



NEWS & REMINDERS: WENTWORTH

November 30, 2018

Message from the Head of Wentworth

Dear Wentworth Families,

Please note that your child's first term report card is now posted on the [PCR portal](#). This report is intended to provide you and your child with specific, personalized, and meaningful information about your child's learning in relation to grade-level standards. It is also intended to offer meaningful insights about the best ways to support and improve their learning. We encourage you to celebrate your child's efforts with them, and to reflect on their growth and success through the first three months of school.

We've had a number of wonderful multi-grade events happening at Wentworth recently, including Festive Craft Day, where our excited primary classes made creative holiday decorations. All families are invited join in the fun by helping to place some of these decorations on the Collingwood Christmas tree tomorrow Saturday, December 1 at noon in Dundarave. Thank you to the Parent Council for yet another highly successful community-building and fun initiative! On Wednesday, our intermediate students took part in the public speaking grade rounds, with class representatives delivering their speeches to their peers, teachers, and a panel of judges. Well done to those courageous speakers, and also to the audience members who demonstrated tremendous respect and support.

We look forward to seeing you at [Nuit Blanche](#) on Tuesday, December 4 from 3:30-5:00pm in the Katz-Telfer Gym.

Marc Young
Head of Wentworth

Collingwood Tree Decorating

December 1, 12:00pm
Dundarave Beach

All families are invited to come to Dundarave Beach tomorrow to help decorate the Collingwood Christmas tree with the beautiful art our K to 3 students created on their Festive Craft Day. Our tree will be part of the [Dundarave Festival of Lights](#). Look for us near the park by The Beach House Restaurant in West Vancouver. ***Please note the time has been moved from 11:00am to 12:00pm to coincide with other events at the Festival of Lights.**

Scholastic Book Fair

December 10 - 13

Our yearly Book Fair coincides with our School's Holiday Concerts, making it easy for parents to shop, for their youngsters, for friends, or for our school's classrooms! This event serves as a great opportunity to connect with other parents and children.

Sale Hours:

Monday, December 10:
12:30 pm - 3:00 pm; 4:15 pm-7:30 pm

Tuesday to Thursday, December 11-13:
8:00am - 3:00 pm; 4:15 pm-7:30 pm

***Please note, we have closed the Book Fair from 3:00 - 4:15 pm each day as this is a slow time for sales and a busy time for parents with pickups & drop-offs.**

Please consider volunteering to help! Sign up [here](#).

Community Fundraisers



Wreaths & Poinsettias

Deadline to order is midnight tonight!

A Senior Round Square service initiative to raise funds for Ronald McDonald House. Pick up at either campus. Home delivery available for \$10. Order [here](#).

Scarves for Water

Help our Grad Class of 2019 raise funds to build a well in Bidi Bidi, South Sudan by purchasing a scarf from the Obakki Foundation, Scarves for Water Collection.

Visit [here](#) for more information on how to place your online order.

Coats for the Cold

Collingwood's "Coats for the Cold" is an annual coat drive at the Wentworth campus to collect coats for those in need in our area. The community is invited to donate clean, gently worn used men's, women's and children's coats of all kinds and sizes from now until December 11th. All coats will be personally delivered to the North Vancouver Salvation Army on December 12th. Just like last year, we are asking families to place their donations in the boxes in the Wentworth campus lobby according to your child's House. We collected 135 coats in 2016 and 181 coats in 2017. Let's all get involved in a little healthy Christmas competition for a great cause! Thank you Collingwood!!

Visit [here](#) for all service opportunities and initiatives.



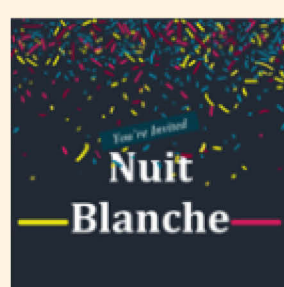
Congratulations Ryan Wang!

Ryan Wang has been invited by the Chinese government to take part in a television series called "Speak to the World". This series highlights Chinese from around the world who are recognized on an international level. Of the 60 guests invited, at 11 years old, Ryan is the youngest. Ryan will speak about his journey and the discipline it took to reach his world class, recognized skills on the piano. Ryan is grateful for the continued support he receives from his family, friends, teachers and from Collingwood School, some who may make an appearance on tomorrow's episode!

The 12 part "Speak to the World" series, plus finale, will be aired every Saturday on Channel CCTV 4 worldwide, 7:30pm in Beijing and 6:50pm in Vancouver, local time. Ryan will be featured on the second episode, December 1, and is privileged to be invited back for the finale.

[Read More](#)

Important Dates:



Nuit Blanche
Tuesday, Dec. 4
3:30pm-5:00pm
Wentworth Campus

An Arts and Craft Fair celebrating JK-7 art. This is a community event open to everyone.

[More Information](#)

Kindie/Gr. 12 Buddy Visit
Santa's Breakfast
Friday, Dec. 7
9:15am - 10:15am
***Morven Campus in the Commons**
Parents and cameras welcome.

Upcoming Concerts
All performances are in the Katz-Telfer Gym unless specified otherwise.

Grade 4-5 Choir Performance at Park Royal
Friday, Dec. 7
10:50am - 12:20pm
Park Royal,
West Vancouver

Grade 7 Band Concert
Monday, Dec. 10
5:30pm - 6:00pm

Kindergarten Concert
Tuesday, Dec. 11
5:00pm - 5:30pm

Grade 2 Concert
Tuesday, Dec. 11
6:00pm- 6:30pm

Grade 1 Concert
Wednesday, Dec. 12
5:00pm- 5:30pm

Grade 3 Concert
Wednesday, Dec. 12
6:00pm- 6:30pm

Grade 4 Concert
Thursday, Dec. 13
5:00pm- 5:30pm

Grade 6-7 Choral Concert
Thursday, Dec. 13
6:00pm - 7:00pm

JK Winter Celebrations
parents in attendance
Thursday, Dec. 20

JKE Classroom: 8:30am - 9:15am

JKB Classroom: 11:00am - 11:45am

For a full list of festive Collingwood events, visit [here](#).



Photo of the Week

Monday's assembly saw race cars in action! This was a Gr. 7/K mentorship initiative where grade 7 students designed kindergarten "Forces and Motion" science lessons that related to cars the kindies crafted with some help from their Gr. 7 mentors.

For more photos from all Collingwood School activities, follow us on [Facebook](#) & [Instagram](#)!

Nike Holiday Basketball Camps
January 2 - 4

Come join us for 3 days of basketball at Collingwood School filled with contests, games and skill development with the coaches of North Shore Basketball Academy. We are offering camps for grades 2-4 and 5-7. To register and learn more about our camps visit [here](#). **Use discount code DUZZI for 15% off registration fee.**

Inclement Weather

In the event of snow and school closures, you will find information posted to the [homepage](#), [Students](#) and [Parents](#) pages of our website by 6:30 am.