



IMPORTANT THIS WEEK:

Camp Permission forms and Deposits due for Grade 6's

CHARTWELL ELEMENTARY E-BULLETIN

- **School Supplies Ordering see link below Chartwell Important Dates Calendar 2025-2026 published HERE**

A Parent's guide to ROBLOX is HERE

- June 19th, 2025 NEWS AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION BULLETIN

As we approach the final stretch of the school year, I wanted to share a few thoughts as you begin to plan for summer with your children. While summer

should absolutely be a time to slow down, relax, and enjoy the sunshine, a little structure can go a long way in helping children feel secure, stay engaged, and

return to school in September feeling refreshed and ready to learn.

Here are a few ideas to support a successful summer:

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Keep a Daily Rhythm: While the pace of summer is often slower, many children thrive when they know what to expect each day. Having a basic daily schedule—perhaps a consistent morning routine, a block of time for outdoor activity, and some quiet time after lunch—can offer just enough structure to help students feel settled.

Limit Device Time: With more free time, screens can quickly fill the day.

Consider creating a family media plan that includes limits and expectations, as well as designated "device-free" times, like during meals,

ease back into the school schedule.

family outings, or before bed. Prioritize Outdoor Play: Time in nature and physical activity helps with sleep, mood regulation, and overall well-being. Whether it's neighbourhood walks, beach visits, bike rides, or time at the park, encourage daily outdoor time.

Maintain Reading Habits: Summer reading is one of the best ways to

prevent learning loss. Help your child build a summer reading list, visit the

- public library, or explore a series of books together as a family. Even 15–20 minutes a day can make a big difference. Involve Kids in Planning: Give children a voice in choosing activities for the week—whether it's picking meals to help cook, choosing an art
- project, or planning a weekend adventure. It builds independence and keeps them motivated. Reinforce Bedtime Routines: While bedtimes often shift later during the summer, a consistent sleep routine is key to a smooth transition back to school. Consider gradually adjusting sleep times in mid-August to help
- room, or learning to ride public transit (for our older students). These little things boost confidence and readiness for the new school year. Stay Connected: Whether through camps, playdates, or family outings, staying socially engaged helps children maintain friendships and build
- Warmly, Sara Bell **Looking Ahead**

Grade 4 & 5 - Grouse Mountain Field trip

Grade 7 - Playland Field Trip

June 20

June 23

Let's End the Year in Style!

Grade 6 Sailing & Paddleboarding Field trip Grade 7 Farewell Ceremony Doors Open - 10:15 am Ceremony Begins - 10:45 am

Grade K- 3 - Primary Picnic - 1pm - Sentinel Field

Spirit Wear Day - Chartwell colours or school June 20th branded spirit wear **Chartwell Reminders Summary of Learning**

We've planned a series of fun Spirit Days to celebrate our amazing school

Treehouse Team. Let's show our school spirit and get creative, Chartwell!

community. Every student who participates will earn points for their

will remain in the gym for a dance celebration and will be dismissed at the regular school time of 2:45 p.m.

10:15 - Doors open for families

12:00-1:00 pm - Student Lunch

1:00 - 2:30 pm - Farewell Dance Students only

School Supplies - EASY ONLINE ORDERING

Order here: Chartwell School Supplies

often cheaper and faster for families.

to send them to your home.

Password: 4516

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June 25th, from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

the waitlist. Please remember to bring your tickets to the ceremony. June 25, 2025 Grade 7 students at school by 10:00am

10:30-12:00 pm - Grade 7 Farewell Ceremony and Celebration, CH Gym

please return the extras to the office so they can be redistributed to families on

online account. 2025-2026 SCHOOL SUPPLIES

To make things easier for families, we have an online school supply ordering

All the items on the list are required. But if you already have some of the

optional items (in good condition), you can use those instead.

system. You can see the supply lists and order everything in one place. This is

Supplies will be sent to the school with your child's name. You do not need

When you order, please choose the grade your child is going into next year.

Registration is now open to join the Chartwell Band Program for the 2025/26 School year by visiting https://westvancouverschools.ca/programs/elementary-band/ or

CLICKING HERE. All students **currently in Grade 5** and their families are

register at the same above link. Students learn a symphonic instrument and

perform at several concerts and special events through the year. Band is an

encouraged to consider this special music opportunity. Grade 6 families

extra-curricular enrichment program and there is a fee. The fee is \$425.

For more information you can contact this years band teacher

Planning Ahead: Enrollment for 2025–2026

Grade 6 & 7 Chartwell Band Program 2025/2026: Registration Now Open!

follow a separate gradual entry schedule). To confirm enrollment at Chartwell, all students must be present. If your family is not planning to return to Chartwell next year, please notify Ms. Undseth as soon as possible by emailing aundseth@wvschools.ca Early notice helps us plan more effectively for the upcoming school year—ensuring that staffing, class placements, and resources are thoughtfully organized to best support our students.

As you begin planning your summer holidays, please note that school will

resume on Tuesday, September 2, 2025. We expect all students to attend on the first day of school (with the exception of Kindergarten students, who will

REGISTER HERE! est vancouver

<u>Databases and Online Resources you can access with library card</u>

West Vancouver Community Events

We are changing how we share community news and events. Starting

now, individual "Community Connections" will no longer be included in

our school bulletins. Instead, all local programs, events, and resources

that we'll update and share with you each week.All school-specific

information will continue to be featured in our regular ebulletin.

will be found in one convenient location, accessible through a single link

West Van Memorial Library Easy Links

Catalog for youth resources

Kids Events Calendar

Ebooks and Audiobooks Access

for parents/caregivers on popular social media platforms.

informed online.

Snapchat.

TikTok

Roblox

2. Year-End Reminder As we approach the final days of the school year, here are a few important reminders and helpful tips to ensure a smooth wrap-up for everyone:

-Lost & Found

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Chartwell Elementary School

PAC NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS CHARTWELL ELEMENTARY PAC Funded by Parents | Powered by CPAC

-Library Books

Below are some important updates and upcoming activities that require your attention from PAC. 1. Budget and Bylaw Amendment Due to certain circumstances, we were unable to hold the vote on next year's budget and the proposed bylaw amendments in the last PAC meeting. We appreciate your continued attention and support, and kindly ask

everyone to stay tuned—we will be voting on these important items at our next meeting. We encourage you to review them in advance and bring any questions or feedback to the meeting — your participation is important and appreciated! Bylaw Amendment:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Kfmklf-hltt6HOJbabuSyiU9WTZS30kBhFTvV9ZvEHc/edit?usp=sharing PAC Budget for school year 2025-2026 will be posted soon.

Students will be cleaning out their desks by the last day of school. Please remind your child to bring a bag to

On behalf of CPAC, we'd like to thank all the families who supported the school this year. Wishing everyone a safe, relaxing, and joyful summer break! Warm regards, **Chartwell PAC Team**

"I acknowledge and am thankful to live, learn, and work on the territory of the Coast Salish people, specifically the Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish) Nation, whose territory West Vancouver Schools resides."

Practice Independence: The slower pace of summer is a great time to help children practice life skills-making lunch, tying shoes, tidying their new ones. Social connection is just as important for emotional health as academic preparation. Thank you for all you've done to support your child's learning this year. We are so proud of their progress and can't wait to finish the year on a high note next week!

June 25th June 26th Last Day of School - Early Dismissal 12:11 pm Sept 2nd First Day back to School Grades 1-7 Sep 3rd Back to school regular class times Grades 1 - 7 **CHARTWELL SPIRIT DAYS!**

On Thursday, June 26th, families will receive their child's Summary of Learning, a year-end document similar to a report card. Unlike the Learning Updates from Terms One and Two, this report provides a summary of your child's overall progress across the entire school year. Performance descriptors—Emerging, Developing, Proficient, or Extending—reflect your child's current level of ability at the end of the school year. This final summary focuses on the skills, competencies, and approaches to learning your child has developed, rather than solely on content knowledge. In line with BC's "Know, Understand, Do" curriculum model, this report emphasizes the "Do"—what your child can do, and how independently they can do it. To get a better sense of what your child *knows* and *understands* from Term Three, please refer to their online portfolio and the work they have brought home.

You will receive an email on June 26th with a link to the MyEdBC Family Portal, which is where you accessed previous reports. **Helpful Links: MyEd Parent Portal Help Grade 7 Farewell** Thank you to Sana, Ruby, Minji, and the entire Farewell Committee for organizing this special event to celebrate our incredible group of Grade 7 students.

Our Grade 7 Farewell Ceremony and Dance will take place on Wednesday,

gymnasium from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Following the ceremony, students

Each student will receive a minimum of two guest tickets, which were sent

home on Wednesday, June 18th. If you do not require all of your tickets,

Parents, family, and friends are invited to attend the ceremony in the

Grade 6 Camp Information Camp forms have been emailed and set home with the students. Please return them and pay deposit which has been posted to your school cash

Dear Parents of Grade 5 & 6 Students,

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions or need assistance, feel free to reach out. We look forward to another wonderful school year! **Summer Camps**

start dates.

Term Three of Extra Curricular Activities

FOR INFORMATION ON THE COMING YEAR

IMPORTANT DATES 2024 - 2025

IMPORTANT DATES 2025-2026

CHARTWELL BELL TIMES

West Vancouver District News

Parent's Guide to Digital Citizenship

As part of a new series on digital citizenship, we will be sharing best practices

Check out the attached resource to learn how to help your child stay safe and

Top-Drawer-Daycare-Summer-Camp-2025.pdf

Please find all Term 3 Extra Curricular Activity links on our Website:

https://westvancouverschools.ca/chartwell-elementary/after-school-programs/

Top Drawer - Chartwell's before and after school care is offering summer

camps for students. Please see the link for more information about program and

The West Vancouver Memorial Library Summer Reading Club is now open -

Dear Chartwell Families,

Please return all school library books by next week. Late or missing books will result in a charge.

The Lost and Found is overflowing! Please check the drawers or the table in the hallway before the last day of school. Unclaimed items will be donated before summer break. -Classroom Clean-Up & Personal Belongings carry home extra items, clothing, or supplies. -Report Cards & Year-End Notices Final report cards will be issued via MyEducation BC next week. Please keep an eye out for any additional year-end notices from your child's teacher or the office. Thank You & Happy Summer!