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# VIEW ROYAL ELEMENTARY NEWSLETTER

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## IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE:

Friday, February 23	Non-Instructional Day – No students in session
Wednesday, February 28	Grade 5 Camp Meeting @ 6:30pm in Library
Wednesday, February 28	Pink Shirt Day
Tuesday, March 6	Emergency Preparedness Session - Library 7:00 pm
Wed. & Thurs. March 7 & 8	Student Led conferences - Dismissal at 11:54 both days
Wed. & Thurs. March 7 & 8	Scholastic Book Fair - Library - 12:00 - 5:00 (Wed) 6:30 (Thurs)

## VICE-PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS:

We spend a lot of time talking about learning in school. We reflect, set goals, and look at what we are successful at and where we can focus to improve our learning going forward. Currently, I am on my own journey of learning and as a second year vice principal, I am in the process of reflecting on the past year and a half at View Royal and setting goals for myself moving ahead. Part of this process is collecting feedback from parents. If you have a few moments to complete a short survey, I would appreciate your time and feedback. Please note that all responses are completely anonymous.

## FILL OUT IN GOOGLE FORMS

I hope this snow stays just long enough for our kids to enjoy some snow play on our Pro. D. Day tomorrow. Have a great weekend.

Sarah Winkler

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## View Royal Out Of School Care

### Spring Break Camp 2018

**The Theater - Take the stage!**

**Run lines, building sets, design costumes all of which lead to our big performance at the end of the week.**

Week 2 - March 26 - 29 (closed on the 30<sup>th</sup>) 7:30 am to 5:30 pm

Cost is \$170.00 for families new to our programs

For further information, please contact Brianna and/or

Christina at 250-744-2718 or email them at

[teamleads@viewroyalosc.com](mailto:teamleads@viewroyalosc.com)



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## PAC News!

Follow us on Facebook! [www.facebook.com/viewroyalpac](http://www.facebook.com/viewroyalpac)

Or visit our website [www.vrpac.com](http://www.vrpac.com)

You will find up to date information about what the PAC is up to, and what is happening in our school.



The PAC would like to encourage all parents and guardians to consider joining us at a Pac meeting or joining us when we host a fun event or fundraiser. We need your help to accomplish this. Without the help of our wonderful parents, all school events and fundraisers would not be possible. In our events, we raise money for field trips, classroom supplies, music equipment, and so much more. Volunteers are always needed for: school dances, fun food days, bottle drives, fun fair, and much more.

When we all help out a little bit, a lot can be accomplished!

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If you are able to help, or have questions about volunteering for any event please contact [fundraising@vrpac.com](mailto:fundraising@vrpac.com) for more info

### Next PAC meeting:

**Wednesday, March 14, 2018**

in the school library at 6:30.

All parents are welcome. Free babysitting is provided by the PAC



*A Big Thank You to all who helped out at the Valentines Dance.*

*A special Thank You to View Royal parent **Dave Weekes** for donating his skills and time to DJ the dance!*



Costco Wholesale is offering a HUGE fundraising opportunity to local schools! On Saturday March 10 and Sunday March 11 anyone who signs up for a Costco membership will receive a special welcome gift, AND Costco will donate a \$10 Costco cash card to the school of your choice! Sign up for an executive membership and they will donate \$20! If you or anyone you know is looking to shop at Costco, this is the time. Please mention View Royal Elementary when signing up



PAC elections are coming up May 9<sup>th</sup>  
There will be a number of vacant positions, so please consider  
joining the Parent Advisory Council.  
More information to come.



**Thrifty foods Smile Cards**

are available through our Fundraising Coordinator.  
5% of your grocery bill will be donated back to our school.  
To order your Smile Card, contact [fundraising@vrpac.com](mailto:fundraising@vrpac.com)

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**Cobs Bread at Eagle Creek Shopping Center**

will donate 5% of your bill back to our school.  
All you have to do is mention View Royal Elementary when purchasing.



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### **Purdy's Chocolate Fundraiser**

Purdys Chocolate Fundraising is happening now. Order forms and catalogues came home earlier this week. 25% of all orders are donated directly back to our school.

Please have orders in by **Thursday March 1st**.

Online orders are quick and easy-<https://www.purdysgpp.com>

Register a new account and then join the VRPAC group

Our group number is 38226

Questions: email Trish - [fundraising@vrpac.com](mailto:fundraising@vrpac.com)

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### **Glenwood Meats - 1245 Parkdale Drive in Langford**

Glenwood Meats has offered us an amazing fundraising program! When you shop at Glenwood Meats, please hold on to your receipt. Glenwood meats will provide us 10% of the total purchase back! There will be a box located in the office for receipt drop off as well as in their store. Thank you to Bal Fisher for this wonderful opportunity!

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### **We have Victoria Royals tickets for sale!**

We have tickets available, as well as vouchers for any game.

These would make a fantastic Christmas gift, or a great way to celebrate a birthday! Buying tickets from the PAC saves you \$4 per ticket, and raises money for our school.

This is one of our school's biggest fundraisers. Go out and enjoy a game!



You can order tickets from Mo Jessa at [royals@vrpac.com](mailto:royals@vrpac.com)

