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## AROUND LARONDE – March 5, 2018

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Our commitment at École Laronde is to offer a fulfilling French experience while developing kind, respectful and responsible learners who are creative builders of their future.

À l'École Laronde, nous nous engageons à offrir une riche expérience du français et à former des élèves gentils, respectueux et responsables qui sont les créateurs de leur avenir.

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**It is hard to believe that term two is coming to an end and that Spring is just around the corner.**

**We want to wish all of our families a happy, restful and enjoyable Spring Break!**

### **CSL (Communicating Student Learning)**

It is once again time for teachers (and students) to share where students are at in their learning. On Wed. March 14, some students will be bringing home a CSL template while others will continue to post student learning on FreshGrade. Please make sure that you take a few moments to talk with your child about his/her learning; accomplishments, goals and perhaps struggles that have taken place since December 2017. If using FreshGrade please login in periodically to view your child's ongoing learning and progress. Please do not hesitate to talk to your child's teacher should you have any questions or concerns.

### **BOOK EXCHANGE**

March 8 @ 2:30-3:30 in the gym. All students are invited to bring in gently used books.

For every two books that students donate they will receive one ticket to pick out a new book at the exchange. We will be collecting books in front of the school before and after school, starting after school on Monday March 5 thru Thursday March 8 before school. We will accept gently used books in both French and English, for all levels. Parents are also invited to participate in exchanging books. We will always have a need for more intermediate level books, as there tends to be a shortage for our older students. We will also be looking for volunteers for this event (a sign up sheet will be sent out via the PAC network) and if anyone has any questions, they may contact the organizer at [fishingtripbear@yahoo.com](mailto:fishingtripbear@yahoo.com).



## Upcoming Dates

**March 9** – Hot Lunch

**March 12** – Semaine de la Francophonie begins

**March 14** – CSL documents go home or look at FreshGrade

**March 16** – Hot Lunch

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### UPCOMING EVENTS

March 12-16 - La semaine de la Francophonie: (celebration of French language and culture)

During this week, Tradansa will be at Laronde to teach French Canadian dances to all students. Thank you to the PAC for helping to sponsor these workshops.

## More Important News

### BADMINTON

Mme Carvajal and Mme Workun have volunteered to coach our grade 7 and grade 5/6 badminton teams, respectively. If you are interested in helping out please let our office staff know or speak with each teacher directly.

### ULTIMATE

Mme Burden has volunteered to coach ultimate. If you are interested in helping out please let our office staff know or speak with Mme Burden directly.

### GRADE 7 FUNDRAISER – MOVIE AFTERNOON

Thank you to the 200+ students who attended the movie afternoon!

### BOOSTER JUICE UPCOMING DATES:

February 21  
March 7  
April 4  
April 18  
May 2  
May 16  
May 30  
June 13



DIV 4 – MESSAGES OF PEACE, HOPE and ACCEPTANCE

### Weekly music practices:

Mondays: hand bells 11:45

Tuesdays: choir 11:45

Wednesdays: Orff 7:45

### BADMINTON

#### GRADE 5/6

March 6 – @ Rosemary Heights  
March 13 – Laronde vs Ray Shephard  
April 4 (Wed) – @ Rosemary Heights  
April 10 – @ Peach Arch  
April 17 – Laronde vs Ray Shephard  
Playday – details TBA

#### GRADE 7

March 8 – @ HT Thrift  
March 15 – @ Ray Shephard  
April 4 (Wed) - @ Crescent park  
April 12 – Laronde vs Bayridge  
April 19 – Laronde vs Chantrell  
Playday details TBA

### ULTIMATE

details will be shared once a schedule is given to us

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- Fast, simple, secure
- You receive notification when fees are required
- You do not have to worry about your child losing the cash
- You do not have to take money from your child's piggy banks for loose change
- You do not have to make a trip to the bank
- Easier to refund
- Never miss an item such as the purchasing of yearbooks.
- You only have to register once in the district. This method will follow you if/when you transfer or move onto another Surrey School.