



RIDGEVIEW ELEMENTARY = E-BULLETIN



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RENSEIGNEMENTS IMPORTANTS Prière de les faire traduire.

重要資料 請找人爲你翻譯

これはたいせつなお知らせです。 どなたかに日本語に訳してもらってください。

알려드립니다 이것을 번약해 주십시요

CHỈ DẪN QUAN TRONG Xin nhờ người dịch hộ

Busque alguien que le traduzca.

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يرجى ترجمة هذا معلومات هامة

ВАЖНАЯ ИНФОРМАЦИЯ Переведите это, пожалуйста.

June 12th, 2025

School Website RPAC Facebook District Website







UPCOMING DATES

June 13 th	RPAC Annual General Meeting – 9:00am in the library
June 13 th	RPAC Ice Cream Social after school / Select Hip Hop performances
June 13 th	Sportwear Orders Pick Up – before/after school in Undercover Area
June 18 th	Sports Day (Rain or Shine) – 1:00pm EARLY DISMISSAL
June 20 th	Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony/Awards
June 26 th	Last Day of School for Students – 12:00pm EARLY DISMISSAL
June 26 th	Summary of Learning Reports Published on MyEd Family Portal

SCHOOL NEWS

THE PROUD PRINCIPAL - TOMORROW, FRIDAY, JUNE 13TH IS AN EXCITING DAY AT RIDGEVIEW!

RIDGEVIEW DRAGON SPORTSWEAR PICK-UP

Pre-ordered Ridgeview Dragon sportswear will be available for pick-up tomorrow before and after school in the Grade 3 undercover area.

RPAC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Our RPAC AGM will take place tomorrow at 8:45 am in the library, following morning drop-off. All parents are welcome and encouraged to attend. The meeting agenda was emailed to families earlier this week.

HIP HOP SHOWCASE

Thanks to RPAC, all students are enjoying a week of Hip Hop workshops! While space does not allow for a full parent performance, we are pleased to offer a brief showcase featuring two groups of student dancers:

- Divisions 9 & 10 (Grade 3)
- Divisions 5 & 6 (Grade 5 & 5/6)

Please join us tomorrow at 2:45 pm in the gymnasium for a quick glimpse into their learning.

RPAC ICE CREAM SOCIAL

All students will receive a complimentary ice cream treat after school, courtesy of RPAC. Treats will be distributed at 2:40 pm in both the Grade 3 undercover area and front entrance.

HIP HOP THIS WEEK / PERFORMANCE AFTER SCHOOL

Our school-wide Hip Hop program has been running all week, providing a fun and active experience for all grade levels as we wrap up the school year. Each grade cohort has had the opportunity to learn and practice new dance moves, and students will be performing for one another at the end of the week. While our in-school performances will be limited to students due to gym capacity, we look forward to sharing photos and videos on our social media channels so families can enjoy the experience as well.

We're also excited to invite families to join us after school on Friday, June 13, for the RPAC Ice Cream Social in the Grade 3 undercover area. As part of this event, select grade cohorts will perform their Hip Hop routines for parents and caregivers.

A big thank you to the RPAC for sponsoring this engaging opportunity for our students!

PARENTS' GUIDE TO TIKTOK

Please have a read of the attached file with important WVS information on TikTok.

LIBRARY BOOKS AND TEXTBOOKS

Please ensure all library books and textbooks are returned to the school over the next couple of weeks. If families find any "lost" books over the summer break, please bring them to school at the start of the new school year.

SPORTS JERSEYS

A reminder for any students who have not yet returned their sports jerseys for volleyball, basketball, ultimate or track, please return them (washed) by Monday.

WATER BOTTLES, HATS, SUNSCREEN

Summer weather in upon us and we are asking students to be prepared for the hotter weather. Please apply sunscreen before the school day and have your child bring a hat. Most importantly ensure your child has a water bottle.

SUMMARY OF LEARNING (REPORTS)

On Thursday, June 26th, your child's Summary of Learning Report will be published to the MyEd Family Portal as a PDF (will be located on the right-hand side of the homepage under "Published Reports").

We suggest that you try <u>logging into your account</u> prior to June 26th to ensure that you are ready and have access to it for when the reports are published. If you have forgotten your password, simply use your login and click on "forgot password", and you should receive another temporary one (check your spam/junk folder if you do not receive it).

All Learning Updates #1 and #2, the final Summary of Learning Report, ELL reports (AIPs) and IEP reports will be posted on the Family Portal for the 2024/25 school year <u>until July 31, 2025</u>. Paper copies will not be sent home, so it is important that you print and/or download/save your child's reports to your computer as a PDF for future reference. A reminder that there are many resources and a FAQ section on the district site HERE.

SIGN UP FOR BAND! GRADE 6 AND 7 BAND REGISTRATIONS IS OPEN FOR 2025-2026 (FOR CURRENT GR 5/6 STUDENTS)

Our Grade 6 and 7 band has had several opportunities to showcase their talents this year. Our next school performance is Monday, June 16th.

Band registration for elementary concert band is now open for the 2025-2026 school year. Band is an optional program offered to Grade 6 and 7 students where they learn an instrument to play as a group. Ridgeview has had a strong tradition with music and for opportunities like choir and band. Band can be a place where students can make connections and to find a sense of belonging at school. Band players help the school with showcasing music for school events, assemblies and district events too – besides the pure joy of learning how to play an instrument and playing together! Many of our band student continue their passion into high school with many opportunities to foster this passion. When you are ready to register, go to the <u>District Elementary Band Program page</u>.

RETURNING TO SCHOOL AFTER SUMMER BREAK (OR LEAVING BEFORE JUNE 26TH)

If you are extending the summer break and returning after we begin classes on Tuesday, September 2nd, please keep in mind AP 300 Student Registration and Enrolment states that the unconfirmed whereabouts of an absent registered student will be removed from the school register if the student has not returned by 3:00 pm on the Thursday after school opening (September 4th). We do not hold seats as finalizing school and district enrollment, operations and planning will take priority over travel plans. Please reach out to Mr. Zerbe (<u>wzerbe@wvschools.ca</u>) if you need more information or would like to review your intentions.

As well, if you will be leaving school prior to the last day (June 26th), please email Mrs. Lytle (<u>slytle@wvschools.ca</u>) so we can record it for attendance purposes.

Moving? Changing Schools? (Gr K-6)

If you know your child(ren) will **NOT** be returning to Ridgeview in September for the 2025/26 school year and have not already let the office know, please email Mrs. Lytle (slytle@wvschools.ca) as soon as possible as it is important for us to have accurate information regarding enrollment for the upcoming school year. Thank you for your cooperation.

STUDENT ABSENCES / LATE ARRIVALS (GR K-7)

It is extremely important that student absences/late arrivals be reported to the school office prior to 8:40am by leaving a voice message on the 'Call Back' phone line at 604-981-1252 or by emailing Mrs. Lytle (slytle@wvschools.ca). Please call each day your child is absent or if you know your child will be away for an extended period of time (such as holidays), please email the office so that this information can be recorded on the Call Back 'long term' form.

EARLY PICK UPS (GR K-7)

To avoid disruptions during class time, we encourage families to schedule appointments outside of school hours, however, we understand it is occasionally unavoidable. Should you require to pick your child up early, it is always best to email their teacher (and copy the office) in advance so that they are aware. During the end of day routines, we will not be able to accommodate early pick ups from 2:30-2:40pm unless we have been given previous notice. Thank you for your cooperation.

REMEMBER TO PACK LUNCH UTENSILS FROM HOME (GR K-7)

A reminder to please pack a reusable fork, spoon or chopsticks from home should your child require a utensil to eat what they have for their lunch. This includes if they are receiving hot lunch. **Utensils are not provided with hot lunch and we do not have utensils available in the office.**

2025-26 SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

School Supply lists for the 2025-26 school year were emailed to all families earlier this month. Should you choose to order through EduPac, please do so online through EduPac, HERE (use code 4540 when prompted). School supply lists can be found on EduPac website as well as on our website under "school news and publications".

REGISTRATIONS FOR THE 2025-26 SCHOOL YEAR

Registration is open for all grades living in catchment, in district and out of district. now. The online registration application can be found here.

NEXT MEETING - AGM: JUNE 13TH / 9AM

RPAC

RPAC Facebook

JOIN THE RPAC TEAM FOR 2025-26!

Let's work together to make a difference for our kids and school! We can't run the RPAC without volunteers.

Open positions for the 2025-26 school year:

- Member of the Hot Lunch Team Managing Munch a Lunch
- Member at Large
- District RPAC Representative

Please see attached flyer for further information and description of these roles.

Deadline to get involved: Wednesday, June 11th.

Questions or ready to join? Send us an email: rpacdragons@gmail.com

RPAC AGM - FRIDAY, JUNE 13TH

Please join us! RPAC AGM will take place on Friday, June 13th at 9:00am (in person) in the school library. Hope to see you there!

HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

Ordering is available through Munch a Lunch.

The Hot Lunch program, organized by dedicated parent volunteers, is one of Ridgeview Advisory Council's (RPAC) largest fundraisers—raising over \$30,000 last year! These funds support various programs and initiatives that benefit all our children, beyond the annual cheque-writing campaign. This year, we are working with the following restaurants:

- Monday Domino's Pizza
- Tuesday Presto Catering
- Wednesday White Spot
- Thursday Well Fed
- Friday Domino's Pizza

Important Reminder: Utensils are NOT provided with Hot Lunch. Please ensure your child brings the necessary cutlery.

Ordering Deadline: Orders must be placed 10 days in advance.

If you have any questions, please contact us at ridgeviewlunch@gmail.com. Thank you for supporting Ridgeview through the Hot Lunch program!

COMMUNITY

How We Share Community News and Events

All local programs, events, and resources can be found **HERE**.

WEST VANCOUVER - HELP US BECOME THE MOST ACTIVE COMMUNITY IN CANADA!

The ParticipACTION Community Challenge is a national physical activity initiative that 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-pledge/. Let's make movement matter!

WV 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

WVBC BASKETBALL AND WEST VAN VOLLEY SUMMER CAMPS

The West Vancouver Basketball Club and West Van Volley are excited to offer 4 weeks of summer camps beginning on July 14th for students entering grades 2-12. All camps will be held at West Van Secondary School. Students that enrol in a basketball camp and a volleyball camp will receive a 10% discount off both registrations. For further information, please go to https://www.wvbc.ca and https://www.wvbc.ca and