

March 4, 2025



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ÉCOLE RED BLUFF LHTAKO

École Red Bluff/Lhtako Elementary March 2025 Newsletter

Dahooja Parents/Guardians,

SPRING is in the air!

Check out what's happening in Basketball!

BASKETBALL

BOYS

Boys Basketball Playdowns are Tuesday, March 4 and the finals will take place on Wednesday, March 5, 2025.

* Please see attached for full schedule

GIRLS

Girls Basketball Finals took place on February 26, 2024. Here are the results:

- 1st - Lakeview Elementary
- 2nd - Dragon Lake Elementary
- 3rd - Ecole Red Bluff/Lhtako Elementary
- 4th - Carson Elementary

Way to go Girls!!

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten registration for the 2024/2025 school year has officially begun. Please come in to the school of your catchment and bring two pieces of ID for the student (Birth Certificate & Care Card) and 2 proofs of residence. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the office at 250-747-2634 and we will be happy to help!



SWIM for LIFE PROGRAM

Tuesdays

Ms. Leblanc & McTavish Classes

Time: 10:15 to 12:00pm

Ending March 11, 2025

LEARNING UPDATES (Previously called Report Cards)

Term 2 Learning Updates will be going home on Wednesday, March 12, 2025.

Layers for the win!

Wet socks!

Wet boots!

Wet everything these days...and then there's the wind & ice...and then there's sunshine!

Extra socks and clothing will help our students stay comfortable and dry all day.



ABSENCE REPORTING

Gentle reminder to please report your child's absence by either calling the school, or using the online tools through our website – see below for help:



Open the school website – <https://redbluff.sd28.bc.ca/>

On your phone – scroll over to the right and click on the "Report a student absence" icon.



On your computer – Click on "Contact" then "Report Absence".

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Reminder to parents/guardians to please do a health check of your student before sending them to school if they are feeling unwell. Please stay home to rest and get better before returning!



TRANSPORTATION

Please ensure students have their bus passes ready when they are getting on the bus. We are still waiting on replacement passes for some students but if you require one, please call 250-992-8361 or email transportation@sd28.bc.ca to have a replacement card printed.

<u>School Hours:</u>	
8:25	Warning Bell
8:30	Start of Instruction
10:00 – 10:15	Recess
12:00 – 12:25	1 st Lunch <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Intermediate students outside to play• Primary students eating lunch
12:25 – 12:49	2 nd Lunch <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Primary students outside to play• Intermediate students eating lunch
2:28	End of Day

Student Supervision

- Families are reminded that there is no student supervision before 7:55 am and no student supervision after 2:45 pm

Upcoming Events

- March 3 - PAC Meeting @ 6:00pm
- March 4 - Swimming @ 10:00am
- March 4 - Boys' District Basketball Tournament @ 2:45pm
- March 5 - PAC Hot Lunch (Beef Burger)
- March 5 - Boys' District Basketball Tournament @ 2:45pm
- March 6 - Science World in the Gym
- March 7 - Soccer with QYSA @ 12:00pm in the Gym
- March 11 - Swimming @ 10:00am
- March 12 - PAC Hot Lunch (Hot Dogs)
- March 12 - Term 2 Learning Updates go home
- March 14 - Soccer with QYSA @ 12:00pm in the Gym

March 17 - 28



Please check our website regularly for all Upcoming Calendar Events, Activities, Meetings, Information and much more!

<https://redbluff.sd28.bc.ca/events/calendar>

We would like to take thank:

ZELDA FENCING AND LANDSCAPE

<https://zeldakesnel.ca/>



for their continued support of our
Breakfast Club!

BOYS DISTRICT BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT 2025
Preliminary Round March 4th and Finals on March 5th

PRELIMINARY ROUND: March 4th (Tuesday)

Two teams will play two games in the preliminary round; however, the two teams who lose their first game will be eliminated. Each pool will send the top two teams to the finals (Both teams from Game 3).

Pool A Venue: Red Bluff	
1. Parkland 2. Red Bluff 3. Riverview 4. Lakeview	
Game A	@ 3:00 1 vs 2
Game B	@ 3:45 3 vs 4
Game C	@ 4:30 Winner Game A vs Winner Game B

Pool B venue: Voyageur	
1. Carson 2. Voyageur 3. Bouchie 4. Dragon Lake	
Game A	@ 3:00 1 vs 2
Game B	@ 3:45 3 vs 4
Game C	@ 4:30 Winner Game A vs Winner Game B

BOYS' FINALS – March 5th (Wednesday)

The two first-place teams will playoff for first and the second-place teams from the preliminary round will playoff for 3rd. Games will be held at QJS starting at 3:30pm March 5th.

Boys' Final Venue: QJS	
3:30 2nd Pool A vs 2nd Pool B 4:15 Winner Pool A vs Winner Pool B	

1. Divisional Games, Playoff Games and Final Games will consist of 4x8 minute quarters. Clock stops on time-outs and substitutions, only. *Each team will be permitted 1x 60 second time-out per half, and one additional time-out per overtime period.*

Overtime periods will be 5 minutes, running time, in duration.

Division Tie-Breakers:

1. If two teams tied with same record, the winner of the division match between these teams will be the division winner.
2. If three teams tied with same record, then the team that has scored the most points vs. the other tied teams will be the division winner.
2. **First** will be awarded to the team with the best record against the other two teams. If two teams are tied, the winner of the playoff match between the two teams will be first. If all three teams are tied, the team which has scored the most points vs. the other teams will be the champion; **second** and **third** determined the same way.
3. **Note that:** Foul shots are not awarded. If fouled in the act of shooting, one point and possession on the end line in the offensive zone are awarded. If the shot scores, the regular two points and possession on the end line are awarded. Players are ejected on their fifth personal foul.



The poster features a dark grey background with a central yellow banner. At the top left is an illustration of a rocket launching from a book. At the top center is the logo for ÉRBL (École Red Bluff Lhtako), which includes a stylized animal head and the text 'ÉRBL ÉCOLE RED BLUFF LHTAKO'. At the top right is an illustration of a book with a science atom symbol. Below the logo, the word 'Welcomes' is written. The central yellow banner contains the text 'SCIENCE WORLD | ON THE ROAD' in bold, black, sans-serif font. Below the banner, the date 'Thursday, March 6th, 2025' is displayed in white. Underneath the date, the show schedule is listed: '9-9:45am - How2Science Show' and '10:30-11:15am - Earth, Wind & Science Show'. At the bottom left is a DNA double helix illustration, and at the bottom right is an illustration of two laboratory flasks, one containing a green plant.

SHOW SCHEDULE:

9:00-9:45am **How2Science Show**
10:30-11:15am **Earth, Wind & Science Show**

How₂Science: Discover and practice the ways that scientists observe, predict and test, with demonstrations that will have audience members spinning on platforms, launching rockets and riding hovercrafts. Recommended for grades K–3.

Earth, Wind & Science: Explore the incredible weather events that occur within our atmosphere, with demonstrations such as the shocking Van de Graaff Generator, the mind-boggling Cloud In A Bottle and the spectacular Fire Tornado. Recommended for grades 4–7.

On the Road presentations are approximately 45 minutes.

Find more info on what to expect from our presentations here:

<https://www.scienceworld.ca/ontheroad/>



Ferrari from QYSA has come to the school district with an exciting opportunity to facilitate indoor soccer during lunch times at our Elementary schools.

Due to time constraints and wanting to include every school, we have limited this to students in Grades 4 & 5.

This is offered free of charge.

Ferrari will bring futsal balls. Shin guards and soccer socks are not mandatory, but they are highly recommended. The school/students will need to provide their own.

This is a fantastic opportunity for some lunch time fun and will also help to bring awareness of soccer opportunities in our community.