



# LOCHDALE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

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**January  
2025**

## Coming up!

**School Reopens – Jan. 6**  
Welcome Back

**Thursday, Jan. 15**  
LCSA Nutrition Delivery

**Friday, Jan. 17**  
Coffee and conversation:  
9-10:30am Rm 19

**Friday, Jan. 17**  
Young People's Concert

**Tuesday, Jan. 21**  
Open Mic

**Literacy Week, Jan. 27-31**  
Activities in class

**Friday, Jan. 31**  
**Jump Rope for Heart event**  
Early Dismissal at 2pm

**Monday, Feb. 10**  
LCSA meeting: 6:30pm in  
person (library)

Thank you to all  
the LCSA and all  
the parent  
volunteers that  
helped with the  
Pancake  
Breakfast!



Greetings Lochdale families!

December was a fantastic and busy month. We were able to raise \$60 with our wreath auctions and celebrated the season full of laughter and connection! Our winter sing-along was for students to sing and enjoy the season while our hip hop showcased our students' talents and rhythm! It was lovely seeing everyone at the pancake breakfast sporting their PJs and getting snaps with Santa! Thank you to the LCSA and the volunteer parents for their efforts and support; it is much appreciated!

This month we are back with new and exciting programs and opportunities for our students ranging from Robotics after school to visits from the Burnaby Art Gallery! Basketball season is upon us, and Jump Rope for Heart is also on the schedule. To donate for Jump Rope for Heart click [here](#). Open Mic returns for our students, and we will be having Lunar New Year celebrations at the end of January! Please see attached and embedded flyers!

Our LCSA will continue their nutrition program in the second week of school and our coffee and conversation will now be in the morning on **Friday, January 17<sup>th</sup> 9-10:30** to allow for some baking and Za'atar. The LCSA will also be fundraising with family photo opportunities in February and the grade 7 parents will continue with treat sales on Wednesdays and additional pizza lunches on Mondays!

Please note for your calendar, we will have an early dismissal on **Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup> at 2pm**. After school programs will be adjusted to run from 2-3:30pm.

Finally, please find attached new January programs for registration. We have a variety of options for all students and if you would like to be placed on the waitlist, please email the community office. We also have a parent and child pottery night where we are encouraging families to attend and connect with each other and the community!

We will also be selling Lochdale Spirit wear hoodies and t-shirts to fundraise for school events and opportunities for students. Please find details on school cash online and via our website!

If you would like to be involved or to volunteer for school activities, please feel free to reach out to the Community Office. Have a fabulous day!

## Tree Decorating



## Wreath Decorating



Our community  
gatherings this  
month!



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## Hip Hop Week

## Spirit Week



Our community gatherings

Hello Lochdale Lions,

## From your LCSA

Thank you for all your support with our [Purdys Chocolate fundraiser!](#) We were able to help fundraise for school events and your support is much appreciated.

- We look forward to seeing you at our next LCSA meeting in the library on Monday, February 10 at 6:30pm

Our next fundraiser will be the Lochdale Family Portrait Night on February 5/6- please stay tuned for a link to book your time slot!

Grade 7 parents have decided to host some **pizza lunch fundraisers**. These lunch sales will take place in addition to our Friday lunch options on: **Jan 27, Feb 10, Feb 24, Apr 14, May 26**. Orders can be placed using your munchalunch account! Treat sales continue on Wednesdays!

Want to stay connected? Visit our blog and subscribe to our emails at [Lochdale Community School Association](#), or reach out to us at [lcsacommunity@gmail.com](mailto:lcsacommunity@gmail.com).

We also have two on-going fundraisers with **COBS Bread** and **Return-It-Depot**, both at Kensington Plaza. At **COBS Bread**, mention "Lochdale" or #1971 and our school gets 5% of total sales. At **Return-It-Depot**, enter our school phone number, 604-296-9019, to pass along your bottle and can deposits to our school. Stay tuned for other fundraisers!

Any questions, email us at [lcsacommunity@gmail.com](mailto:lcsacommunity@gmail.com) or visit our blog at <https://lcsacommunity.wordpress.com>

Thank you! The LCSA

## Celebrate Family Day

### LOCHDALE FAMILY PORTRAIT NIGHT



February 5th and 6th  
between 4-9pm with  
**Mountain West Studios**  
at Lochdale School

> Families are welcome to bring prop and pets

### \$30 FEE

which is donated to Lochdale School

> Have any questions? Contact us at: [lcsacommunity@gmail.com](mailto:lcsacommunity@gmail.com)

- 📷 10-minute session
- 📷 up to 8 family members
- 📷 12-15 proofs
- 📷 one 8x10 printed photo
- 📷 additional prints available to purchase

> See QR code for registration link and payment

Link and QR coming soon!



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## Winter 2025 AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS AT LOCHDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: Community Sessions

**\*\*\*NEW: AFTERSCHOOL Robotics- register using school cash online- Computer room**  
 Robokids is back with Mr. Yanze! Learn aspect of mechanical design, construction and teamwork using LEGO/Vex machines.

**Grade K-2**  
 Wednesdays 3:00 – 4:30PM- 8 sessions  
 Jan. 15 – Mar. 5  
 \$131



**AFTERSCHOOL POTTERY- register using school cash online- staffroom**  
 Use artistic techniques to enhance fine motor skills, develop creative expression and have fun using clay! (5 sessions)

**Grade K-3**  
 Thursdays 3:00 – 4:30PM -5 sessions  
 Jan. 9 - Feb. 6  
 \$ 40



**Grade 4-7**  
 Thursdays 3:00 – 4:30PM- 5 sessions  
 Feb. 13 - Mar.13  
 \$40

**AFTERSCHOOL SOCCER- register using school cash online- Gym**  
 The Burnaby Football Club will be bringing their coaches to Lochdale! Register to play and train with the BFC!

**Grade 4/5**  
 Fridays 3:00 – 4:30PM- 7 sessions  
 Jan. 17 – Mar. 7  
 \*Early Dismissal on Jan 21st – Session at 2-3:30pm  
 \*No Session on Feb. 28th – Pro-d-day  
 \$50



**\*\*\*NEW: AFTERSCHOOL Night Hoops - register using school cash online- Gym**  
 Night Hoops basketball will be bringing their coaches to Lochdale! Register to play and train with basketball enthusiasts!

**Grade 6-8- Open to Burnaby North Students**  
 Fridays 5:00 – 6:30PM- 8 sessions  
 Jan. 17 – Mar. 14 (No session Feb 28)  
 Free

**Grade 9-12 Open to Burnaby North Students**  
 Fridays 7:00 – 8:30PM- 8 sessions  
 Jan. 17 – Mar. 14 (No session Feb 28)  
 Free



**\*\*\*NEW: Family Pottery night - register using school cash online- Rm 20**  
 Join us for a family pottery project for 2 nights! On day 1, create your family day memento and on day 2 complete glazing.

Thursdays 5:00 – 7:00PM  
 Jan. 16 and Jan 30  
 \$25 per family/creation- register using your child's division. (If you would like to make 2 pieces- email [Shahzyah.juma@burnabyschools.ca](mailto:Shahzyah.juma@burnabyschools.ca))

### How to Register for Lochdale Community sessions

- Online: Lochdale Community School website- **school cash online**
- If you're experiencing any issues registering, please contact [Shahzyah.juma@burnabyschools.ca](mailto:Shahzyah.juma@burnabyschools.ca)

### How to Register for P&R classes- All programs run 3-4:30 unless otherwise stated.

- Online: [burnaby.ca/webreg](http://burnaby.ca/webreg)
- By Phone: Bill Copeland Arena at 604-297-4521
- In Person: at any Burnaby Recreation Facility at the Front Counter
- For information on NW Community Programs contact: [Stacy Hemmerling @ stacy.hemmerling@burnaby.ca](mailto:Stacy.Hemmerling@burnaby.ca) | 604-297-4531 | [burnaby.ca/active](http://burnaby.ca/active)



**Mon- Sports & Games: (4 wks) K-3 code: 59294**  
 Jan. 13, 20, 27, Feb. 3 GYM  
**Mon. Sports & Games: (4 wks) 4-7 code: 59295**  
 Feb. 10, (no session Feb. 17) 24, Mar. 3, 10 GYM

**Wed- Crafts (4 wks) K-3 code: 59296**  
 Jan. 15, 22, 29 Feb. 5  
**Wed- Crafts (4 wks) 4-7 code: 59297**  
 Feb. 12, 19, 26, Mar 5, 5StRm

**Thurs- Lego & Games (5wks) K-3 code: 59304**  
 Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb 6  
**Thurs- Lego & Games (5wks) K-3 code: 59305**  
 Feb. 13, 20, 27, Mar 6, 13 Lib

**Tues- Valentine's Special: Crafts, games, treats**  
 1 session Feb 11 from 3-5pm code: 59302

**Wed- Sports & Games (4 wks) 4-7 code: 59300**  
 Jan. 15, 22, 29 Feb. 5  
**Wed- Sports & Games (4 wks) K-3 code: 59301**  
 Feb. 12, 19, 26, Mar 5, Gym

**Fri- Snack Attack (4wks) K-3 code: 59306**  
 Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 (early dismissal class 2-3:30pm)  
**Fri- Snack attack (4wks) 4-7 code: 59307**  
 Feb. 7, 14, 21, (no session Feb 28), Mar 7, 5StRm

**Tues- Games & Snacks (4 wks) K-3 code: 59298**  
 Jan. 14, 21, 28, Feb. 4  
**Tues- Games & Snacks (4 wks) 4-7 code: 59299**  
 Feb. 18, 25, Mar. 4, 11 5StRm

Year	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Y1	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Y2	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31

\*5StRm= Staffroom  
 \* Lib = Library



**Grab your Lochdale Spirit Wear and get ready for some Spirit days in the new year. 2025 here we come!**



## Parenting For Immigrants

Raising children in a new country is a difficult task. It may be scary not knowing how your parenting will fit into the Canadian culture. It is FREE program for caregivers who were not born in Canada, regardless of how long you live here.

Join us to learn more about:

- Preschool/School System
- Child-care Options
- Appropriate Discipline in Canada
- Canadian Laws and other helpful information.

Additionally, our sessions will offer a safe and encouraging space for you to practice your English skills, all while fostering new and meaningful friendships.

Free childcare available for children 18 months to 10 years with pre-registration. Snacks and bus tickets are provided, if required.



8 Weekly Sessions  
 Mondays, starting January 13, 2025  
 12:30pm-2:30pm



Maywood Community School



Facilitator: Maya Mihajlovic (M.Sc.)

To register please  
[alice.clair@burnabyschools.ca](mailto:alice.clair@burnabyschools.ca),  
 or call 604-296-9022, #5

**REGISTER NOW**

## JANUARY



2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
	W I N T E R B R E A K until Jan 3, 2025					
5	6 Welcome Back!	7	8	9	10 Hot Lunch - Sushi	11
12	13 Math Buddies 3:15pm	14 Boys Basketball practice 8am Boys Basketball Game 3:30pm	15	16 Girls Basketball Game 3:30pm	17 YPC 9:05am Hot Lunch - Subway Coffee & Convo 9am	18
19	20 Burnaby Art Gallery Div.8 & 11 @ 9-12pm Math Buddies 3:15pm	21 Boys Basketball practice 8am Boys Basketball Game 3:30pm	22	23 Girls Basketball Game 3:30pm	24 No StrongStart Hot Lunch - Peri Peri	25
26	27 No StrongStart Graf fundraiser Pizza Lunch Math Buddies 3:15pm	28 Boys Basketball practice 8am Boys Basketball Game 3:30pm	29	30 Girls Basketball Game 3:30pm	31 Jump Rope for Heart Event Hot Lunch - Hot Dogs Early dismissal 2pm	



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## WINTER 2025 AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS LOCHDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

### Craft Creations (Ages 5-8 years)

Let your creativity soar! Create a variety of different craft creations.

**Wednesdays 3:00-4:30pm**  
January 15 - February 5  
\$ 30.00 4 sessions  
**Barcode: 59296**  
[Click here to register:](#)



### Sports and Games (Ages 5-8 years )

Enjoy a variety of your favourite high-energy sports and cooperative gym games.

**Mondays 3:00-4:30pm**  
January 13-February 3  
\$39.30 4 sessions  
**Barcode: 59294**  
[Click here to register:](#)



### Lego and More (Ages 5-8 years)

A place for participants to play, create and learn, using their imagination while building with LEGO® and other building mediums like K'Nex™ and Keva™ planks.

**Thursdays 3:00-4:30pm**  
January 9-February 6  
\$25.90 5sessions  
**Barcode: 59304**



[Click here to register:](#)

#### How to Register:

- **Online:** [burnaby.ca/webreg](http://burnaby.ca/webreg) Dec 18th @ 10 am
- **By Phone:** any Burnaby Facility or call Kensington @ 604-297-4535
- **In Person:** at any Burnaby Recreation Facility at the Front Counter.

For more information on NW Community Programs  
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## WINTER 2025 AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS LOCHDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

### Global Snacks and Crafts (Ages 5-8 years)

Let your creativity soar! Create a variety of different craft creations.

**Tuesdays 3:00-4:30pm**  
January 14 - February 4  
\$ 46.50 4 sessions  
**Barcode: 59298**  
[Click here to register:](#)



### Sports and Games (Ages 5-8 years )

Enjoy a variety of your favourite high-energy sports and cooperative gym games.

**Wednesdays 3:00-4:30pm**  
February 12-March 5  
\$39.30 4 sessions  
**Barcode: 59301**  
[Click her to register:](#)



### Lego and More (Ages 5-8 years)

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**Thursdays 3:00-4:30pm**  
February 13-March 13  
\$25.90 5 sessions  
**Barcode: 59305**  
[Click here to register:](#)



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### Craft Creations (Ages 8-12 years)

Let your creativity soar! Create a variety of different craft creations.

**Wednesdays 3:00-4:30pm**  
February 12-March 5  
\$ 30.00 4 sessions  
**Barcode: 59297**  
[Click here to register:](#)



### Sports and Games ( Ages 8-12)

Enjoy a variety of your favourite high-energy sports and cooperative gym games.

**Wednesdays 3:00-4:30pm**  
January 15- February 5  
\$39.30 4 sessions  
**Barcode: 59300**  
[Click here to register:](#)

**Mondays 3:00-4:30pm**  
February 10-March 10 ( No class Feb 17)  
\$39.30 4 sessions  
**Barcode: 59295**  
[Click here to register:](#)



### Global Snacks ( Ages 8-12)

**Tuesdays 3:00-4:30pm**  
\$ 46.50 4 sessions  
**Barcode: 59299**

#### How to Register:

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## AFTERSCHOOL SNACK ATTACK AT LOCHDALE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Learn how to prepare and cook a new delicious and nutritious snack each week while cooking with your friends at the same time.

#### (Ages 5-8)

Fridays Jan 10-Jan 31 3:00-4:30pm  
**Early dismissal Jan 31 class will run 2:00-3:30 pm this day.**  
\$46.50 Barcode 59306  
[Click here to register:](#)

#### (Ages 8-12)

Fridays Feb 7-March 7 3:00-4:30pm  
\$46.50 Barcode 59307  
[Click here to register:](#)

For more information please contact: Stacy Hemmerling  
Program Coordinator | Northwest Community Programs  
604-297-4531 | [stacy.hemmerling@burnaby.ca](mailto:stacy.hemmerling@burnaby.ca)



## Valentines Chocolates and Crafts @ Lochdale

Join us and celebrate Valentine's Day making yummy treats and festive crafts that you can keep or give to family and friends.

**\$21.00 1 session**  
**5-9 yrs:**  
**Tuesday 3:00-5:00pm Feb 11**  
**Barcode: 59302**  
[Click here to register:](#)

#### How to Register

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Or register at any Burnaby recreation facility or call Kensington at 604-297-4535. Fees must be paid when you register. We accept cash, cheque, VISA, MasterCard, AMEX or your bank debit card.

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