (recipe made by the FLESS culinary arts 12) and Salad Bar	9 Pro-D-Day
Turkey and cheese sandwich	13 National Apple Pie Day Apple Pie topping to French Toast FISH ON OUR FENCE	14 BC Beef Day Teriyaki Beef with rice FISH ON OUR FENCE/ GROWING SMILES	15 Chicken Caesar Wrap and Salad Bar FISH ON OUR FENCE INSTALL/JUMP ROPE	16 Spaghetti
19 Victoria Day	20 Chili 5:00 – PAC MEETING	DELIVERY 21 Broccoli and Cheddar Soup DUMPSTA DRAGONS ASSEMBLY	FOR HEART 22 Fish Sticks and Salad Bar	23 Cheese Tortellini with marinara sauce
Chicken Ranch Wrap	27 Pancakes and Eggs WELCOME TO K BBQ	28 National Hamburger Day - Hamburgers	29 BBQ Chicken and Salad Bar WILL'S JAMS ASSEMBLY	30 Tuna Casserole



^{*} Please note: Our kitchen is not fully vegetarian or Gluten free*
(V) indicates vegetarian option is available if pre-requested

Proud to be McLeod Productions presents our 16th annual production



W.L. McLeod Gymnasium

Showtimes

Thursday Friday
Saturday
7pm
Saturday Matinee
1pm

Book by Music by Lyrics by Thomas Meehan Charles Strause Martin Charnin Original Broadway Production Directed by Martin Charnin Based on "Little Orphan Annie"® By Permission of Tribune Content Agency, LLC. Annie JR. is presented through special arrangement with and all authorized materials are supplied by Music Theatre International, New York, NY (212) 541-4684 mtishows.com Tickets

\$5 each or \$20 for a family of 4 or more

Tickets are available for purchase at Wallace Studios, Quilters Corner & W.L McLeod Office & at the Door. Please purchase "family of 4 or more" tickets at the School Office.

Cash Only Please





Support heart health with Jump Rope for Heart

Our school is participating in Jump Rope for Heart – a fundraiser that will encourage our students to get active, build healthy habits and give back.

Here's why we're participating

- Money raised by our school helps Heart & Stroke drive important heart and brain research that will save lives, prevent heart disease and stroke and support families living with these conditions.
- Jump is an inclusive event for all abilities to get kids moving and help them discover new and exciting ways to get active.
- Students learn the EASY Healthy Habits that they can use to keep their hearts and brains healthy and help reduce their risk of developing heart disease and stroke later in life.
- Jump gives back! Students can earn thank you gift cards from Indigo, Amazon or Walmart based on their fundraising level as a heartfelt thank you for their hard work.

How does Jump Rope for Heart work?

At school:

- Starting today, we'll be practicing some awesome skipping and heart-pumping activities!
- We'll be learning about Heart & Stroke's Easy
 Healthy Habits to keep our hearts and brains strong
 and healthy to help prevent heart disease and stroke
- It all leads up to our Jump Event Day, where we'll celebrate what we've learned and the funds we've raised with fun jump rope stations, games, activities, and more. It's going to be a blast!

At home:

- You can help support lifesaving research by collecting donations from family and friends.
- There is no cost to participate.
- Fundraising starts now until our Jump Event Day
- Jump Rope for Heart uses an online fundraising platform. To register, create a personalized fundraising page for your child using the link below. When you register, you'll also get:
 - o Helpful fundraising tips and ideas
 - o Information and tools about the EASY Healthy Habits
 - o Insights into Heart & Stroke's life-saving work

Our Jump Event Day is:

Thursday May 15, 2025

To learn more about Jump Rope for Heart visit <u>jumpropeforheart.ca</u>

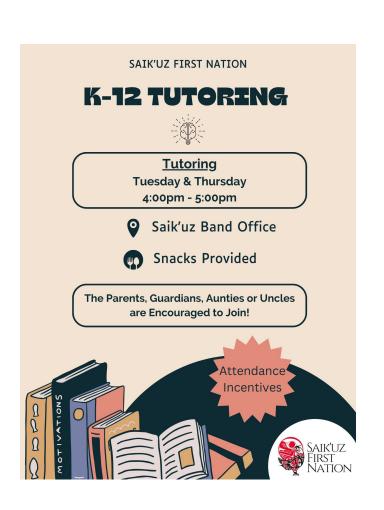
Register Now!

<u>W L Mcleod Elementary - Vanderhoof</u> or visit <u>jumpropeforheart.ca/registration</u> and search for your school



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DROP-IN PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES
Children under 6 must be accompanied by an adult.

1ST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH* - LEGO CLUB
2ND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH - MINECRAFT CLUB
3RD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH - IMAGINATION STATION

*PROGRAMS RUN ON THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH, BASED ON THE SCHOOL CALENDAR



Please have all after-school messages to the office by 2:45 to ensure that we have time to get the message to the students.

Thanks!

Lindsay



SD91 Inclusion Corner

April 20 Easter

Easter is a Christian festival that takes place in Spring annually. It is a time for Christians to remember the sacrifice Jesus (the son of God) made when he died for their sins, as well as a celebration of his resurrection on Easter Sunday. It follows Lent, a period of fasting and penance.



Calling all avid gardeners!

As spring approaches, the students at McLeod will be getting the Farm to School Garden ready. We have a large outside plot and a greenhouse we would love to fill up again this year. The school would appreciate your support through plant starter donations. We will accept all donations and make sure they get put to good use. Here is a quick list of plants we would like to grow in the garden this year:

- Tomatoes (all kinds)
- Peppers (all kinds)
- Cucumbers (all kinds)
- Potatoes (all kinds)
- Onions
- Pumpkins
- Squash
- Zucchini

All donations can be dropped off at the school, or can be arranged to be picked up, starting April 7th, 2025.

Thank you, in advance, for your support. Happy planting!







Please do not send bags of unpopped popcorn or the KD cups for lunches. It takes too long to cook in the microwave and we end up running out of time to eat. They also burn in the microwave too easily.

Thank you!

Student Learning Survey 2025

Our School District is participating in the 2025 Ministry of Education Electronic Anonymous Student Learning Survey in cooperation with all other school districts throughout the province. The survey is completed by students and caregivers of Grade 4, 7, 10 and 12 students and all staff. McLeod uses summary information from this survey in our School Plan to help us track aspects of Social Responsibility.

Guardians of grade 4 students can complete the confidential survey any time before April 25th providing immediate results to our school and the district. To complete the survey, go to www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat survey/access.htm.

We want to thank caregivers of grade 4 students for taking the time to do this survey. By completing the survey, you are helping our grade 4 classes with a friendly competition. The class that has the highest percentage of caregiver completions will get donuts and the other classes will get Timbits. We'd also like to say thank for to caregivers for completing the survey. All caregivers who give their feedback will have their name entered into a draw for pizza. Please fill out the attached paper on the letter we have sent home to let us know you did the survey and we will put your name in the pizza draw.









Kindergarten registration is now open. Spread the word! Caregivers can drop by McLeod anytime to register.



Please like our PAC
Facebook page to stay up to date with
what is going on in the school!

https://www.facebook.com/WLMPAC



Reminder: Still time to register for Jump Rope for Heart

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Rope for Heart Event Day is coming up
on Thursday May 15th. Before the big
day, our students will be having lots of fun getting
active and fundraising to support Heart & Stroke.
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of heart disease and stroke later in life.

You can help support lifesaving research by collecting donations from family and friends. There's still time! Register and create a personal fundraising page how-to-register-your-child-for-jump.pdf[,], at https:// jumpropeforheart.crowdchange.ca/89764

To date we have fund raised \$300.00. This is 10% of our goal of \$3000.00

Thank you for your participation.



