



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT RAYMER



Nov 25 - 29
"The Sky's the Limit"



WEEKLY PREVIEW

Monday November 25

- Cultural Performance (pm)
- Choir @ 11:10

Tuesday November 26

- Woodruff: Monet Virtual Field Trip
- PAC Meeting @ 6 PM in the library

Wednesday November 27

- Fiber Arts Club @ 11:10

Thursday November 28

- Chip Sale Fundraiser



Friday November 29

- Hot Lunch: FatBurger
- **SPRIT DAY:** Twin Day (Dress Like a Friend)



Upcoming Events

Dec 2: Santa Bus @ 12.30
Dec 6: Gounder/Marino: H2o Field Trip
Dec 9-12: Parkour for all Ravens
Dec 12: Term 1 Learning Updates
Home
Dec 13: School Wide Field Trip:
Nutcracker
Dec 13: **SPRIT DAY:** 70s/80s Dress Up
Dec 16-20: Winter Theme Week
Dec 19: Winter Concert

School Focus and Learning Goals 2024/2025



Through our school belief statements found in the school calendar students and staff will:

- Understand and practice powerful reading and writing routines
- Develop and strengthen personal character attributes
- Create a caring community

Multicultural Potluck

This week Raymer Elementary School celebrated Harmony Day by inviting families to bring in food that represents their heritage. The support and participation was heartwarming! We love welcoming families into our school and celebrating all of our unique cultural backgrounds. We love our Raven Family!

Thank you parents!

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Chip Sale!
November 28 at lunch
\$1.00/bag

We are fundraising as a school to buy House Team t-shirts for each individual student! This is our first of three chip fundraisers! Thank you for supporting our Ravens!

"Take Care of Yourself, Others and Our School"



OUR STAFF!

Kayla Elliott
CEA



Fav Pizza: Hawaiian



Fav Ice Cream: Rootbeer Float



Fav Animal: Whales



How I Relax: Hike, Baths



SANTA BUS 2024!

Raymer Elementary, along with SOAR (Students Organizing Activities at Raymer) are proud to be partnering to support the Santa Bus initiative again this year. As a school we will be collecting non-perishable food items beginning **November 18th until December 2nd** when the Santa Bus will come to Raymer. Please give your donations to your classroom teachers. We appreciate any donation that you can provide as it will go a long way this upcoming season for families within our community.

House Teams will receive House Points for each item that is donated. The House Team with the most items is House Team Challenge #2's winner!

Go Ravens Go!



Breathing Strategy



Stand with your legs comfortably apart and your hands by your sides. Close your eyes.

Take a slow, gentle breath in through your nose, raising your arms out to the side and up above you like a strong, majestic eagle. Hold your breath for a moment and then breathe out as calmly as you can, lowering your arms slowly as you breathe.

Winter Celebration Concert

Please Mark Your Calendars!

The students and staff at Raymer Elementary are thrilled to welcome you to our winter celebration concert!

When: Thursday December 19th
Where: Raymer Elementary Gym



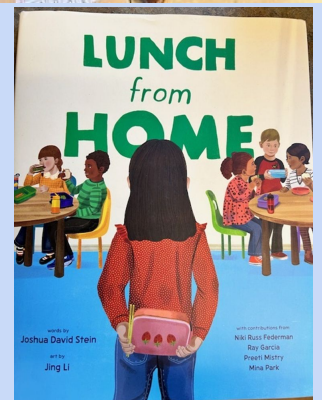
After School Supervision

After school supervision ends at 2:45. If students are hoping to remain on school property and play they must have an adult at the playground with them for safety reasons. Thank you for your support in keeping our Ravens safe.



MULTICULTURAL WEEK AT RAYMER

This week we celebrated Multicultural Week at Raymer. We created a school wide cultural tree highlighting where we are from, proudly wore our cultural clothing/colours, heard each morning from a different morning greeter (students speaking in their home language), listened to a school wide story and ended the week with our Harmony Day potluck feast!



Harmony Day Multicultural Potluck!





HOT LUNCH



- Every Friday is Hot Lunch!
- **1 Wednesday per Month (Special Pizza Hot Lunch)**



All profits go to the PAC so our Raymer students can do fun things!

Purdys Chocolates Fundraiser Alert!

Now to Dec 1st!

Support our Raymer Ravens this holiday season by indulging in the deliciousness of Purdy's chocolates! Treat yourself and your loved ones to these delightful chocolates and help us raise funds for new sports pinnies so our Ravens can shine on game day!

ORDER NOW THROUGH DEC 1st on our campaign page: [CLICK HERE >>](#)



Thank you for your support and

happy holidays!

Order deadline: December 1st

Chocolate Delivery: December 13th



PARENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

- We need parent volunteers to help with a variety of PAC run events and activities
- More Volunteers = More Events for our Raymer Community
- Contact ray.pac@sd23.bc.ca to volunteer.



NEXT PAC MEETING: Tuesday, November 26th @ 6 pm in the library.



Return-It Express Bottle Depot – Ongoing Fundraiser

Updated phone number for the Raymer PAC Return-It Express Donations: **250-870-5125**

It is so simple! No counting! No sorting! Simply bring your donation in a clear plastic bag to any of the Return-It Express locations:

- Kent Rd (Near Landmark district)
- St. Paul St (Downtown)
- Dease Rd (off Leathead Rd)

Find the express kiosk, enter the phone number, print as many labels as bags you have, label your bag(s), and leave them behind! They do the rest. The funds will be transferred to the Raymer PAC's bank account automatically! For more info: <https://www.return-it.ca/express/about/>

Thank you for continuing to support!
Your donations help us fund important school programs and fun field trips!

