### Lansdowne Middle School

## This Week @ Lansdowne

Week of November 27 to December 1, 2023

## VOLLEYBALL COACHES NEEDED

It's volleyball season! That means it's time to sign up for one of our more popular team sports at Lansdowne. And we need coaches!

Please consider helping with our upcoming volleyball season. We expect to have a huge turnout but we only have a few people in place to coach. Please let me know if you can coach a team.

There are typically 9 or 10 volleyball teams (comp and rec teams for 6/7 girls, 6/7 boys, 7/8 girls, and 7/8 boys). Competitive teams have a game and (at least) one practice a week. Recreational teams have 3 game days (mini jamborees) and usually practice only once a week. The entire season is about 6 weeks.

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## CC Afternoon Tuesday, November 28

Students who are not required to stay will be dismissed at 11:40am unless we hear from you that you would like your child to stay at school.

Please note: there is no hot lunch on this day!

#### UPCOMING DATES

#### November 28

CC Afternoon - No Hot Lunch

#### December 1

- · December Door Challenge Begins - Both Campuses
- · LMPA Poinsettia Pickup

#### December 4

- · LMPA Meeting 7pm
- · Deadline to Order Hot Lunches

#### December 11 to 15

· Last Week of Hot Lunches

#### December 12 to 15

Russell Book Fair - North Campus Library

#### December 13

· Winter Celebration of Music 10:30am and 7pm

#### December 14

· Winter Celebration of Music 7pm

#### December 15

· Lansdowne School Clothing Ready to Pick Up

#### December 22

- Report Cards Go Home
- · Last Day of School

## **HOT LUNCH FORMS**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> round of Lansdowne Lunches are now available online! Click this link <a href="https://">https://</a> sd61.schoolcashonline.com/ to register online, see your choices and order. Please order by Monday, **December 4<sup>th</sup>.** If you are unable to order online, please have your student pop into the office for a paper form.

Please note: If a student is absent on a Lunch Day, or does not pick up their Lunch, they will not receive a refund for that day.

Please let us know if your student has any food allergies!







## A Message from the Lansdowne PAC

# Did you know that the Lansdowne PAC has tie-ins with 2 local businesses that contribute to us part of any money spent by you?

## Soap Exchange at 1393A Hillside Ave Cobbs Bread at 2178 Oak Bay Ave

## :: Soap Exchange ::

Tell staff that you are part of the "clean up club" for Lansdowne Middle School.

10% of all pre-tax purchases will be donated to the LPAC.



## :: Cobbs ::

Tell staff that you would like fundraising proceeds to go to Lansdowne Middle School. 5% of all pre-tax purchases will be donated to the LPAC.



We receive \$100s of dollars every year from these 2 businesses, so next time you are in the area remember to tell them you represent Lansdowne!

One other way that you can help the PAC tremendously is to make a once a year PAC donation. Parent single donations are meant to replace a lot of direct fund raising activities, like the activities common at elementary schools. The donations benefit all the students at the school, and keep the time commitment lower for the active PAC parents. So if you are able to and have not already donated, please consider it. The LPAC and the whole school community thank you!

Please reach out to Bijan or Gareth (Lansdowne PAC co-chairs) if you have any suggestions, ideas, or questions about how to get involved. We could always use your help!

LansdownePAC1@gmail.com

Advisories 83 and 84 are raffling two quilted Christmas runners to raise funds for their classes to take part in the Salish Sea Experience field trip in February.

Starting on Tuesday, November 21<sup>st</sup> students in advisories 83 and 84 will begin selling tickets for \$2.00 out in the community. If you wish to purchase a ticket, you can stop by and see Ms. Louise Pope in the office 8:30am to 3:30pm Monday to Friday.

Only 2,000 tickets will be printed.

The winning tickets will be drawn on Monday, December 18th at 12.00pm

The Quilts are machine stitched by Prince Rupert quilter Jenny McLean who has been making hand and machine stitched quilts for over 50 years.

Quilted runners measure 70cm X 117cm.

Please check out the LMS website for more information <a href="https://lansdowne.sd61.bc.ca/news-events/news/quilted-christmas-runner-raffle/">https://lansdowne.sd61.bc.ca/news-events/news/quilted-christmas-runner-raffle/</a>



