



# Roosevelt Park Community School

## École Communautaire Roosevelt Parc

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Newsletter #8  
Friday, April 5th, 2013

Dear Parents, Guardians and Community Members,

We hope everyone had a restful and relaxing Easter weekend! It is hard to believe that our third term is now upon us!

### **Parent Advisory Council Meeting**

Our next Parent Advisory Council meeting is scheduled for **Monday, April 8th at 7:00 p.m.** Babysitting and refreshments will be provided. New members are always welcome! Parent Advisory Council members are parents who have children who attend Roosevelt Park Community School. All parents who attend are eligible to win a \$25.00 Overwaitea gift certificate!

### **Canadian Parents for French—AGM**

The next Canadian Parents for French meeting will be held on Thursday, **April 25th at 7:00 p.m.** at Prince Rupert Middle School (Room 115). This is their annual AGM. At this meeting new executive officers will be elected.

### **Parent Guardian Consent**

Attached to this letter is an important (bright green) consent form for you to sign which will allow student information to be used for educational purposes. We sent this same letter home in September and only received about 50% back from parents. We would appreciate the consent form filled out signed and returned to the school as soon as possible. Thank you for your attention to this matter!

### **Ready Set Learn— April 12th**

Parents who have children 3 or 4 years of age are invited to attend an early learning session called: **READY SET LEARN**. The session will take place on Friday, April 12th at the Hub in our school. The time frame is 10:30 to noon— lunch will be provided.



### **Talent Show**

Our annual talent show takes place on Friday **April 19th beginning at 9:15 a.m.** Parents are encouraged to attend and support our local talent!!

### **School Clothing Order**

We are in the process of finalizing an order form for school clothing. The order form will include t-shirts (long and short) hoodies (with and without zippers) and sweatpants. The three colors of choice will be black, white and red. The grade 5 hoodies are also going to be on the same order form. Order forms will be going home with students next week.

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**All Day Kindergarten Registration– French Immersion and English Classes**

Kindergarten registration will continue on until the first week of September. Please register your child as soon as possible . Our front office opens daily at 8:00 a.m. to assist with registration procedures. Children **aged 5 by December 2013** qualify for registration for September 2013. Please register your child at the school’s front office. When you come to register your child for kindergarten, please bring their care card and birth certificate. We are encouraging early kindergarten registration to assist with enrolment for staffing in early spring. Our classes are not full, we will be able to accommodate all students who register in either program.

**Non– Instructional Day– April 26th**

Friday, April 26th is the next Non-Instructional Day.

**BC Training and Education Savings Account**

The province of British Columbia recently announced a new \$1,200 BC Training and Education Savings Grant for B.C. resident children born on or after January 1, 2007. To access the grant, families must open a Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP) before eligible child’s seventh birthday. (or by February 28th, 2014 for children born in January or February 2007). No matching or additional financial contributions are needed to access the \$1,200 savings grant. If families already have an RESP set up, no further action is required at this time. For more information on how to open an RESP please visit [www.canlearn.ca](http://www.canlearn.ca) and more information on the BCTESG visit [www.budget2013.ca/featuredpages/education/](http://www.budget2013.ca/featuredpages/education/)

**Second Language Information**

If you are interested in learning French, here are a couple of websites for you to take a look at: Rocket French or <http://www.lingq.com>.or google “Pimsleur French”.  
Sm’aglyax Language classes are offered every Monday evening at Conrad School at 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. in their Sm’aglyax classroom—205.

**Important Dates to Mark on Your Calendar**

Monday, April 8th - Parent Advisory Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m.  
Friday, April 12th - Ready Set Learn—10:30 to 12:00 at the Hub  
Friday, April 19th—Talent Show at 9:15 a.m.  
Thursday, April 25th—CPF—AGM at PRMS at 7:00 p.m.  
Thursday, April 25th — Monthly Assembly at 9:45 a.m.  
Friday, April 26th - N.I.D. day

Sincerely,

Kerri Levelton, Vice-Principal  
Susan Kobza, Principal

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I have read this newsletter and would like my child to be entered into the **Friday, April 12 th** draw.

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Student Name

