

Hawthorne Elementary School

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Principal's Message

Dear Hawthorne Parents and Guardians,

Have a wonderful weekend!

Ms. Cranston Principal

Hawthorne Hawks Spirit Wear

As promised, our <u>Hawthorne Hawks Online Gear Store</u> is open! This a great opportunity to show some school spirit and build community by purchasing a short or long sleeve t-shirt or a pullover hoodie, all with our Hawks logo.

The order deadline is Sunday, February 11, and we anticipate orders arriving prior to Spring Break. This is a custom order, so we are unable to accept late or altered orders or to provide exchanges. There is a size chart for each item, so please be sure to check that you are ordering the correct size.

You can <u>place your orders here</u>. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the office.

North Delta Fights Cancer Night

On Sunday, February 4 - World Cancer Day - three of the North Delta Sun Devils teams will be taking part in an event to raise funds for the Canadian Cancer Society. All games are at Sungod Arena and the teams will be wearing a special *Hockey Fights Cancer* jersey.

Game 1: **U13 A2 – 5:45 pm** vs Richmond

Game 2: **U15 A2 – 7:30 pm** vs Ridge Meadows

Game 3: **U18 A1 – 9:15 pm** vs West Vancouver

Admission is \$5. Special *NDMHA Fights Cancer* t-Shirts and hoodies will be sold at the games. All funds raised will be donated to the Canadian Cancer Society in honour of two of the teams' players who each lost a parent earlier this winter season.

Kindergarten Registration for 2024-2025

Registration for children starting Kindergarten in September, 2024 will be open <u>online</u> from February 12 to 23, 2024. There will also be an **in-person** option for parents to register catchment Kindergarten students at Hawthorne on February 14 to 15 between 9:00 am and 2:00 pm.

All students must register at their catchment school, which can be found on the <u>School Locator</u>. If they wish to apply to another school, they should complete an <u>online non-catchment form</u> as well. Non-catchment applications are open February 5 at 8:30 am.

Documents needed for registration include:

- Child's birth certificate or passport
- Child's BC Care Card
- Parent's ID, such as a birth certificate or passport
- Proof of residence, such as Property Taxes (current receipt), purchase/rental agreement, or rental receipt

Wellness and School

The best way to keep the school community healthy is for students and staff to stay home when they show any signs of illness. Students should stay at home if they have cold or flu symptoms, such as vomiting, runny nose, fever, coughing, vomiting, or diarrhea. Please have a plan for childcare in the event your child(ren) gets sick.

Lost and Found

Please be sure to label all clothing items and personal belongings that your child(ren) bring to school. Any misplaced items will be displayed on the rack at the front of the school or kept at the office.

Please also refrain from sending toys, electronics, or other special items, as these can be damaged or misplaced.

Hawthorne Parking

We continue to encourage students and families to walk or ride to school as much as possible to reduce vehicle traffic. If driving is necessary, please follow all posted traffic signs and traffic laws. A reminder that the parking lot by the gym is for staff only and the traffic circle is for quick drop off and pick up; drivers are not to exit their vehicles.

Key Dates

| Fri. Jan. 26 | PAC Hot Lunch Order Deadline – Hot Dog Day (Feb. 2) |
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| Fri. Feb. 2 | PAC Hot Lunch – Hot Dog Day |
| Mon. Feb. 5 | Non-Catchment application opens on District website |

