



CYPRESS PARK PRIMARY

THURSDAY eBULLETIN

29 May, 2025

LOOKING AHEAD	
May 30	<u>Freezie Friday</u>
June 6	CP Sports Day - 12PM DISMISSAL
June 11	Spring Concert - 2:00PM in the Gym
June 12	Grade one Field trip Permission Form Here
June 13	K Field trip - Permission form to come Fun Run 2:10pm / <u>PAC Year End BBQ</u>
June 15	Father's Day
June 17	Last day after school Steamoji
June 23	Last Hot Lunch day
June 24	Grade three leaving Ceremony - 9AM
June 25	Whole School Stearman Beach Day
June 26	Last day of classes - 12PM DISMISSAL
June 26	FINAL Student reports posted REMEMBER TO DOWNLOAD & SAVE
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DROPPING OFF ITEMS

INCLUDING BOOTS, EXTRA CLOTHING, BACKPACKS OR LUNCHES. Please make sure to label them and DROP OFF AT THE OFFICE Please do not interrupt your child's classroom during learning hours. Thank you.

FIRST WEEK BACK TO SCHOOL 2025-2026 IMPORTANT INFORMATION

As families begin to make summer plans, please note that the first day of school for the 2025-2026 school year is Tuesday, September 2nd and students must be in school by 3PM on Thursday, September 4th to secure their placement at Cypress Park Primary. Our funding from the Ministry of Education and Child Care requires that we confirm our enrollment and therefore we must have student in attendance by this time. lf there extraordinary are circumstances, please contact Vice Principal Hulme, chulme@wvschools.ca.

CODE OF CONDUCT

25-26 YEAR AT A GLANCE CALENDAR

CYPRESS PARK BELL TIMES

EXPECTED AND UNEXPECTED PLAYGROUND **RULES**

ARCHIVED CYPRESS PARK NEWS

SCHOOL CASH ONLINE

MYEDUCATION BC

2025-26 VCH VACCINATION PROCESS

KM CLUB IS UP AND RUNNING

Congratulations for completing 10KM!

Grade three - Naomi, Joylin Grade two - Rowan, Radin,

Grade one - Sophie R, Selena, Tia

Congratulations for completing 20KM!

Grade two - Ian, Jeevan Grade one - Rayan, Hugo, Borna, Leonardo Kindergarten - Will

Congratulations for completing 30KM!

Grade three - Maksim Grade one - Michael

2025-2026 STUDENT SUPPLY ORDER

SCHOOL CASH ONLINE

Thank you to everyone who has ordered their supplies before the deadline - all supplies will be delivered to school on August 25, 2025.

Remember to choose the grade your child is in NEXT YEAR!

KINDERGARTEN SUPPLIES 2025-2026 GRADE ONE SUPPLIES 2025-2026 GRADE TWO SUPPLIES 2025-2026 GRADE THREE SUPPLIES 2025-2026

Please place your supply order before June 13TH

If you choose to purchase your own supplies please ensure that you purchase everything on the list ABOVE for your new grade. We will be setting up \$25 payments on SCO for our Learning Without Tears Workbook for Grades K-3, and a \$10 payment on SCO for school planners for grades 1-3, for those who did not order with School Cash Online at the end of June



IB FEE PAYMENT REQUEST

The annual fee of \$550.00 per student is due for the 2025-2025 school year.

To access School Cash Online click here

The IB Fee Request Letter can be accessed HERE.

SPORTS DAY EVENT



Go Cypress Park! Go Cypress Park! Next Friday, June 6th is our team building SPORTS DAY event (weather permitting). Students will participate in a variety of stations and be part of team BLUE or GREEN.

Parents are welcome to attend. The first station will begin at 9:30am. A more detailed shape of the day will be shared in next week's newsletter.

Reminder:

School will be dismissed at 12:00 NOON

CYPRESS PARK PRIMARY YEAR END SUMMER BBQ

JUNE 13 | 2:00-5:30 PM CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE TICKETS



COPS FOR CANCER

TOONIE DEADLINE TOMORROW

In September, West Vancouver Police constables will begin an 8 day bike ride throughout the Lower Mainland, Sunshine Coast, and Sea to Sky Corridor in support of children facing a journey with cancer.

If you would like to support this ride and the Canadian Cancer Society

Please Donate Today!

Funds raised directly support Pediatric Cancer research and family care programs.

Please support this worthy cause.

A toonie jar will be available in the school office for donations as well as the link **HERE**



BEATY BOX

Thank you to our incredibly supportive PAC for providing Beaty Box learning opportunities throughout the school year. These learning materials are loaned out from the UBC Beaty Biodiversity Museum. It is a way for teachers to bring the museum into the classroom. Beaty Box kits have touchable specimens and other scientific objects to stimulate inquiry and discussion within the classroom, enhancing the student learning experience. We are looking forward to continuing to connect with the museum next year to bring in certain boxes to support our IB Transdisciplinary Themes.

- Again, Thank you PAC!

SCHOOL PANORAMA PHOTO

If you would like to purchase a copy of the school panorama please following THIS LINK and use PASSWORD: CKPV12025. You'll have a choice between three photos' taken.

Student took home a flyer from Edge Imaging with a complimentary digital class group photo which you can download using the special code on the flyer. If you forgot your portrait and pass code, please contact Edge Imaging Customer Care team at edgeimaging.ca or call 1(866) 707-3343.



EARTHBITES

























A BIG THANK YOU to the PAC and Brendan from EarthBites for leading such an informative and engaging spring gardening workshop!

This fantastic program, generously supported by the PAC, provided our students with the opportunity to develop their social and communication skills as they worked together to learn about the needs of our garden and how to care for it. The time was not only enjoyable but also rich with curricular learning, making it a valuable experience for all involved.

We kindly ask everyone to be mindful of the garden beds and the markers within them. Please avoid digging or removing any signs or labels, as they are essential for the proper care and organization of our garden.



SHARING THE PLANET

That's a wrap! Very proud of the thinking and small actions grade three students came up with on their own during this theme! My favourite activity was the no trash lunch-especially when we used our new fraction skills to analyze our data. That was inspiring!















NUMERACY IN GRADE TWO

Students reflected on the question "How do stores function?". We brainstormed our ideas and thinking before breaking into groups and setting up a small store. Each group set up their store cooperatively and then students chose whether to be the customer or the shopkeeper. They applied their knowledge of money when the customers went "shopping". We used our thinking, social and communication skills



PAC NEWS & HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ **YEAR-END TICKETS:** Buy your **Parent Social, Year-End BBQ** & **Pony** tickets for Fri, June 13.
- ✓ VOLUNTEERS: Looking for 20+ volunteers to help with the Year-End BBQ. <u>Sign-up today!</u>
- ✓ **FUNDING FUTURES:** We are \$1500 away from our goal! Consider sponsoring <u>Math Resources</u> (\$750), the <u>Petting Zoo</u> (\$450 remaining), <u>Lunar New Years</u> (\$100), or <u>Student-in-Need Fund</u> (\$100).



PARENT SOCIAL TICKETS Fri, June 13 @ 12:30-2:00PM | 4339 Morgan Cr

Kick back, relax & enjoy an afternoon with your fellow Cypress Park parents! Your \$25 Ticket includes:

- 2x glasses of wine or beer
- Music by Geoff Gibbons & Food by Puccini's
- Draw prizes from <u>Flake'd Foods</u>, <u>Bzzz Bombs</u>,
 Meadowfoam Candles & Everything Wine
- Bid on the Art Platter Auction Items
- 100% of the proceeds go to the Cypress Park

GIANT THANK YOU TO THE BALDWINS FOR HOSTING & SPONSORING THIS EVENT!

FUN RUN - PLEDGE SHEET

Get ready to RUN for FUN, raise funds & WIN big prizes!

- 4 WHITECAPS Soccer Club Seat Tickets \$650+ Value
- 3 Sportsweek Multi-Sport Camp \$400 Value
- Steamoji Lite Memberships \$249 Value
- Class PYJAMA PARTY Priceless

PLEDGE SHEET DEADLINE – NEXT FRI, JUNE 6. Message your friends & families for pledges to win! Missing your pledge sheet?

Download online sheet

PRIZES AWARDED TO...

- Top 3 Fundraisers: Bring in those pledges & win!
- Top Class: Highest fundraising class wins a PYJAMA PARTY!
- Bonus: Raise \$200 or more & get a Mini Pony ticket for the Year-End BBQ!





Friday, June 13 @ 12:30-5:30PM FUN RUN & YEAR-END BBO

- <u>Parent Pre-Social Tickets</u> (\$25): 2 drinks, entertainment, nibbles, draw prizes & more!
- Fun Run & Year-End BBQ Tickets (\$25):
 Bouncy Games & Castle, Petting Zoo, Face
 Painting, Hot Dogs, Drinks, ice cream & more
- Mini Pony Tickets (\$10): Play with a pony!

BUY YOUR TICKETS TODAY —

STEPHANIE MITCHELL REALTORS® is proud to be this year's CORPORATE SPONSOR for Cypress Park Primary's FUN RUN & YEAR-END SUMMER BBQ Thanks for sponsoring the Dragon Bouncy Castle, 3-in-1 Sports Game & Ice cream!

VICE PRINCIPAL FOR THE DAY THE WINNER IS LILY ROSE – CONGRATS!

\$1,125 raised & 45 tickets purchased for programs & resources!

- Leadership: Shadow Ms Hulme for the day
- School Board Office Visit: Meet with the Deputy Superintendent of West Vancouver Schools, Liz Hill
- Rule Maker: Longer Recess & Crafts for Everyone!
- VIP Lunch: Sushi Lunch with Ms Hulme & a friend





PAC MEETING & AGM THANKS EVERYONE FOR ATTENDING

What a fun evening! Thanks everyone for coming out to the PAC meeting last night.

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDED...

- We met & mingled our new VP Ryley McLeod
- Reviewed, voted & approved the <u>2025/26 Budget</u>
- Elected our Council Members
- Approved our new <u>Bylaws & Constitution</u>

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Community information will now be accessible in one convenient location. All local programs, events, and resources will be updated and shared with you each week by clicking HERE

West Vancouver Help us Become the Most Active Community in Canada!

The ParticipACTION Community Challenge is a physical activity initiative national encourages Canadians to get active in search of Canada's Most Active Community. In 2021, the community of West Vancouver placed second in Canada. It is our goal to be the most active community in Canada. West Vancouver Schools will be participating in this initiative. Individuals can pledge to 'get active' throughout June in support of the community's efforts without having to track any movement minutes. To support West Vancouver in this initiative, we hope you will take the pledge to get active: https://www.participaction.com/individual-pled ge/. Let's make movement matter!



West Vancouver Early Childhood Education Centre Update Opening Early 2026

West Vancouver Schools is pleased to share an update on our upcoming **Early Childhood Education Centre** announced in August 2024. Construction is underway, and the new facility is expected to open in early 2026. Once complete, it will offer high-quality childcare for children ages 0-5, operating at market value rates. We look forward to welcoming families into this purpose-built, modern space designed to support early learning and child care in our community.

For more information and to join the waitlist please click here

2025 SUMMER LEARNING with WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS

Save the date!
Summer Learning registration opens on
Monday, April 7 at 8:00 a.m.

For more information, please refer to the Summer Learning information flyers (<u>elementary</u> or <u>secondary</u>) or the <u>Summer Learning Website</u>.

Are you interested in learning during the summer? West Vancouver Schools will be offering a robust Summer Learning Program for both elementary and secondary students during July 2025.

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