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Masks in Common areas: We are going through a huge number of disposable masks for students who are forgetting them from home (especially our older students). **Masks in common areas (hallways, multipurpose rooms, the bathrooms) are REQUIRED!** They are not required in classrooms. I've reminded all students that they need to remember their mask from home just like they do their lunch. Mask and Lunch should be two items that go together in their minds so they can remember to bring them. (Or Mask and phone for our older students 😊 - they don't forget those!) Thank you for helping our kids remember to bring their masks from home. **The other thing not to forget is water bottles. Our fountains are still not open.**

Nov. 30	Dec. 1	Dec. 2	Dec. 3	Dec. 4
	Jumpstart – 2:30-4:30		Jumpstart – 2:30-4:30	
Dec. 7	Dec. 8	Dec. 9	Dec. 10	Dec. 11
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Food Bank Drive

From Mr. Shipley, Mrs. Johal and the Leadership club:

In the spirit of giving this season, the student leadership group has decided to hold a fundraiser for the Surrey Food bank and the BC Children's Hospital.

Students will be collecting donations from November 30th through December 16th.

The 7 classes that raise the most will win an extra gym slot for a week, with games hosted by the leadership group.

The 2 classes that raise the most will get a special treat on the last day before winter break.

Acceptable donations:

Cash donations

Canned and packaged foods (Canned foods, whole grain rice, baby formula, cereal, pasta/pasta sauce, healthy canned soups)

Art supplies (crayons, pencils, sketch books)

Baby toys (rattles, soothers, blocks)

All donations must be new and in their sealed packaging. Thank you for your help in supporting our community. Our students are lucky to have role models like you!

Covid safety protocols: All donations will be placed in the bins directly by students who bring them. By leaving the donations untouched for 72 hours or more, they will be safe to handle. Leadership students will be wearing gloves when they are gathering boxes and washing hands before and after.

Winter/Holiday activities upcoming

As we cannot obviously have our usual festivities like the pancake breakfast and Santa visit, we are again working to figure out how we CAN.

GLOW experience: Ms. Mclaughlin and Ms. Van Dop (our certified Holiday Queens) have been working hard to create a plan for some holiday fun. We are going to be putting together a GLOW experience in the gym for the last week of school. We will tour classes through and then classes can book a longer time in the gym for GLOW reading or other activities.

Holiday Concert: Ms. Steger is working hard with her music classes to still put together a concert. Each class will be filmed separately and then she will put it all together into one concert that will be sent home as a video.

Spirit days:

Dec. 15 – red, white, and green day

Dec. 16 – Santa hat, reindeer antler, elf hat day

Dec. 17 – Ugly Holiday sweater day

Dec. 18 – Pajama Day

Mad Science Information:

For over 30 years, Mad Science has delivered unique, hands-on science experiences for children through our after-school programs, birthday parties, workshops, special events, and summer camps. As the leading provider of Fun Science programs for children ages 5-12yrs, our innovative programs are as entertaining as they are educational!

Mad Science of Greater Vancouver and BC Interior is excited to bring entertaining and engaging science education into your home this school year! Even through this time of insecurity, Mad Science is continually striving to **SPARK** the **IMAGINATION** and **CURIOSITY** of children through fun science activities that will help them understand the science all around them. With multiple class times planned throughout the day, we have interactive, instructor-led programs available to suit your child's schedule. A small supply list will be provided a week prior to the start of each program, with most of the supplies being found around the home.

WINTER BREAK CAMPS

Program Name: "Red Hot Robots"

Description: Children will learn about the uses of robots in our world, as well as discover the science of circuits and how robots use sensors to explore things around them. They will build their very own working robot. Recommended for ages 7-12yrs.

Program Dates/Times: December 21st-24th @ 10:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-3:00pm

Cost: \$130 plus tax per student

*Note: Robots will be delivered to home. We will contact you to make arrangements.

Program Name: "Eureka! The Inventor's Camp"

Description: Inventing means curiosity, practicality, necessity, cooperation, and dreaming! Children will be put on a deserted island in which they must work to invent a means for collecting food and water, build shelters, bridges, and learn to think 'out of the box' to survive. Recommended for ages 6-12yrs.

Program Dates/Times: December 28th-31st @10:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-3:00pm

Cost: \$100 plus tax per student

WINTER OUT OF SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Program Name: "Claws, Codes, & Constellations"

Description: Come prepared to do some decoding, as there is an entire unit on secret messages where you will learn how to communicate using special codes. Children will gain an increased appreciation for the earth and discover what role science can play in preserving our planet. Learn about the Science of Sport and what football players, ballet dancers, and scientists have in common. Explore the world of nature and the next day embark on a space mission and learn how astronauts live in Space. Recommended for Ages 6-12yrs.

Program Start Dates: Week of January 4th-9th(8 classes in total)

Start Times:3:30pm & 4:30pm (Monday-Friday); 10:00am & 11:00am (Saturday)

Cost: \$100 plus tax per student

WINTER WORKSHOPS

Starting the second week of December, Mad Science will be holding weekly workshops with each week covering a different topic. Please look on our website for dates, times, and topics for each week! Cost is \$12 plus tax per student!

TO REGISTER, GO TO OUR ONLINE REGISTRATION AT:

<https://vancouver.madscience.org/parents-register-a.aspx>

Other Online Program Info:

- Once registered, Mad Science will provide a first day letter a week prior to your program start date with the meeting ID & password, and the first two supply lists with most of the supplies being around the home (ex. pencils, rubber bands, baking soda, vinegar, paper clips, etc.)
- Our programs will be using "Zoom" as a virtual platform to give children an opportunity to learn about science and do experiments from home.
- After School Programs will run for 8 weeks, once per week, 45mins classes with a live Mad Scientist all throughout the session.
- There are limited capacities for the programs to ensure the program is as personable for each child as possible.
- If you have credits from previous programs, please register online, but do not pay for it. Once registered, please email us at "vancouver@madsciencebc.com" with guardian/parent's full name, your child's full name, and the name of your child's school. We will then verify and manually credit your account.

If you have any questions about this information please email us at "vancouver@madsciencebc.com"

Visit our website to learn more about all of our programs including Camps and Birthday Parties!

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