



## Gilmore Elementary School

*Caring For Each Other, Learning For A Lifetime. Prendre Soins De L'autre - L'apprentissage Pour La Vie*



**James Gilmore  
Elementary**  
8380 Elsmore Road  
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**Trevor Shuto**  
Principal

**School Schedule:**  
8:45 - Classes Begin  
9:55-10:10 - Recess  
12:00-12:50 - Lunch  
2:45 - Dismissal

**School - 604-668-6268**  
**Early Warning**  
**604-668-6637**

### Important Dates!

Feb 20	Family Day - School Closed
Feb 23	Hot Lunch - Subway
Mar 3	Movie Night
Mar 10	Last Day of School Before Spring Break
March 27th	Back to School

### February 27th Week at a Glance

Monday	Hot Lunch - Pizza Inclusive Basketball Game @ McKinney
Tuesday	Girls Basketball Game @ Spulukwuks Inclusive Basketball Game @ Gilmore
Wednesday	1:45 - Early Dismissal - Parent Teacher Conferences
Thursday	1:45 - Early Dismissal - Parent Teacher Conferences Inclusive Basketball Game @ Gilmore (3-4)
Friday	Gilmore Movie Night

Dear Gilmore Families,  
Newsletters in this format will be one of the main sources of communication that you can expect to receive from the Gilmore office once again this year.

**Movie Night:**  
Thank you to the Gilmore PAC for Organizing this year's second movie night this Friday. Please see below for details. As you know, we have plenty of chairs and mats, however last time we ran out of space on mats to watch the movie. Please think about bringing blankets / mats or whatever ensures that you are comfortable.

**Richmond Sockeyes Hockey:**  
Please see attached an opportunity to attend a Richmond Sockeyes Hockey Game. Information provided by a Richmond Sockeyes representative.

**Learning Update Reports:**  
As usual, you can access your child(ren's) report via the MyEd Parent Portal. Reports will be available on March 9th at 3:00pm.

**Lost and Found:**  
We have a lost and found in the front foyer of the school. We have reminded students to ensure that they are responsible for their belongings. If something goes missing, please remind them to check the bin in the front foyer. We will remind them as well. Thank you.

**Affordability Fund Reminder:**  
A reminder that the Provincial Government announced a new, one time Student and Family Affordability Fund. This fund is designed to assist families who require financial assistance with school-related costs such as school and course fees, workbooks, specialty supplies, field trips and other school-related charges and costs. Please reach out to Mr. Shuto if you could benefit from this fund. Thank you. As always, we thank you for your support and are enjoying teaching, learning with, and supporting our Gilmore students this year.

Sincerely,  
Trevor Shuto and the Gilmore Staff

Gilmore Movie Night Presents....



## PUSS IN BOOTS

**Date:** Friday March 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Time:** Doors open at 6pm (movie starts at 6:30pm)

**Admission is FREE-** Concession items available for purchase

- Enter through outdoor Gilmore Gym doors
- Children under grade 5 must be supervised by adult



## Gilmore Movie Night

Thank you to the Gilmore PAC who will be hosting a Movie night for our Gilmore families on Friday March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Food Bank donations are welcome! Doors open at 6:00, movie will start at 6:30. Please enter through the outside gym doors. Thank you!

## Family Teams - We Are All Connected

At Gilmore, we have 32 "Family Teams" which each consist of students from Grade K-7. Throughout the year, we meet to help build community and for kids to work together with other staff and students from all grades and classes. Our focus last time we met was how we are all connected. Students each made themselves and drew a Country, Nation, or Cultural flag that represented them and their family. It is great to see how diverse a population we are and realize how much we can learn from each other. We are so proud!



## Recess and Lunch

Gilmore Students are having a great time outside at recess and lunch. We are so lucky to have a large field with lots of options for play. We have recently added classroom equipment to each classroom to take out to use at recess and lunch. Students are enjoying that. Lots of fun and creativity happening outside!