



Div 9

Important Dates:

- Sept 29 Orange Shirt Day Drumming Circle:
- Sept 29 Cross Country Meet Lambrick 3:30 pm
- Sept 30 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation: school not in session
- Oct 3 Picture Day
- Oct 6 Cross Country Meet Lambrick 3:30 pm
- Oct 7 PAC Meeting: 6:45 pm
- Oct 13 Thanksgiving: - school not in session
- Oct 14 Cross Country Meet Lansdowne 3:30
- Oct 18 Garden Work Party: Saturday, 10am to Noon
- Oct 20 Cross Country Meet Beckwith 3:30 pm
- Oct 23 PAC Halloween Howl 6pm
- Oct 24 Pro D Day
- Oct 27 Cross Country Finals Cedar Hill Corner 3:30 pm
- Oct 30 PAC Spooky Movie Night 7 pm
- Nov 4 Pac Meeting 6:45 pm

Div 10



Happy Retirement to Natanis Christensen and Rachael Gubbels

**Cross Country Grades 3 - 5
Practices Tues & Thurs
8:15am**

**First meet after school Sept
29 Lambrick 3:30 pm**



Please remember the parking lot is reserved for staff only. Parents, please do not park or do drop offs in the staff parking lot.





Div 7



Go By Bike Week is Coming! 🚲 Sept. 27 – Oct. 3, 2025

We're excited to support **Go By Bike Week**—a fun, community-wide event that encourages everyone to choose cycling for transportation, health, and the environment! Whether you bike to school or just for fun, there's something for everyone.

Don't ride to school? No problem! Join in on community events like the **Celebration Stations the Truth and Reconciliation Day Ride**, and **Bingo By Bike**, with fun prizes and local deals all week long.

Bingo cards will be available in the office if you'd like to pick one up and join the fun!

Track at least one ride by **Oct. 10** for a chance to win prizes—and **don't forget to join the Doncaster Dragons Bike Team** here: [Join the Doncaster Team](#). Let's ride! 🚲

- Please dismount and walk your bike once on school grounds.
- Please do not ride your bike on school grounds during schools hours of 8:30 to 3:30 any and all days, not just Go by bike week.
- Please lock up your bike. There are limited bike racks so inside the fences may need to be used.

Messages from the Doncaster PAC

[Doncaster PAC Engagement Survey](#)

[Opt-in Form for Class Contact Lists](#)

Have you seen our Staff Bulletin Board ?

Our Summer Memories
and our Hopes and Goals for the New Year.

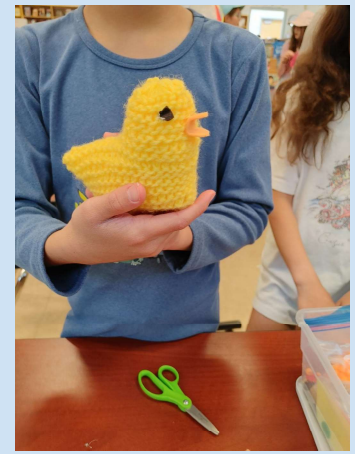
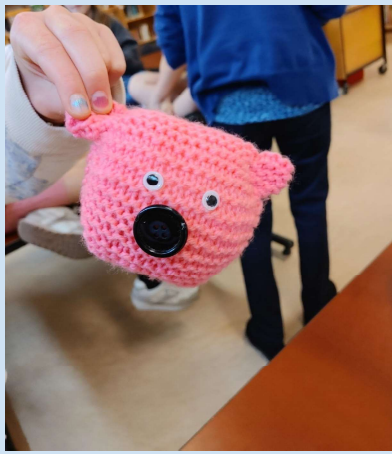
Thank you to Mme. Rose for all your work on putting this together.



As part of our Doncaster Climate Club last school year, Ms. Maloughney and Mme Lampard took a group of students to a Climate Youth Forum in January. As an action project, the Climate Club then worked in the school's garden, gave some presentations for Earth Day, and installed a seed library.

Our seed library was installed near the school's front door. Seed libraries are helpful because they promote biodiversity and help communities to grow their own food. Please feel free to come by and pick up some seeds to plant in your garden. We would love it if you have extra seeds that you could drop off at the seed library for others to enjoy also! We have harvested some of the seeds from our school's garden and have an abundance of sunflower seeds as well as a few other varieties of plants. Search out how to harvest seeds on the internet and you'll see that it's easy to harvest the seeds from your own gardens, if you'd like to do so. Just include the kind of seed and the date the seeds were collected if you'd like to drop off a little packet in our seed library. Many thanks!





🧶 Knitting Club Volunteers Needed! 🧶

We're thrilled to have almost **70 students** signed up for our Knitting Club, which will run **Tuesdays and Fridays from 12:00–12:35**, starting in **October** — but we need your help to make it a success!

We know this lunchtime slot is *very inconvenient* for many, but if you (or a grandparent or other family member) are available, we'd love to have you join us. Even if your knitting skills are a little rusty — no problem! Students need support with all kinds of things: sewing up seams, attaching buttons or felt, or even using a glue gun. And you might be surprised how quickly your knitting skills come flooding back!

If you're interested in volunteering, please reach out to:
awalman@sd61.bc.ca — we'd be so grateful for your time and support!



Div 15

Thank you, students, staff and families for a wonderful week!

Rose Lugo & Stephanie Fredette

Jennifer Cox, Vice Principal & Ingrid Fawcett, Principal