

# 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

## Mrs Hodgins' class

### For Being Respectful

Nettle  
Anna  
L'Aura  
Parker

## Mr Mendoza's class

### For showing tiystem (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!

\$364.50

\$779.35

\$414.85



## 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 <https://www.sd47.bc.ca/he>, 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.

## 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

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Frankie McWade

### Indigenous Success Teacher

Angela Young

### New Counsellor

Ms Sheila McQuarrie

### Early Learning

Kate Boyd \* StrongStart

Marilyn Roz \* Just B4 Program


**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 <b>Truth &amp; Reconciliation</b> <b>School not in session</b>	3	4	5 <i>World Teachers' Day</i>	6 <b>Recognition Assembly 1:15 pm</b>	7
8	9 <b>Thanksgiving</b> <b>School not in session</b>	10 <i>World Mental Health Day</i>	11	12	13 <i>Div 4 Special Poetry Writing session with Johnny MacRae writer in residence from the PR Library</i>	14
15	16 <b>Div 2 Lang Bay Field Trip</b>	17	18	19 <b>Great Shakeout BC</b> <b>Earthquake Drill</b>	20	21 <b>PD Day No School</b>
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 <b>KNOCK KNOCK</b> H3 doors open at 7 pm
29	30	31 <b>Hallowe'en Costume Parade 9:05</b>	Nov 1 <b>Parent Teacher Conferences</b>	Nov 2  <b>Photo Retakes</b>	Nov 3 <b>Recognition Assembly 9 am</b>	Nov 4

