

Programs Committee Report

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Committee Objectives:

To research, recommend and deliver a variety of programming meant to enrich the school and educational experiences of Montroyal Elementary students. Our programs will provide enrichment opportunities, support the development of 21st century skills, promote positive social engagement/relationships, and nurture healthy child development through fun and play.

Programs Term 2, Winter 2019:

The programs offered in term 2 are: (blue programs are paid for by MPAC)

- Healthy Relationships with Jessica Wollen of Shift Education, grades 4-7, in-curricular. **Jan 29th**
- Red Cross Babysitting Course for grades 6+, Pro Development Day Jan. 28., 7 students
- Archi-kid-Architectural workshop, grades 1-4, Pro Development Day Jan. 28; currently registration is low
- NVRC After school Club, grades K-7, M-Thursday, 122 registered each week-the Primary numbers continue to be high with 18 on Mondays, 26 on Tuesdays, 26 on Wednesdays and 24 on Thursdays. Intermediate numbers are low but consistent with previous years.
- Ski /Snowboard program at Grouse Mountain, grades 3-7, Fridays After school; 33 students registered
- Studio 202 Empower Yoga and Mindfulness, grades K-3, Tuesdays Lunchtime, FULL-12 students
- Chess with Master James Chan, grades 1-7, Mondays Lunchtime, 12 students
- Mandarin Beginner 1, grades 1-2, Tuesdays After school, currently registration is low
- Bricks4 Kidz-Laws of Motion, grades K-5, Fridays After school, 19 registered.
- Capoeira Brazilian Martial Arts for all grades, in-curricular. (potentially term 3). **Paid by MPAC.**

Concerns:

- Use of the gym at lunchtime has been prohibited by the school and extremely limited for afterschool. The Programming Committees priority remains with the NVRC After School Club as it provides necessary child care for our parent community.

