



WEEK AT A GLANCE

# HOMMA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Sept 23-Sept 27



Monday, Sep 23

Tuesday, Sep 24

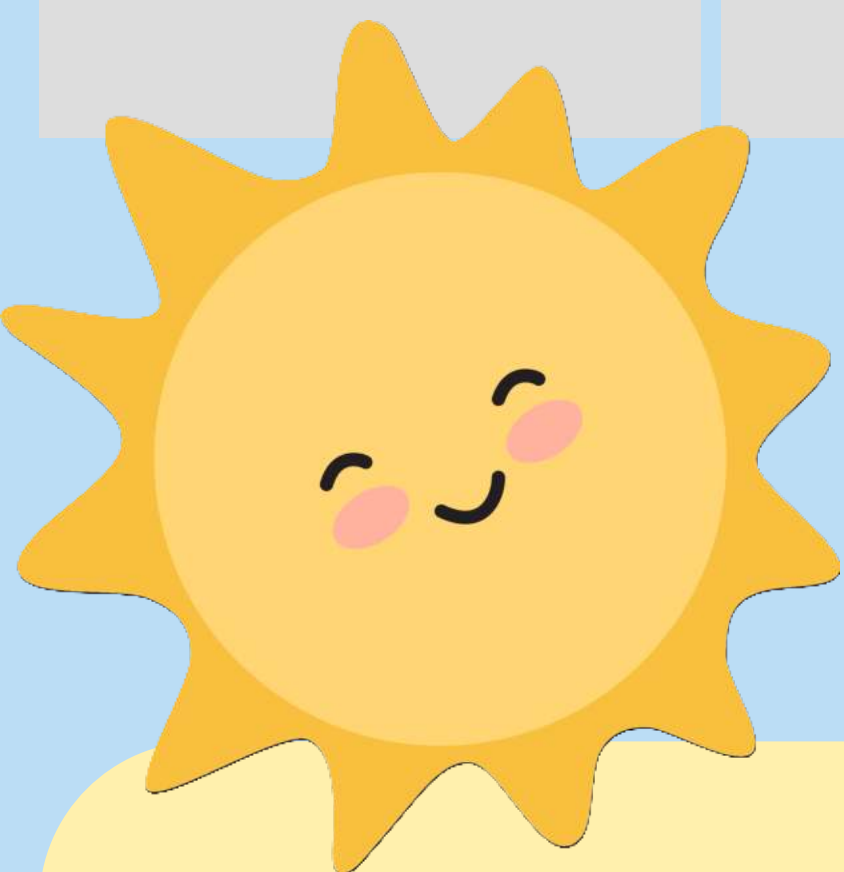
Wednesday, Sep 25

Thursday, Sep 26

Friday, Sep 27



Hot Lunch  
Pizza



## Important Dates

Sept 30.....Truth and Reconciliation Day - No School  
Oct 16-18.....Outdoor Ed (Gr 6/7 only)



### If your child needs to leave school early.....

If your child needs to leave early for an appointment or needs to be pulled from school for any reason, PLEASE email your teacher and the Homma Office [homma@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:homma@sd38.bc.ca)

This will be less disruptive to the rest of the class if the teacher knows ahead of time that a student will be leaving. Thank you!



## Daily Health Check

SHOULD I GO TO SCHOOL TODAY?

We appreciate your support in keeping your child home when they are not feeling well. **Students should not come to school when they are sick.**

If your child is not feeling well please continue to keep them home until their symptoms have resolved. If you know your child will be absent for a range of days, please leave that information as well.

Staying home when sick helps keep our entire school community healthy including teachers, admin staff and students. **Please do your part and stay home when sick.**





The Terry Fox Run will be taking place on Thursday, September 26th. We will start accepting cash donations every morning from September 23rd-26th. If you prefer to make an online donation, SchoolCashOnline will be open from September 13th to 26th.

Parents are welcome to join the run on Thursday, September 26th. Please confirm with your child's teacher for the time of their class run.



## ALLERGY ALERT!

Please be aware that Homma Elementary School has many students with severe, life threatening food allergies. Some classrooms may be designated nut free in order to protect the health of these students. Please help us limit the nut products entering our school overall, as the impact on a student can happen anywhere in the school. Please do not send food to school containing nuts.

For more information, please refer to attached document.

**Active Recreation & Sport Fund**

Provides funding for children and youth to participate in active recreation programs and sports where financial barriers impact inclusion.

[richmond.ca/subsidy](http://richmond.ca/subsidy)

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## SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 38

### **STUDENT AND FAMILY AFFORDABILITY FUND**

**This past spring, the provincial government announced a renewal of one-time funds for the Student and Family Affordability Fund. The Student and Family Affordability Fund is designed to assist families who require financial assistance with school-related costs in the following areas:**

- **school and course fees**
- **school supplies and course materials**
- **field trips**
- **school-related extracurricular opportunities**
- **clothing and footwear required for sports and school activities**

**Please reach out to Mr. David via email at [mdavid@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:mdavid@sd38.bc.ca) if you are in need of assistance.**

**As always, all requests will be treated with dignity and your privacy will be respected. We want to work with our families to ensure that our students, your children, have everything they need in order to be successful at school.**

**Please do not hesitate to reach out if we can help.**





# NEWS



As a Homma parent or guardian, you are automatically a valued member of the PAC. If you're eager to contribute more, feel free to reach out by:

- Email [contacthommamac@gmail.com](mailto:contacthommamac@gmail.com)
- Join our WhatsApp group: [Homma PAC Parents](#)

We also invite all parents and guardians to join the [Homma PAC Community](#) on Facebook and follow us on Instagram [@HommaPAC](#), where we regularly share updates and information!

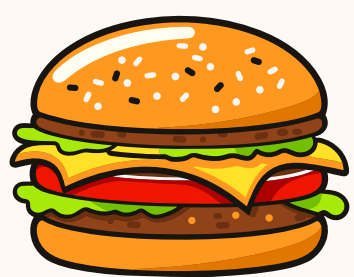


## Help Us Make the Halloween Dance a Spooktacular Success!

**We're looking for a creative and enthusiastic volunteer to spearhead the planning of this year's Halloween Dance. But fear not. You won't be alone. The PAC executive team will be by your side, providing support and guidance every step of the way.**

**In addition to a lead planner, we're also seeking volunteers to help with various tasks during the event. Whether decorating, working concession or helping with setup and cleanup, we'd love your support!**

**We're tentatively planning the dance for Monday, October 28, and will confirm the date soon. If you're interested in getting involved and adding spooky fun to the school, please reach out—we'd love to hear from you!**



## Hot Lunch



### Hot Lunch Registration

**On behalf of our Hot Lunch Team, PAC is happy to inform you that registrations for this year's Hot Lunch program are open!**

**Registration information and Frequently Asked Questions are available on the Homma website: [Homma Hot Lunch Program \(2024-2025\)](#)**