

# Events This Week

Monday,  
Oct. 21, 2024

- Happy Monday!  
• Book Fair Opens

Tuesday,  
Oct. 22, 2024

- Early Dismissal at 11:15AM for Conferences
- District Cross Country Fun Run at Garry Point

Wednesday,  
Oct. 23, 2024

- Breakfast Club @ 8AM to 8:30AM in the Gym, more info on Page 3.

Thursday,  
Oct. 24, 2024

- Hot Lunch (Pizza and Smoothies)

Friday,  
Oct. 25, 2024

- Pro D Day, school is closed

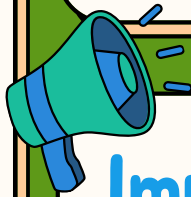
Next Hot Lunch:  
FRI. Nov. 8th (Subway and Smoothies) **ORDERS DUE WED. OCT. 31**

Order hot lunches through **Muncha Lunch**. See Page 5 for more info.

# McNeely Week Ahead

October 21 to  
October 25, 2024

*Know your child will be absent from school? Please call the Office before 8AM at 604-668-6250 or email [McNeely@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:McNeely@sd38.bc.ca).*



## Important Reminders

- NO SCHOOL Friday, Oct. 25th for Professional Development Day
- Emailing the Office? Please include your child's name and division. Thank you!
- Forms and notices have been sent home with your child. Please complete forms and return to your child's classroom teacher as soon as possible.
- Cross Country Fun Runners meet Mr. Unger and Ms. Ng at Garry Point at 3:30PM

## Traffic Safety

Our parking lot gets very busy at drop-off and pick-up times. **The front parking lot is designated for staff parking. Families may park in the Visitor's Lot (by the park).** We encourage everyone to walk or bike to school and kindly remind drivers **there is no parking in the Drive-Thru Lane.** *Thank you for using caution and reducing your speed to help keep our students safe!*





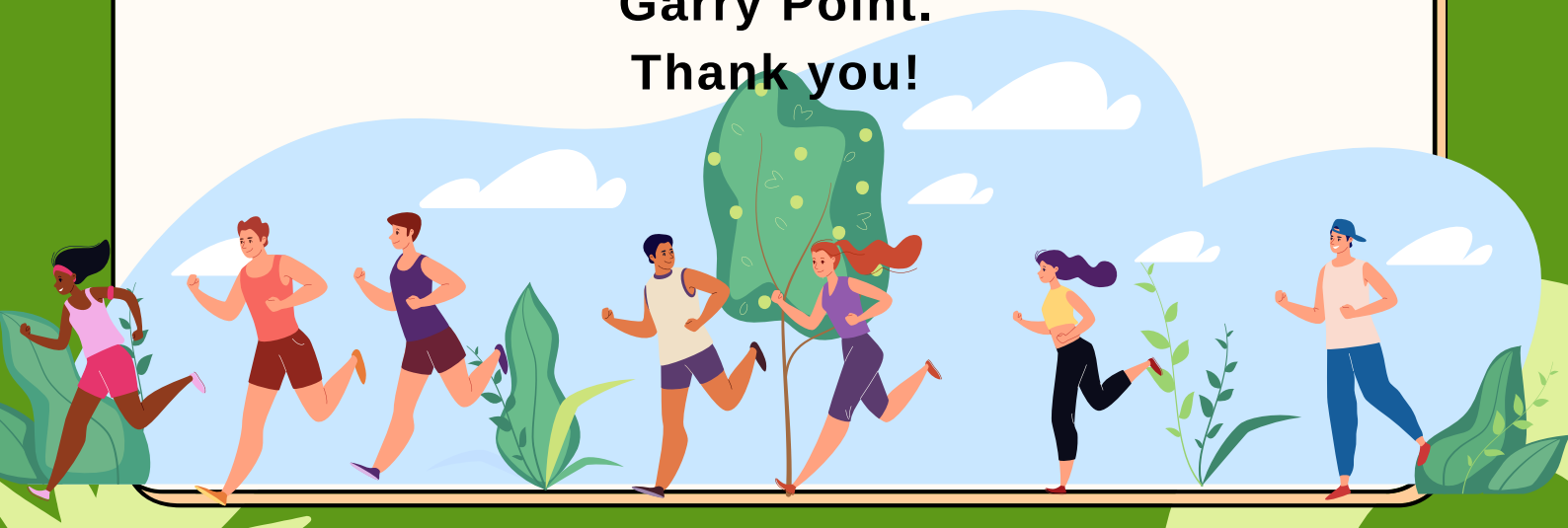
## Cross Country Fun Run

The District Fun Run is finally here! McNeely students have been working hard and practicing their long distance running at lunch time! Students who returned their permission slips are to meet Mr. Unger and Ms. Ng at Garry Point at 2:45PM. The first race begins at 3:10PM.

Parking is very limited, so carpooling is encouraged.

Please remind your children to wear running shoes and to come dressed to run in any weather.

McNeely PAC will be sponsoring some healthy snacks for all our runners at Garry Point.  
Thank you!





## Breakfast Club (Wednesdays and Fridays)

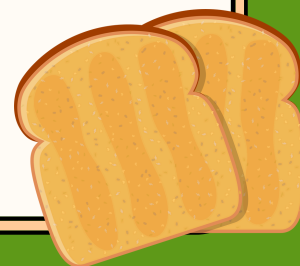


Our wonderful Breakfast Club Program is in full swing in the Gym on Wednesday and Friday mornings! Students and families are welcome to join us for toast, cereal, and milk.

There will also be some equipment stations set up for students to enjoy, after they are finished eating breakfast.

Students and families will exit through the Gym outside doors to go line up at their classroom doors at the end of Breakfast Club.

Come join us!



## Community Fridge

Our Community Fridge program is continuing to be popular for our McNeely students. A supply of fruit, veggies, and other healthy items are available for students throughout the day, or until the day's supply is finished.

Teachers have been talking with our students about “need versus want” when it comes to items in the Community Fridge and how we can share the food in that fridge responsibly. We thank you for continuing these conversations at home to support our students in this important learning about how we care for each other and thoughtfully share resources.



## Upcoming Events

**October 21, 22, 23, 24:** Scholastic Book Fair, please see notice that went home for more info

**October 22nd:** Early dismissal at 11:15 AM (Conferences); District Cross Country Fun Run @ Garry Point

**October 24th:** Hot Lunch (Pizza and Smoothies)

**October 25th:** Professional Development Day (students do not attend)

**October 30th:** Photo Retakes, more info to come

**October 31st:** McNeely Pumpkin Carving (students bring own pumpkins and bringing your own carving kit is recommended). More info to come.

**November 8th:** Hot Lunch (Subway and smoothies), orders due Oct. 31st on Muncha-Lunch

# PAC News and Events Info

## Hot Lunch Info

### Upcoming dates:

October 24th- Pizza Hut and Booster Juice Smoothies (Order by Oct. 16)

November 8th Subway and Smoothies (Order by Oct. 31)

November 22nd- Sushi (Order by Nov. 14)

December 13th- Pizza Hut and Booster Juice Smoothies (Order by Dec. 5)

All Hot Lunch dates from October to December are NOW OPEN for ordering on Munch-a-Lunch. Families can order for all Term 1 hot lunches at once, or order for specific dates. A reminder to check the order deadlines when ordering from each hot lunch date separately. For those unable to order online, paper copies will be available at the school office.



**Hot Lunch questions?**  
**Email [MCNEELYHOTLUNCH@outlook.com](mailto:MCNEELYHOTLUNCH@outlook.com)**

The City of Richmond has launched the 2024/25 Grade 5 Active! Pass that offers a pass for FREE admission to drop-in swimming, skating, pitch and putt golf and other community centre activities. Click the digital card below to access the website.



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# Creating Healthy Attachment & Boundaries



**Parents & Caregivers**



**Brighthouse Library  
Registration Required**

**Wednesday,  
November 6  
6:00-7:30pm**

Learn how to create healthy attachment with your child and take home practical strategies to use right away.

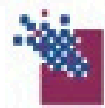
**Wednesday,  
November 13  
6:00-7:30pm**

Learn about how to set boundaries with your child, when to say “no” and how to address big emotions.

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