



W.H. BALLARD

November 2025



MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE

We kindly ask that you show consideration during morning drop-off and pick-up times by parking responsibly. Please refrain from parking in front of driveways in both the neighborhood and at the school. This small effort will greatly contribute to the safety of everyone in our community.

FROM THE MUSIC ROOM

Ballard has been selected by the Hamilton Philharmonic Orchestra (HPO) for its Adopt-a-school program! HPO musicians will be visiting our school throughout the year to help our intermediate students with their instruments. They will also perform a Holiday concert for the whole school in December.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

On November 11th, our school will honor those who have served our country with a whole school assembly featuring stories, songs, and reflections on peace, gratitude, and remembrance. Students are encouraged to wear a poppy as a symbol of respect and to remember the sacrifices made for our freedom.

PIZZA DAYS

Please remember that the deadline for placing December pizza orders will be open for purchase during the last week of November. Payment for Pizza can be arranged through School Cash Online [here](#).

PARENT PORTAL

Please take a moment to log in to the Parent Portal [here](#) and ensure your child's emergency contact information is up to date. If you're unable to, contact the school office for help.



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BIG BOX FUNDRAISER

Card Box sets with 35 cards.
Choose from 3 options; Birthday,
Holiday or All Occasions.



Orders can be placed online
through School Cash Online until
November 14th [here](#).

REPORT CARDS

Progress Reports will be sent home
on November 18th. Parent interviews
are set for the evening of the 20th
and additional sessions on the 21st
during the PA Day. More details will
be provided by your child's teacher
soon.

DOUGH RAISER

Our incredible School Council is hosting
another Dough Raiser on November
24th! The event will take place all day,
and you can place your orders online, in
person, or over the phone. For every
pizza sold, the school will earn \$5.



MILK DAYS

Milk days are on Tuesdays and Thursdays,
offering chocolate and white milk for
\$1.25 each. Purchases should be made
through School Cash Online for November.

PA DAY NOVEMBER 21, 2025.