

Friday Oct 16, 2026

Weekly Update

Hello Macaulay families!

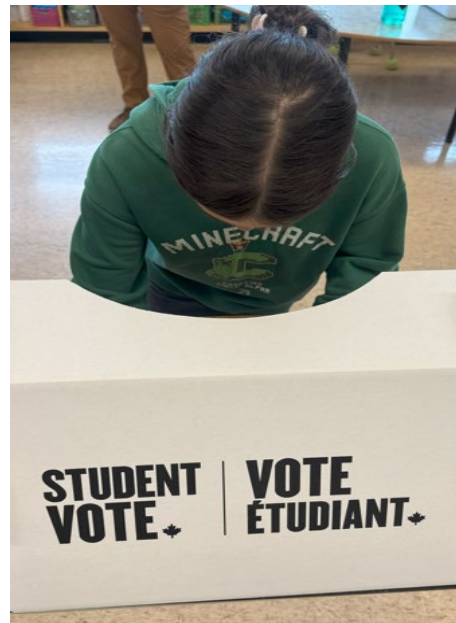
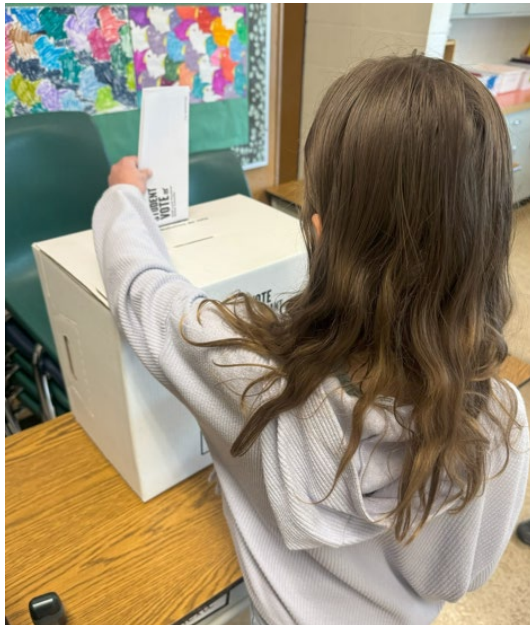
We hope you all had a restful long weekend and enjoyed some time with family and friends!

This week, we participated in the ShakeOut BC earthquake drill, practicing earthquake safety at school. If you're not familiar with ShakeOut BC, you can find more information at this [website](#). It's a great resource with helpful tips on earthquake preparedness that you can review and practice at home with your family.

Despite the cooler weather, our popsicle sales have been a hit! Sales will continue Tuesdays and Thursdays until October 29. Popsicles are \$1 each.

Today, students in Grades 3–5 took part in [Student Vote BC](#), a program that helps students learn about elections and practice voting. They learned about the candidates and issues before casting their own votes. Thank you to Madame Melissa and the students in division 4 for helping to make this happen!

Finally, please note that the PAC Dance scheduled for October 30 has been cancelled. However, we'll still be celebrating at school that day, so students are welcome to dress up in their Halloween costumes or wear orange and black!



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Looking Ahead

Popsicle Sales - Fundraiser	Every Tues & Thurs in October	2:37-2:55 (Door 3)
PAC Meeting	October 21 st	
Div 4 Bake Sale / Singing Competition - Fundraiser	October 22 nd	3-4 pm
PRO-D Day – NO SCHOOL	October 23 rd	
Pumpkin Run	October 26 th	
Festive Day – Dress Up in your Costume	October 30 th	
~~PAC Dance~~	~~October 30th~~	CANCELLED
Parent Teacher Conferences	November 4 th	2:45 – 6:00 pm
Parent Teacher Conferences	November 5 th	EARLY DISMISSAL at 11:50 am 12:00 – 4:30 pm
Remembrance Day – NO SCHOOL	November 11 th	
PAC Pizza Lunch	November 20 th	
Twin Day	November 20 th	

Information Items

Professional Development Day

Our next Pro-D Day is Friday, October 23rd, there is no school for students.

Parent Teacher Conferences info

You will receive an email from the school with information about signing up for parent teacher interviews next week. This is an opportunity to meet with your child(ren)'s teacher(s) to discuss their progress thus far. You will have until Monday, November 2nd to sign up.

Cross Country

A big thank you to Ms. Wilson and Mr. Comer who are co-coaching the Cross Country team this year! Please contact them if you have any questions.

Parking & "Kiss and Go"

Please keep the left-lane of the front pull-through clear so that everyone can move through the pull-through safely. We also ask you not to leave your car unattended while in the pull-through drop off lane. It is a NO parking zone.

Bikes, Scooters & E-Wheels

For everyone's safety, please walk bikes and scooters while on school grounds. Grown-ups, if you model it, students will follow!

If Your Child is Away

- Email: macaulayattendance@sd61.bc.ca if your child is sick, late, or absent.
- If you're picking up early, let your child's teacher know when you'll arrive.

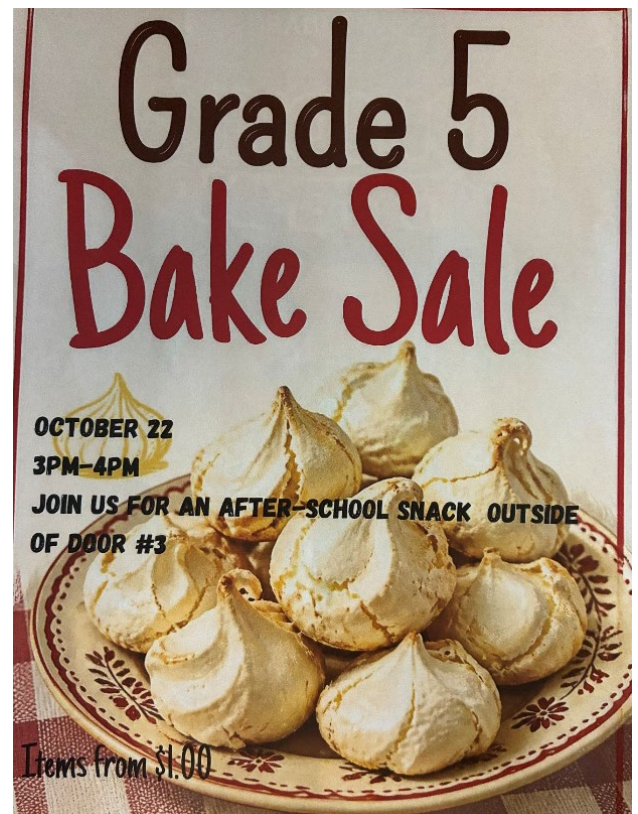
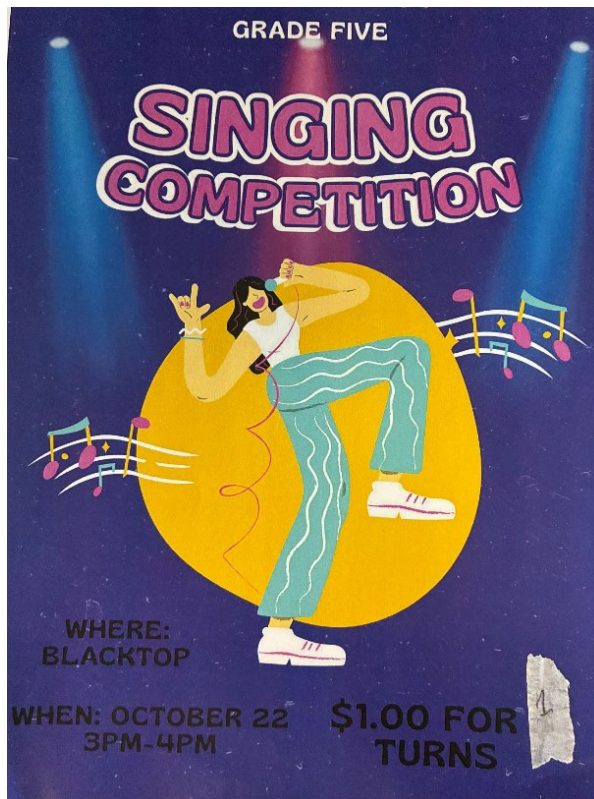
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Parent Connect

Just a reminder to those parents who have not yet logged in to Parent Connect to review and consent to any applicable class access forms. There are important online consent forms for which parents/guardians must read and provide consent. The link: [Parent Connect Sign In](#)

Bring your Loonies – Oct 22nd

There are some fun events Division 4 is putting on next week to raise funds for a special field trip. On October 22nd, from 3-4 pm, they will be hosting a bake sale along with a Singing competition. Bake Sale items will be starting at \$1.00 and sing a song for a buck!



More information on next page!

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Clubs

Macaulay Clubs - 2026-2027 - TERM 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
BEFORE SCHOOL					
MORNING RECESS					
LUNCH RECESS	Club Français Grades 1 with Sabrina Room 21 (FULL - more opportunities to join in term 2)	Club Français Grades 2 & 3 with Sabrina Room 21 (FULL - more opportunities to join in term 2) Ukulele Club Grades 3-5 with Ms. Hartt Music room	Hockey Club Grades ½ and Grades ¾ alternating weeks with Mr. C in the gym. Club Français Grades 3 & 4 with Sabrina Room 21 (FULL - more opportunities to join in term 2)	Club Français Grades 4 & 5 with Sabrina Room 21 (FULL - more opportunities to join in term 2) Cross Country Grades 3-5 with Mr. Comer and Ms. Wilson Blacktop Ukulele Club Grades 3-5 with Ms. Hartt Music room	
AFTER SCHOOL					Robotics Grades 4 & 5 (invited students only right now) with Ms. Nex and Madame Elizabeth Room 15