



S.D. #38  
(Richmond)

# SCHOOL NEWS

NEWSLETTER #6

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Gilmore students have been involved in many different indoor and outdoor school experiences the last month. The grade 5's have been skiing at Seymour Mountain, three divisions went on an overnight trip to the Aquarium, sixteen grade 7 students travelled to Quebec for a week with Bridge and Whiteside, and all students have been enjoying the snow at break times. It's incredible to think that we are only two weeks away from Spring Break.



## New School Logo

Check out our **NEW** school logo. Stay tuned for **Spirit Wear** after Spring Break!



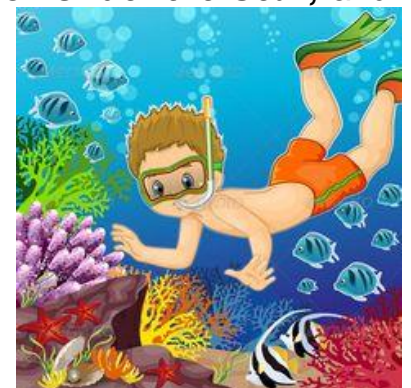
Due to a decision made by the Supreme Court of Canada, money

has been returned to school districts to support teachers with the needs of their many students. We have been able to add Mrs. Natalie Ingham to provide extra support in Primary Literacy and Intermediate Math for our students. Welcome to Gilmore Mrs. Ingham!

## Grades 1-4 Expo

**Divisions 5, 7 and 9** will be presenting a **Student Led Exposition** night on **Thursday, March 2nd** from **6:00–7:00 p.m.** The theme is **"Under the Sea"**, and the students will

showcase what they have worked on this term. Everyone from the Gilmore community is welcome to attend this interesting event!



## Second Term Reports

Report Cards go home on **Friday March 10th**. Please take the time to read them with your child.



## School Cash Online



We would like to thank all Gilmore parents who have registered for online payments with **School Cash Online**. This system will streamline the collection of school fees, and reduce the amount of cash and cheques collected. Eventually, we hope that all families will sign up for online payment. If you have not yet registered, we encourage you to get started today! You only need to register *once* for online payment ... your account can be used even if your child transfers to another school within the Richmond School District!

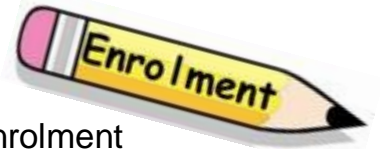
**PLEASE NOTE:** Using Internet Explorer for School Cash Online will result in error messages. To avoid any problems, please use either **Firefox** or **Safari** as your web browser when registering or making payments.



In order to register, please obtain your child's student number from the office, and then follow these steps:

- 1) Access the internet using either the Firefox or Safari web browser.
- 2) Visit the School Cash Online homepage at: <https://richmondsd38.schoolcashionline.com/>
- 3) Select "Get Started Today" to create your profile
- 4) Check your inbox for the confirmation email and click the confirmation link to confirm your email address.
- 5) Add a student to your account by filling in the required information about your child.
- 6) If you have more children you would like to add, select "Add Another Student" and repeat the steps above.
- 7) Once all of your children have been added, select "View Items for Students", which will list all available items or activities for purchase.

## Enrolment Survey



Thank you for returning your enrolment survey. This assists us in projecting enrolment for the upcoming school year. In early April we will begin to look at grade configurations and determine our school staffing allotments, which are based on school enrolment.

## Zumba



Students at Gilmore will be participating in **Zumba** lessons from **Monday, March 6th** to **Friday, March 10th**.

## Grade 5 Ski Trip

The make-up day for the Grade 5 ski trip will be on **Tuesday, March 28th**.



## PAC CORNER



## Online Safety






The **Richmond R.C.M.P.** will be visiting Gilmore at **9:00 a.m.** on **Friday, April 7th** for an **Online Safety** presentation for

parents. Parents are invited to attend this informative session.



# March 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
			1	2 Div. 5, 7 & 9 Student Led Exposition Night 6-7 pm	3	4	
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26	27 School Re-opens 	28 Gr. 5 Skiing 	29	30	31		