



# SIKH ACADEMY

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## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

SIKH ACADEMY respectfully acknowledges the Katzie, Semiahmoo, Kwantlen, Musqueam, Squamish, Tsleil-Waututh and other Coast Salish Peoples on whose shared and unceded traditional territories WE SERVE.

# December Newsletter

## Principal's Message

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Waheguru Ji Ka Khalsa, Waheguru Ji Ki Fateh.

It is hard to believe that we are already in the month of December, which implies that the winter break is just weeks away. However, to make this a memorable month, Sikh Academy has arranged several unique events designed to expand and improve the learning experience for each student. These events include:

- The Scholastic Book Fair (December 6 – 8)
- The Spirit Week (December 11 – 15)
- The GNFK Toy Drive (December 17)
- Sahibzaade Shaheedi Purab (December 20)
- Winter Assembly (December 21)

The school administration kindly urges parents to consider providing financial contributions. Your support will greatly assist in enhancing our gym equipment, restocking individual class PE supplies, acquiring additional resources, and implementing program enhancements. Your generous financial support is sincerely appreciated.

We are still in need of volunteers as well, for supervision duties. Volunteers are welcomed for either the morning recess block, the lunch recess block or for both.

Finally, I would like to remind parents to please dress your child according to the weather conditions.

Sincerely,  
Raymond Mba  
Principal





## December 2023

### Key Dates

Friday	December 01
Wed - Fri	December 06-08
Mon - Fri	December 11-15
Sunday	December 17
Wednesday	December 20
Thursday	December 21
Friday	December 22
2 Weeks	Dec 25 - Jan 5

### Events

- Student Led Conference
- Book Fair
- Spirit Week (Schedule will be sent closer to the week)
- The GNFK Toy Drive
- Shaheedi Purab 4 Sahibzaade
- Winter Celebrations
- Last day before winter break
- Winter Break (School Closed)

### BASKETBALL TRAINING

December 12, 14, 19 & 21

From 3:30pm - 4:30pm

SIKH ACADEMY PRESENTS

# BASKETBALL TRAINING

**COME JOIN US**  
\$40  
DEC. 12, 14, 19, 21  
3:30 - 4:30 P.M.

12895 85 AVE SURREY BC  
FOR MORE INFO CONTACT: (604) 599 3828

### Expectations:

1. Be Respectful
2. Be Kind
3. No Bullying
4. Report any bullying incident immediately





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## Parents should note the following

- Uniforms must be worn everyday except on “be yourself Wednesdays”.
- Always dress your child according to the weather conditions
- Our school is a Nut-Free environment. Check your child’s lunchbox to ensure no Nuts or Nut products are brought to school
- Provide your child with Healthy Vegetarian lunch (no sugar), water bottles (no juices)
- Please refrain from picking up your child before 3:20pm as school ends at that time
- Notify the homeroom teacher via email and office at [office@sikhacademy.ca](mailto:office@sikhacademy.ca) if your child won’t attend or needs an early pickup

School dismissal time

3:20pm





### **Daily Health Check**

Please assure a daily health check is done on each child before they come to school. If any child has any sign/symptoms of cold or flu, please do not send them to school.

### **School Uniform**

Students will wear their regular uniform on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Students are able to wear clothing of their choice on Wednesdays, but please assure it is appropriate. Please assure children are coming to school daily with their rumals, as they do attend Gurdwara.

### **Recess/Lunch**

Please note that children need fresh air and this is vital for their physical and mental development. As such, students will be going outside during recess and lunch unless it is heavily raining. Please assure that students are coming to school daily with a jacket and dressed to be outside.

### **Communication**

Maintain open lines of communication with teachers to address any concerns or specific needs for your child. Please ensure that your child arrives to school on time. If you are late to drop off or pick up your child, please call and inform the front desk at 604-599-3828.

### **Traffic Safety**

**NO PARKING IN FRONT OF THE SCHOOL** - Please maintain school zone speed while driving in front of the school. Due to high volume of vehicles during the start and the end of the school and to ensure the safety of everyone, please ensure not to stop in front of the school and park your car on the east side of Nishaan Sahib and walk to drop off or pick up your child from the school.

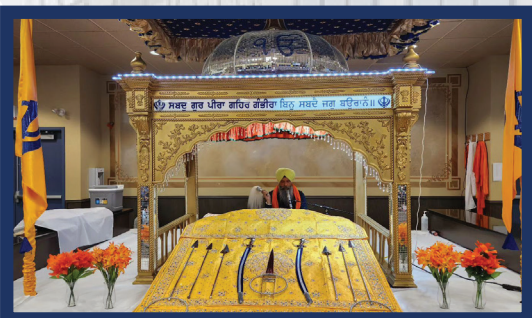




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## NOVEMBER HIGHLIGHTS





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Sikh Academy's Journey to Success.

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Please check the website for the latest information and updates regarding upcoming events. Additionally, you can explore our Instagram and YouTube links to witness student performances

