# Henderson Elementary

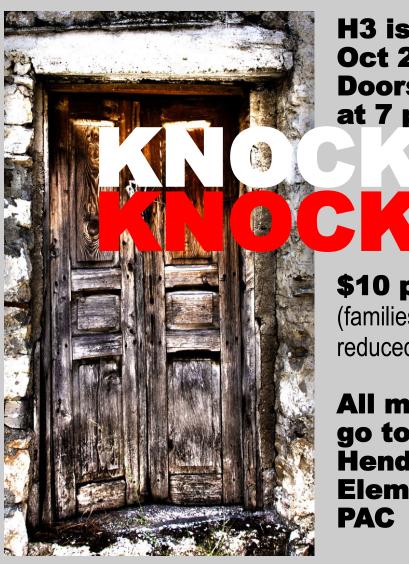


Henderson Elementary works to foster an environment to nurture individuals academically, socially, and emotionally so that they are equipped to tackle academic challenges and become productive members of society.

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Check out newsletters and calendar items on-line.



October 2023

H3 is back Oct 27 & 28 Doors open at 7 pm

**\$10 person** (families get a reduced price)

All monies go to Henderson Elementary PAC

Students and loved ones are welcome to volunteer.

# **Truth and Reconciliation....**





# **Recognition Awards**

### Ms Gahan's class Respectful Listening Skills

Sierra Meadow Isaiah Naia Sawyer Violet

### Ms Caldarone's/Mrs Robinson's class Respectful Listening

Amelia Harrison Cadence Aliyah Jordyn Zilah Samuel

Parker

### Mrs Hodgins' class For Being Respectful Nettle Anna L'Aura

# Mr Mendoza's class

For showing tiystam (respect)

Gabriel – by helping keep our school grounds clean Samuel – by supporting our volleyball team Khloe – by showing a positive attitude during group work Nicholas – by working with a positive attitude with adults

Una - for herself by positively working on classroom assignments

# Mr Ball's class

For Creative Arts Dahlia Freya Elizabeth Ashley Karolina

# Staff Parking

For the safety of your children please park on Timberlane or Willow Ave.



# **Terry Fox Runners**



# **HENDERSON CARES**

We are so proud of our little school. This past week students managed to raise \$768.35 for Cancer Research. Classes spent time discussing the amazing contribution Terry Fox made in showing the importance of doing our best for the things that matter the most. Students also welcomed the 2023 riders for Cops for Cancer. What a great week to learn about service and caring for others!



New Counsellor begins Oct 10 Ms Elaine Maxwell, our school counsellor, is moving on to Brooks High School. We welcome Ms Sheila McQuarrie two days a week at Henderson.

# Henderson Staff

**Principal** Mr. Matthew Hull

### **Teaching Staff**

Mr. Stephen Ball \* Grade 6/7 Mr. Jerrold Mendoza \* Grade 5/6 Mrs. Erin Hodgins \* Gr 3/4 Ms Diana Caldarone/Mrs. J. Robinson \* Gr 2/3 Ms Leanne Gahan \* Grade K/1 Ms Nicole Stevens \* Intervention Ms Diana Caldarone \* Library Mr. Davis Steele \* Music Mrs. Nicole Burnett \* Special Education **Support Staff** Shayne Lai \* Custodian Ms Patricia Good \* Office Manager

### **Educational Assistants**

Mrs. Julie Alcock Mrs. Amy Alexander Ms Elizabeth Chase Ms Naomi Duffus Ms Brenna Middleton Mrs. Michelle Vestering Mrs. Jennifer Frost Ms Angela Byles Mrs. Tara Findlater Mrs. Suzanne Barclay Čεpθ (aunty) Frankie McWade **Indigenous Success Teacher** Angela Young New Counsellor Ms Sheila McQuarrie **Early Learning** Kate Boyd \* StrongStart Marilyn Roz \* Just B4 Program

# Attendance

Henderson Elementary utilizes a call in system known as SafeArrival to allow parents to both notify the school of an absence as well as when there is an unexplained absence at the school. For more information on how to use SafeArrival go to:

### https://shorturl.at/dgKQ1

# New School Website

School District 47 has recently rolled new websites across the district. You can now find us at <u>https://</u><u>www.sd47.bc.ca/he</u>, in addition to a new website, there is a App that can be downloaded to your mobile device so that you no longer miss any updates such as newsletters etc.

> Next PAC Meeting Tuesday Oct 3 At 7 pm

# **School Library**

All parents are invited to attend.

# October 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Truth & Reconciliation School not in session	3	4	5 World Teachers' Day	6 Recognition Assembly 1:15 pm	7
8	9 <b>Thanksgiving</b> School not in session	10 World Mental Health Day	11	12	13 Div 4 Special Poetry Writing session with Johnny MacRae writer in residence from the PR Library	14
15	16 Div 2 Lang Bay Field Trip	17	**	19 Great Shakeout BC Earthquake Drill	PD Day No School	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 KNOCK KNO H3 doors open a	
29	30	31 Hallowe'en Costume Parade 9:05	<i>Nov 1</i> <b>Parent</b> <b>Teacher</b> <b>Conferences</b>	Nov 2 Photo Retakes	Nov 3 Recognition Assembly 9 am	Nov 4