

## PRINCE RUPERT MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Our Vision: Achieving Success Together  
Sagayt Galksa Ax'axlgit



### **Dropping off/Picking up students**

We want to thank families for adapting to the changes when dropping off and picking up their children at school. With cones in place after school, students have a much safer space to exit the building. Reminder to please make a plan with children prior to drop off about where to meet for pick up.

### **PAC Meeting**

The February meeting will be Monday, April 17<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm via Zoom. Please call the school if you would like the link to attend the meeting. Our PAC helps our students by supporting our events and our students. Please join our meetings to help support our students.

### **Spring Break:**

Reminder that Spring Break runs from Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup> – Friday, March 31<sup>th</sup>. Classes will resume Monday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### **Student Learning Survey (Grade 7 students and families)**

The Provincial Student Learning Survey is unique in its scope, size and usefulness to schools. It gathers information from parents/guardians/caregivers, teachers, and students on topics related to school environment, safety, and achievement. The information is used for planning in individual schools and provides a district and provincial perspective. Early in 2023 the Student Learning Survey will be administered to students in grade 7, their parents/guardians/caregivers, and all school staff. We encourage parents/guardians/caregivers to participate in this survey, as the results are important in identifying and celebrating current strengths, as well as determining where the school needs to focus improvement. The surveys contain standard questions for the Province – in addition, questions from the school and/or district that focus on local conditions or issues may be included. The survey can be completed electronically and can be accessed on the Internet at [http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat\\_survey](http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat_survey). Any computer with an Internet connection can be used, and access to the e-survey is simple and secure. The survey can be accessed through the link with or without an anonymous logon code by selecting the school district and school name where your child attends school. Provincial, District and School Reports for previous years can be viewed at the same site under the Results section. The e-survey site will be open until April 29th. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

**Subway Day:**

Once again, PRMS will be having a Subway Day on Thursday, March 16<sup>th</sup> for students. Please note that order forms must be submitted to the office by Friday, March 10<sup>th</sup>. If you wish to pre-order for the remainder of the year, please contact Ms. Martin via email [robyn.martin@sd52.bc.ca](mailto:robyn.martin@sd52.bc.ca).

**Supervision**

The school is opened at 8:15am. Doors are kept locked until then.

**Breakfast Program**

The school Breakfast Program is available to students beginning at 8:15am each school day.

**Sick/Absent**

Please keep your child home if they are not feeling well. Please also call the school 250-624-6757 to report a student absence. If you are wanting homework for your child, please contact their teacher.

**Cell Phones**

Just a reminder that students are not supposed to have cell phones at school. If they bring them to school, they are required to be kept in their locker. Please do not text or call your child during the day. If you need to get a hold of them, please contact the school.

**Lunch Program**

Our school district will be offering a lunch program to students again this year. Please fill out the form if you would like your child to be on the program each month. If you have any questions, please contact the school at 250-624-6757.

**Social Media:**

Please keep up to date with everything happening around PRMS through our various Social Media platforms including Facebook (*Prince Rupert Middle School*); Twitter (*@prmsd52*); and Instagram (*@prmsstorm*)

**Upcoming Events:**

- March 10 – Subway forms due to Office
- March 16 – Subway Day
- March 17 – Last day before Spring Break
- March 17 – Last day of Term 2
- April 3 – First Day back from Spring Break
- April 3 – First Day of Term 3
- April 7 – Good Friday (No School)
- April 10 – Easter Monday (No School)
- April 14 – Report Cards going home
- April 21 – Professional Development Day (No school)

Please check the school website regularly for any updates or information at <http://prms.rupertschools.ca/>

Thank you,

Kerri Levelton

Principal

Mike McDowall

Vice-Principal