

Griffin Week at a Glance

November 3rd to 7th



This Week's Calendar

Monday, Nov 3rd:

- *PAC Lunch : Subway*

Tuesday, Nov 4th:

- *Gr 6/7 Volleyball : 3:00p*

Wednesday, Nov 5th:

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Thursday, Nov 6th:

- *Gr 6/7 Volleyball : 3:00p*

Friday, Nov 7th:

Week of November 10th to 14th

Monday : Remembrance Assembly

Tuesday: Remembrance Day - school closed

Wednesday: Individual Photo ReTakes, TCBY Yoghurt @ Lunch

Thursday: 6/7 Volleyball Game

Friday:

Dear Griffin Families,

Happy Hallowe'en! It is always fun to see the students in their costumes and full of Hallowe'en Spirit! I hope that everyone that is venturing out to Trick-or-Treat is safe and has a great time. Remember to take a look at the activities offered by the City of Richmond to make the most of the Friday evening fun!

Hallowe'en Activities in Richmond

We need to extend a huge thank you to all the PAC parent volunteers who put together the Pumpkin Patch @ Gilmore on Wednesday. All the students had fun choosing pumpkins and enjoying a cup of hot chocolate with plenty of marshmallows. The community feel was terrific. Classes have done a variety of different things with their pumpkins from science to visual arts. We look forward to building on the tradition next year!

The Grade 6/7 Volleyball Team is off and running for the season and we are grateful to Mr. Pantaleo, Mme. Henderson, and Ms. Bella for supporting the team. The team has had games with Quilchena and Steves thus far, our team spirit and effort is awesome! Good Luck this week against Grauer and Dixon!!

Remember to turn back you clocks before bedtime on Saturday night and have a great weekend.

Be safe, be active and get outside!

Go Griffins,

Mr. Ferguson, Principal



Information for Parents and Caregivers

Resources to support you and your child



Register for free training

Tips to protect children
and youth online



Have a conversation

Talk with children and
youth about things they
may be experiencing

What kind of information can I find on erase.gov.bc.ca?

- **Practical guidance** to help you support your child's safety and well-being
- **Resources and information about:**
 - Diversity and inclusion
 - Mental health and substance use
 - School and online safety
- **Free training sessions** to help you keep your child safe online
- **Videos** explaining erase, the Report It Tool, and safe, caring and inclusive schools
- **Tips** for bringing concerns to your child's school

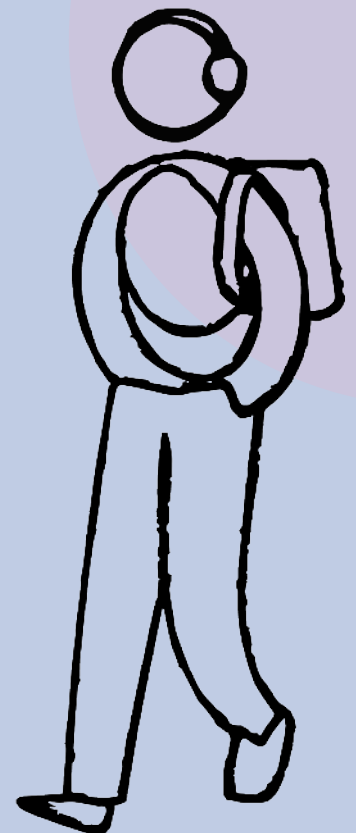
What is the Report It Tool?

Report It is an **anonymous online tool for students** to report anything concerning to their school safety team—whether it happens at school, online, or somewhere else. Find it at erase.gov.bc.ca.

Questions? Reach out to your school to learn more.



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Gilmore Elementary Hot Lunch Fall 2025 Session

Order at

www.munchalunch.com/schools/Gilmore/

Hot lunch questions or support? gilmorelunch@outlook.com

For financial support with hot lunch
please contact gilmore@sd38.bc.ca



Your PAC needs Volunteers

The Gilmore PAC is urgently needing members for the 2025 / 2026 School Year.

We are needing support in the following roles

Secretary Events Fundraising
Hot Lunch General Members

Without members the PAC cannot operate and the school will lose out on needed funds from grants and fundraising. Activities and events may also be cancelled.

Please reach out to
gilmorepacsd38@gmail.com
for more information or if you have questions.



BECOME HOMESTAY at the RICHMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT

Be a host for an international student for a month, semester or year. Richmond International Education (RIE) Homestay Program is looking for local families to offer a welcoming home.

Contact us to find out more about this enriching opportunity.

study@sd38.bc.ca

604-668-6217



RICHMOND
INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION
ENRICHING GLOBAL MINDS

GILMORE PAC UPDATES

Welcome Back event

Food: 40 pizzas, provided some for teachers as well

For next time: needed more hands (planning, and especially clean up)

October Movie Night

Elio!
Needing volunteers to help with concession

Gilmore Pumpkin Patch

Looking for volunteers to help with setting up the pumpkin patch and decorations

Fri, Oct 10	Mon, Nov 3
Wed, Oct 15	Wed, Nov 12
Mon, Oct 20	Mon, Nov 17
Mon, Oct 27	Mon, Nov 24

Sign up to volunteer
on munchalunch.com

Upcoming Events

October 9 - PAC meeting (virtual)

October 23 - Movie Night

October 29 - Pumpkin Patch

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