



WEEK AT A GLANCE

HOMMA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Feb 10-14



Monday, Feb 10

Tuesday, Feb 11

Wednesday, Feb 12

Thursday, Feb 13

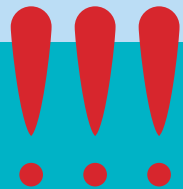
Friday, Feb 14

3pm Girls Basketball
Byng @ Homma

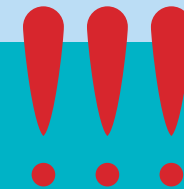
3pm Boys Basketball
Byng @ Homma

3pm Open Basketball
Diefenbaker @ Homma

Chess Club
at lunch



Late Item Drop Off at School



Please note that there is an increasing number of items being dropped off during instructional times at school. This includes - band instruments, lunches, snacks, water bottles, homework, etc. As such, please label and leave items on the lunch table outside of the office. So that there are minimal disruptions during instructional time in classroom, we will make a general call down just before recess and lunch to students to pick up their items.

Important Dates

Feb 14.....Pro D Day - No School

Feb 17.....Family Day - No School

Feb 18.....1:45pm Early Dismissal/Conferences

Feb 19.....1:45pm Early Dismissal/Conferences

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.**

Reminders

Please report any absences, lates, early dismissals, etc. to our

Early Warning Line at (604) 668-6491

Let us know your child's name, division and WHY they are away and for how long.

If your child(ren) will be arriving late, please make sure to sign in so that we can adjust their attendance.

thank you!



2025 SEASON

GR. 6-7 STUDENTS



**3 TEAMS:
GIRLS, BOYS, OPEN**



JAN-MARCH

(already started!)

- **GIRLS COACHES:** MR. YOO, MS. BLUE, MS. CHAN, MS. KISHI, MME LEE, MR. WOLBER
- **BOYS COACHES:** MR. DAVID & MR. HALL
- **OPEN COACHES:** MR. WOOD & MR. YOO



COME CHEER US ON!!!!



Basketball season is upon us! As we near the halfway point of the basketball season, we would like to thank the efforts of our amazing coaches (see image) who have supported our many players and families.

During lunch of each school day the gym is being used by one of our 3 basketball teams. Players are working hard, learning rules, developing skills, and encouraging growth in each other. The supportive tone set by our teacher volunteers has helped our community start the season with great positivity.

Schedules of games/practices and general information have been shared with families. Please make sure to check-in with your child if you have any initial questions. We have spoken to players about the importance of increasing their responsibility for their conduct and for their organizational skills as the season progresses. We look forward to the 2nd half of the season!



**QUICK
SURVEY**

Student Learning Survey

Help us plan for the future – tell us about your education experience. Students in Grades 4, 7, 10 and 12, their parents and all staff in B.C. public schools are invited to participate in an annual online satisfaction survey about their school experience.

The survey covers a range of topics, providing a comprehensive picture of the educational experience in B.C. public schools. Questions were developed with input from partner groups, teachers and experts in educational measurement and inclusive education.

Select Richmond District and Homma from the drop-down lists. Parent surveys are also available in 18 additional languages and takes about 30 minutes to complete.

- **Parent Logon:** The parent and guardian/caregiver survey is now available online at <https://www.awinfosys.com/SurveyFull1/central/main/access.asp> or **CLICK HERE** and is available in 18 different languages (go to the "Parents" section, and under "District", select "38 Richmond" and then select your child's school under "School").
- The survey will be available until Friday, May 3 and will take approximately 30 minutes to complete. Your responses are voluntary and anonymous, and your child will not be identified as a result of your participation in the survey.

The survey is available online from January 6 to May 3.



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 contacthommapac@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!

Join us for the wildly popular...
FAMILY BINGO NIGHT
 Thursday Feb 27
 6pm-8pm
 Homma Gymnasium

Tickets are on sale now!! On the Hot Lunch website!

Don't forget to pre-order your pizza and tickets in advance! Limited spots available!

cash concession prizes

Please remember that any child(ren) in attendance will require adult supervision.

Due to our gym's capacity, all attendees need a ticket. This event is popular and usually sells out, so don't wait! There is also a cash concession. Don't miss all the fun!

NEXT PAC MEETING
 Wednesday, Feb 19
 on Teams

The next PAC Meeting will be held **virtually** on Wednesday, February 19, from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm. Meet fellow parents, share ideas, and help shape the year ahead for our students. We look forward to seeing you there! The meeting link and details will be shared closer to the event.

Upcoming PAC Events

We are excited to share a few upcoming events and opportunities to get involved with the PAC:

Spring Hanging Basket Fundraiser

We've found our champion to lead this fundraiser! Stay tuned for more details on bringing home gorgeous hanging baskets this spring.

Spring Fair/Pinewood Derby

We're gearing up for our biggest event of the year—the Spring Fair and Pinewood Derby! This much-anticipated event brings our community together for a day of fun, racing, and celebration. However, its success depends on the number of volunteers we have. The more help we get, the bigger and better we can make it!

We're looking for volunteers of all kinds, including lead roles, to help organize key areas:

- Co-lead for the Pinewood Derby
- Lead for food coordination (Triple O's, concessions, and other vendors)
- Lead volunteer coordinator
- Lead for games & activities
- Lead for fundraising (gaming license, 50/50, raffle baskets)

Are you interested? Expressing interest does not mean committing just yet! If you're curious, let's discuss the role before you decide.

We also seek graphic designers and creative minds to help design the Derby 2025 T-shirts!

Whether you can help with planning, take on a lead role, or lend a hand on event day, every bit of support makes a difference.!