



Mill Bay Nature School Weekly Newsletter

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Mill Bay Pumpkin patch



On Tuesday, October 28t, we will be holding our 2nd annual Mill Bay Pumpkin Patch event. Instead of taking our students to the pumpkin patch, we bring the pumpkin patch to them. On Tuesday morning, classes will head out into our field to pick a pumpkin and bring it back to their class. this will follow with a few days of pumpkin exploration in the classes. All students will get 1 pumpkin to explore in their classes with and take home for carving. Parents if you can please send a reusable bag on Tuesday with your child that would be helpful in supporting them in transporting their pumpkins. A BIG thank you to PAC for supplying the pumpkins and hot chocolate this year for our student to enjoy this fun festive fall event.

Halloween Parade and Costumes



This Friday, **October 31**, we will be having a Halloween parade and small dance party to kick off the Halloween spirit. The parade will start at 8:45 and the dance at 9:00-9:30. Families are invited to join us for this fun event. Parents, if you are joining us, please head to the gym foyer area and we will invite you into the gym just before 8:45.

Students can arrive in their costumes and after the parade and dance, teachers will encourage students to take off their costumes and store them safely with their backpacks until the end of the day. Costumes for school should be appropriate for all students to enjoy. Masks are ok for the parade but we will have the students keep them in their backpacks for the remainder of the day.

Annual Firefighters Pumpkin Drop

All donations support Mill Bay Firefighters Association's community charitable fund

MILL BAY FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION

HALLOWEEN PUMPKIN DROP



**Watch your pumpkins
drop from our 75ft
Aerial Ladder!**

**DROP
BY DONATION**



**November 1st
11am - 2pm**

**Mill Bay Shopping Centre
2720 Mill Bay Rd**

All donations support Mill Bay Firefighters

Bus Evacuation Drills



Busses will be conducting their evacuation drill on **Wednesday, October 29**, during the afternoon routes. Drop off's will be delayed by about 15 min at each stop that day.



PAC has a new Facebook page! Please give them a follow for school updates and PAC events.

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=mill%20bay%20nature%20school%20pac%20>

Important Dates



Friday, October 31: Halloween (parade and activities in the morning)

Monday, November 10: Remembrance Day Assembly

Tuesday, November 11: Remembrance Day, School is not in session

Tuesday, November 18: PAC meeting via zoom 8:00 pm

Thursday, December 18: Winter Solstice Celebration 4:30-6:00 pm

Friday, December 19: Last Day of School before winter break

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<https://natureschool.sd79.bc.ca/>

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