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## Electives Week

Thanks to parents and staff for a great ongoing Electives Week.

Students were and are able to sign up for a variety of workshops such as:

- Cookie decorating
- Bird Feeders
- Drama Games
- Western Dancing
- Soccer Fun
- Origami
- Paper Mache Masks
- Customizing Cakes
- Creating a Mars colony
- Jewellery
- How to give your testimony
- Picture Frame Building
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Enjoy snapshots from workshops held yesterday and today in this newsletter.



## Remembrance Day Service

**Students have been given a poppy, which they will also be wearing tomorrow during the service. At the entrance of the chapel there will be an opportunity for children and parents to drop of a small donation towards the poppy fund. We encourage parents to give children the opportunity to donate a small amount.**

**The Service will consists of the Canadian Anthem, followed by a prayer, a bible reading of Ecclesiastes, a time of silence and several musical performances by the choir and individuals of the Intermediate and Senior Class.**

## Invitation

All parents are invited to our Remembrance Day Chapel tomorrow, Wednesday. The service will start shortly after 10:45am and last for approximately 40 minutes.

Come and join us in the chapel.

## \$ Fundrai\$ing \$

We are excited to introduce two on-going fundraising programs for the 2011/12 school year.

**Wealthy School Revolution** provides you with a fast, effective way to purchase everyday healthy groceries while supporting our school. Our school earns up to 20% of each order.

- 1) Visit [www.wealthyschools.ca](http://www.wealthyschools.ca)
- 2) Create an account and connect to our school (do not update your shipping address, items will be shipped to school and you can pick them up bi-weekly)
- 3) Make a purchase online, (accepted payment methods are Visa, Mastercard)
- 4) Purchase Monthly / bi-weekly

Cut-Off Date	Pick Up Date
November 9	November 16
November 23	November 30
December 7	December 14

Available items include canned and packaged food, pasta, baking and syrups, beverages, snacks, condiments etc.

If 25 families just shift \$100 of their current grocery bill over to our school per month we could raise \$6,000 each year. Imagine if all of us participate?

**Progressive fundraising** where you will purchase, in advance of your shopping needs, gift certificates and gift cards that can be used as cash for your purchases. Westside Christian will receive a percentage of your purchases.

Some of the participating retailers are: Superstore, Loblaws, Sobeys, Safeway, Market Place IGA, Fairway Market, Stong's, Killarney Market, The Bay, Zellers, Home Outfitters, Sears, London Drugs, Home Depot, Home Hardware, Rona, Esso, Chevron, Petro-Canada, Canadian Tire, Chapters, Future Shop, Best Buy, Shoppers Drug Mart, Starbucks, Staples, La Senza, The Gap, Old Navy, Winners, Marks WW, Payless SS, Toys 'R' Us, Cineplex Odeon, M&M Meat Shops, Domino's,

Earls, White Spot, Milestone's, Swiss Chalet, The Keg, Cactus Club, Moxies, Red Robin, Subway, The Boathouse, The Old Spaghetti Factory, Burger King and many more.

How the Program Works:

- 1) On Friday your child will bring home an order form
- 2) Determine which certificates and cards you would like to purchase in what denominations
- 3) Return the completed order form in an envelope with a cheque written out to Westside Christian School by Monday at 10:00 am
- 4) Pick up your order any time after noon next Monday.

Let's all participate by just pre-planning your regular weekly household purchases at retailers offering to support our school. The orders will be done every three weeks.

If you have any questions regarding the above fund raising programs please contact the office.

## Uniform Change

At the beginning of the school year we decided to improve the appearance of the children in their uniform. Our goal is to have the children wear their formal uniform on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday; the other two days the Everyday Uniform.

This is not compulsory and my wish is to have the children use the present clothing they now have but when replacements are necessary to purchase according to the usage.

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Principal.



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## Upcoming Events

7 <b>Gym</b>	8	9 10:45 Remembrance Day Chapel	10 Pro-D Day (no school)	11 Remembrance Day (no school)
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14 <b>Gym</b>	15	16 Music Field Trip (Gr 3-9)	17	18 <b>Swimming</b> <b>Hot Lunch</b>

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