École élémentaire Doncaster Elementary School

October 30, 2026

Nov 3- Photo Retakes - 9:00 AM

Nov 16, 17 & 18 - Book Fair

Nov 25 - PAC Fun lunch

Nov 21 (Saturday) DPAC - Craft Fair - Gym

Nov 27 - PRO D DAY - NO SCHOOL



Staff having fun!!!



Thank you to all the Volunteers who sponsor our clubs!

Knitting Club

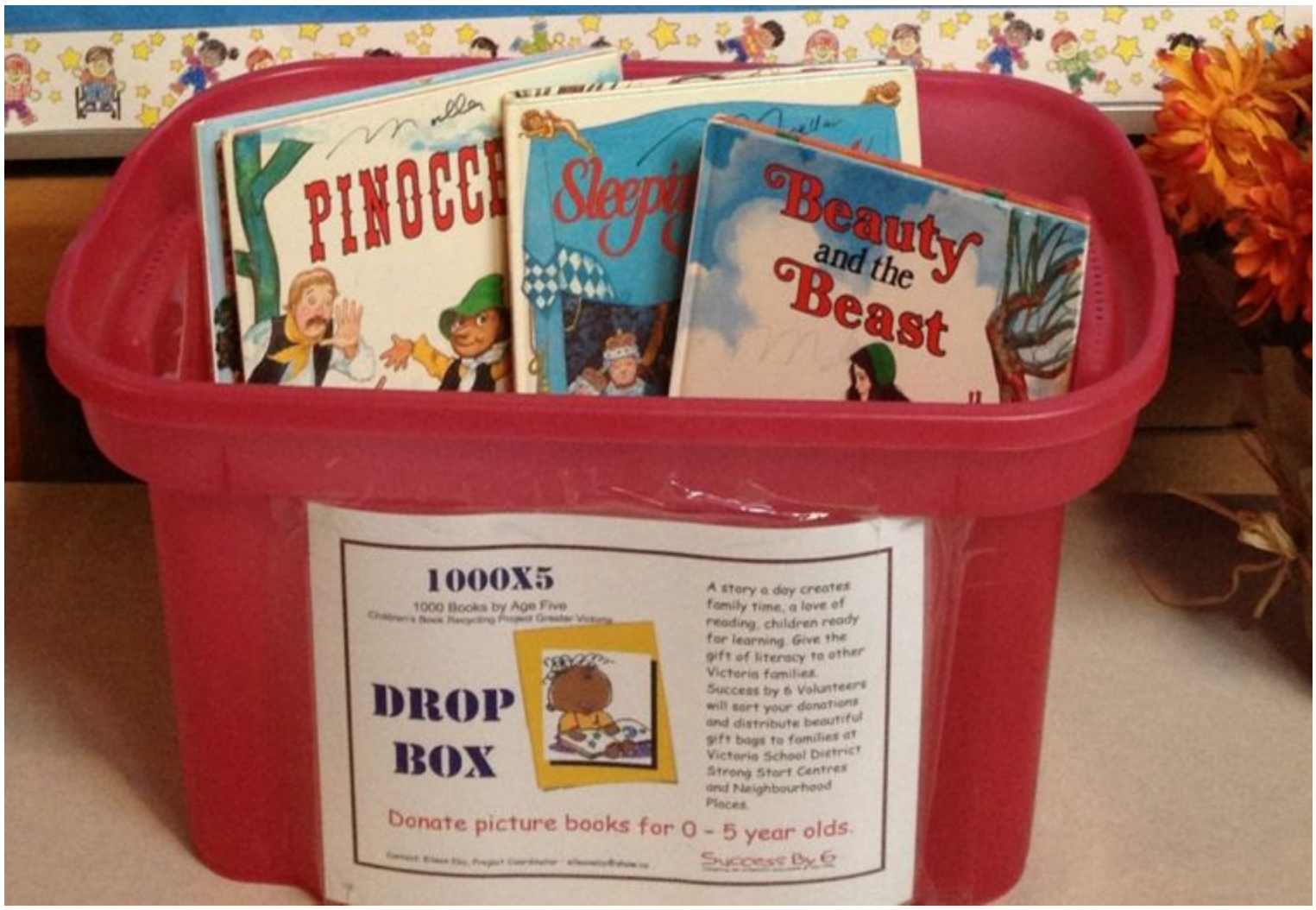
- **Tuesday and Friday**

Lunch recess

Rainbow Club- every Wednesday

Drop off and Pick up - please use the front of the school for quick drop off and pick up only. ***NO PARKING*** in this area. The end of the driveway is reserved for Out of School Care vehicles as marked by the pylons. Thank you for helping us keep our students safe and traffic flowing smoothly

Did you know…. Facts about necessity of reading with babies and toddlers



*Books in the home for babies and preschoolers are 70% more effective at predicting school success than is the parents' educational level.

*Books in the home are more effective than literacy outreach programs.

* Over 5 years 1000X5, with your help, has donated 115,000 books for babies and preschoolers. Check out our 90 second video showing the project in action

https://youtu.be/zbdIWkjgGPI

Drop off gently used picture books for babies and toddlers in the pink bin in the school office.

It’s That Time of Year Again! But this fall we are not “falling back” this weekend.

With the Province now staying on Daylight Savings Time it maybe dark when you drop your child off at school or when they walk here. Please be mindful of having them dressed in light coloured jackets or using reflective tape or vests.

November 6th - *“Let's Get Visible Day”*





Fall is here!!

A few Reminders…

- If your child is going to be absent please email doncaster_attendance@sd61.bc.ca

- If your child arrives late and it is before 9:00 am please go directly to class. After 9:00 am please check in at the office, sign in, get a late slip, then head to class.

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

- Our “LOST AND FOUND” is full, please stop by and see if if your child’s clothing is there.

PARENTS - PLEASE REMEMBER TO UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION AND DO CONSENT FORMS AT PARENT CONNECT



A staff member here at Doncaster spent her time working on this cultural display. We do have fantastic staff here!!

COME TRY

Ringette

RINGETTE PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY TO...

- ✔ improve your skating skills
- ✔ play a team sport
- ✔ make friends
- ✔ *HAVE FUN!*



NOVEMBER 7

4:15PM

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TRUE SPORT LIVES HERE

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FAQ

Everything you need to know before you hit the ice.

SCAN TO SIGN UP

TRY RINGETTE FOR

WHAT IS RINGETTE?

Ringette is a fast-paced, non-contact team sport on ice. Players use a straight stick to pass, carry and shoot a rubber ring to score goals.

WHO CAN JOIN?

New and experienced skaters 4+ are invited to come try ringette! All skill levels are welcome. No experience is needed to get started.

WHAT SHOULD I BRING?

Warm layers, gloves, and a positive attitude. We can help with the rest! Skate and helmet rentals are FREE.

IS THERE AN EQUIPMENT LOAN PROGRAM?

Ask about our equipment loan program—we may be able to help you get started.

HOW DO I LEARN MORE?

Visit cometryringette.ca or victoriaringette.com for details. Scan the QR code to sign up for our come try event!



Members of the Victoria Royals Hockey players were at our school this past week in support of Literacy.