



WEST BAY  
ELEMENTARY

# THE WOLF

WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 19 MAY

[West Bay Website](#)



REGISTRATION OPEN ONLINE NOW CLICK [HERE](#) TO REGISTER FOR 2025-26 SCHOOL YEAR

 [INSTAGRAM ACCOUNT HERE](#)

**TRACK AND FIELD  
Gr 4-7 STUDENTS**

**Field Practices**  
Tues @ Lunch for 4/5s  
Weds @ Lunch for 6/7s, and  
everyone 08:15 on Fridays  
**\$10 Activity Fee Coming Soon**  
[FIELD EVENTS PERMISSION SLIP](#)

**Track Practices**  
3:10 on Mondays and  
08:15 on Wednesdays  
[TRACK PERMISSION SLIP](#)  
**\$10 Activity Fee will be set up next  
week once all forms are returned**

**25-26 GRADE 6 STUDENTS**

Permission Slips [HERE](#)

To be returned to office by 20 May



**CAMP SUMMIT**

Payment in 3 instalments  
If you sign up by 21 May.

**SCHOOL CASH CLICK [HERE](#)**

**Playland - Grade 6 and 7s**  
Permission Slip [HERE](#),  
Payment available now  
**Field Events**  
Ready to pay now

**COMING SOON**  
**Track**  
\$10 Activity Fee  
**Ridge Wilderness - Grade 7s**  
18 June, Busses

**RETURN TO SCHOOL ON 2025-2026**  
As families begin to make summer plans, please  
note that the first day of school for the  
2025-2026 school year is Tuesday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>,  
and that students must be in school by 3 PM on  
Thursday, September 4<sup>th</sup> to secure their  
placement at West Bay. Our funding from the  
Ministry of Education and Child Care requires  
that we confirm our enrollment and therefore we  
must have students in attendance by this time. If  
there are extraordinary circumstances, please  
contact Principal Slater.

**25-26 PARENT INPUT FOR CLASS PLACEMENT  
OPEN UNTIL FRIDAY 16 MAY**

Dear Parents/Guardians,  
Over the coming months, West Bay teachers  
will configure students into classes for the  
2025-2026 school year. You may complete [this  
form](#) to share information you feel should be  
considered when placing your child for the  
next school year. This form is optional.

The class placement process is very complex as  
teachers consider the individual needs of  
students as well as group dynamics. When  
placing students, school personnel consider  
teachers' observations of individual needs and  
social dynamics, input from support staff, class  
size and composition (learning and behavior  
needs, gender), and learning styles.

**Parent feedback is valued and will be  
considered, but it is important for families to  
know that there are many other factors that  
affect the placement of students and  
teachers' observations drive placement  
decisions.**

If you hope that your child is placed with close  
peers, please note that we aim to place  
children with peers who they learn well with  
(feel connected to; support each other's  
learning; don't distract each other; and make  
good decisions together).

If you have input, please ensure it is shared  
before this form closes on Friday, May 16, so  
that it can be taken into consideration.

**Scott Slater, Principal,**  
[sslater@wvschools.ca](mailto:sslater@wvschools.ca)

**PAC MEETING - 15 MAY @ 7 PM**  
**May Agenda - [CLICK HERE](#)**

**April Minutes - [CLICK HERE TO VIEW](#)**

**Meeting Link - Zoom Link [HERE](#)**  
**Meeting ID: 897 9266 704**

**PAC EXECUTIVE NOMINATION FORM  
[HERE](#) and ROLE DESCRIPTION [HERE](#)**

MAY	
15	Last Day for Ordering Hot Lunch for the remainder of School Year Last Hot Lunch of the Year 20 June
16	Professional Development Day #6
19	Victoria Day Stat Holiday
20	Gr 6 Outdoor School Forms Due to Office
23	Celtic Dance Workshops for Gr 2/3
25	Gr 7 Car Wash, 11-2 PM
26	Week of Tennis for ALL Students
27	Welcome to Kindergarten, 9-12
28	Gr 6/7 Field Event, 3:30 PM @ Westcot
29	Gr 4/5 Field Event, 3:30 PM @ Westcot
30	Cyber Safety Gr 7s, 9-11 AM PAC 2nd Annual Spring Fair, 4-7 Collection of Spring Plant Orders
31	Early Bird Deadline for 25-26 Band Fee

2025-26 NEW BELL SCHEDULE	
08:45-08:50	Welcome Bell
10:50-11:10	Morning Recess
12:30-12:45	Lunch Inside Eating
12:45-1:07	Lunch Recess
1:07-1:10	Returning to Class
2:50 PM	End of the Day





Incredible learning and action taken along this 8 week journey by our Grade 7 students. Students were risk takers, communicators - through their oral presentations, sketch notes, visible thinking routines and on the spot question and answer sessions. Thank you to their teachers and mentors who guided them on this journey.

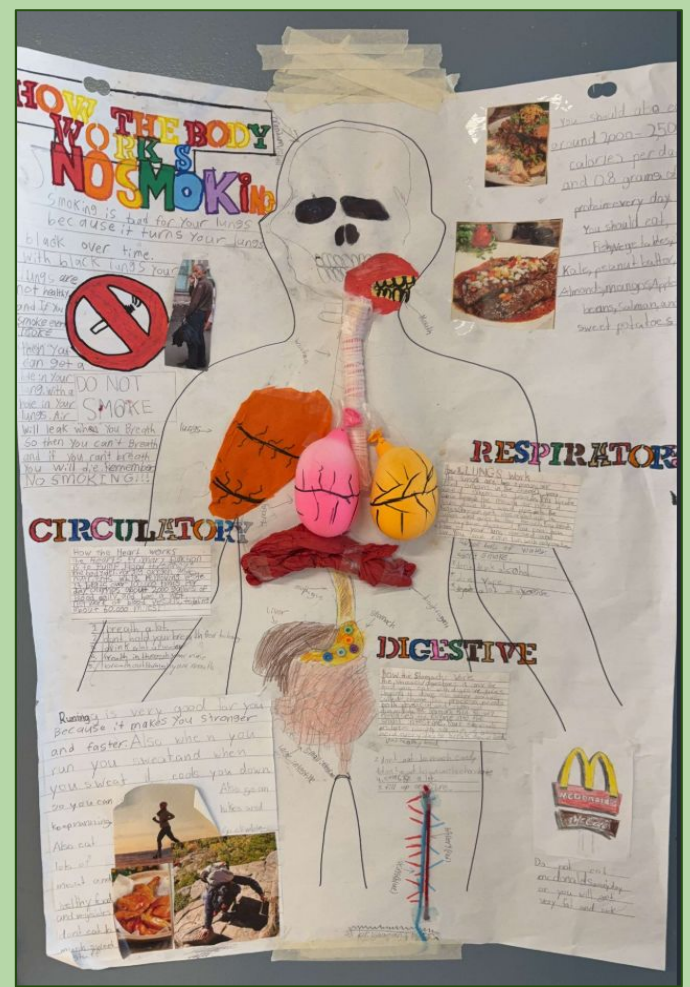


### BODY SYSTEM POSTER PROJECT

Over the last few weeks, gr 5 students have worked hard on an interactive mixed-media poster to showcase their understanding of how the lungs, heart, and stomach work—and how they connect with each other to keep us healthy.

This multi-step project included:

- 🧠 Building the Body Systems using 3D and mixed media materials to accurately represent each system's appearance and location in the body.
  - 💡 Highlighting Healthy Habits with at least five lifestyle choices per system, including both positive and negative habits.
  - 💬 Creating Cue Cards that explain each system's main job, how it works with the others, fun facts, and ways to care for it.
  - 🔗 Making Connections between systems using color codes, lines, or symbols to show how one habit can affect multiple parts of the body.
  - 👁️ Reflecting on Learning with thoughtful responses about their design choices, new understandings, and one healthy habit they want to try.
- We're incredibly proud of the creativity, collaboration, and critical thinking students demonstrated during this project. 🙌





COMING UP SOON

SPRING FAIR  
MARK YOUR CALENDAR

VOLUNTEER LINK BELOW  
[CLICK HERE](#)

30 MAY | WEST BAY | 4-7:00



KITTY GREY AND THE REALM OF COLOURS

KINDERGARTEN TO GRADE 3 PERFORMANCE

June 4th, 2025 | Matinee at 1:45 PM | Evening at 6:00 PM  
*(2 tickets per family will come home on 2nd June)*



RBC RACE FOR KIDS - 8 JUNE

GREAT NEWS!

We have reached our fundraising goal of \$1000!!! In fact, we have raised more! \$1437.00.

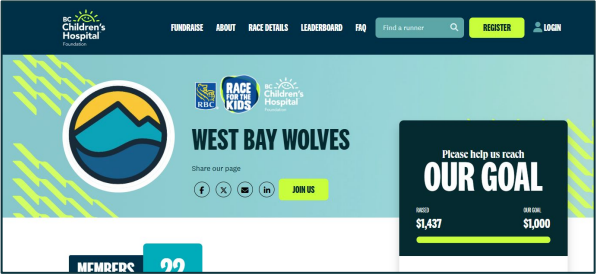
When we reach 30 members, we get special team perks!

We currently have 22 members; we are almost there!  
8 MORE MEMBERS!!! JOIN TODAY!

We are also on the SCHOOLS LEADERBOARD!! We are #8!!!

TO JOIN THE TEAM OR DONATE  
[CLICK HERE](#) - \$1,000 GOAL

Please check the WOLF regularly or contact Ms. Millhouse  
([cmillhouse@wvschools.ca](mailto:cmillhouse@wvschools.ca))



[Learner Profile](#)  
[2024-25 Programme of Inquiry](#)  
[Ways to Support Your Child as a PYP Parent](#)



STUDENT LEARNING

GENTLY DOWN THE SEYMOUR

*The importance of Salmon Conservation*

Grade 3 students recently had a great day of discovery in 3 stations during a Hatchery Tour to learn about the stages Salmon go through - they visited the different holding tanks for fish, explored the River Specimen Collection looking at invertebrates under microscopes, and completed a Stream Survey to measure the depth and width of the River, the size of salmon redds and observe to see if it was a healthy environment for fish to return to. *Thank you to parents who joined us and for driving and supervising a small group of students.*





## 2025-26 BAND PROGRAMS FOR GRADE 6 AND 7 STUDENTS



In 2025-2026, the supplemental fees for the Band Program are as follows:

**March 31 – May 31: \$390,  
As of June 1: \$425**

*Instrumental Playing Skills:*

*Students receive two lessons a week.*

*The Band Program provides school-based instrumental instruction and is funded by supplemental fees.*

**2025 – 2026 Online band registration form**

**[REGISTER HERE](#)**

## 2025-26 SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Thank you to everyone who ordered with EDUPAC before the deadline - all supplies will be delivered to school end August for start up in September.

If you chose to purchase your own supplies please ensure that you purchase everything on the lists below for your new grade. We will be setting up \$9 payments on SCO for school planners for Grades 1-6 ,who did not order with EDUPAC, at the end of June.

### KINDERGARTEN LIST

[GRADE 1 LIST](#)

[GRADE 2 LIST](#)

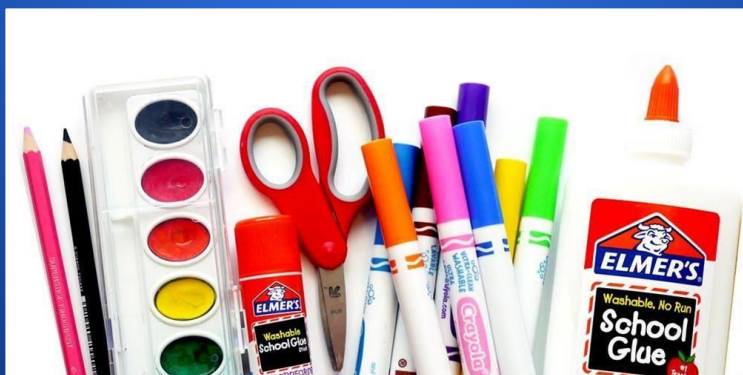
[GRADE 3 LIST](#)

[GRADE 4 LIST](#)

[GRADE 5 LIST](#)

[GRADE 6 LIST](#)

[GRADE 7 LIST](#)



## PIZZA FUNDRAISER

Grab a Rocky Mountain Pizza Kit while helping our Grade 7's celebrate their big milestone! Order now and help us raise some dough for grad! **Order link and details [HERE](#).**  
(order from 7-21 May)  
**Collection Wed 4 June - Gym**

**Pizza Fundraiser**

Up to 30% of Sales  
Go Directly to your School  
**START YOUR PIZZA ONLINE ORDER!**

<https://www.rockymountainflatbread.ca/fundraising-shop/>

**SOMETHING FOR ALL PIZZA LOVERS:**  
Home Pizza Making Kits  
Rocky Mountain Flatbread Restaurant Gift Cards  
Always NUT FREE . Gluten Free Options . Vegan Options

**SCHOOL FUNDRAISER FOR:** West Bay Elementary School  
**DATES ACCEPTING ONLINE ORDERS:** May, 7 – 21, 2025  
**LOCATION DATE & TIME FOR PICK UP:** Gym, June 4, 3 pm

## Fisherman's Market



Something's fishy and it's a fundraiser! Let's make a splash for West Bay's graduating class by supporting the Grade 7 students in an easy and delicious way! Order premium, locally sourced seafood online through the Fisherman's Market in Caulfield Village. It's simple, tasty and helps our grade 7's reel in a memorable graduation.

Ordering opens **May 19 to June 6**. Pick up in store.  
Thank you so much for your support!!

**[ORDER HERE](#)**

## CAR WASH THANK YOU



Thank you to all the parents who came out to support the Grade 7 Fundraising Car Wash on Saturday - they raised \$1700 for both their sister school's grad and their own celebrations

COMING UP IN JUNE

MARK YOUR CALENDAR  
SPORTS DAY - 13 JUNE - 12:15 DISMISSAL



Grade 7  
Promotional Ceremony  
24 JUNE

Kay Meek Theatre @  
1:00-2:30 PM

Students arrive with families  
for 12:30 PM

JUNE 2025

2 JUNE	Grade 6 Dose #2 Clinic and Catch Up Ks
4 JUNE	Primary Performance. K to Grade 3, 1:45 and 6:00
5 JUNE	District Track Meet, Gr 4-7
6 JUNE	WVYB at West Bay @ 09:15 AM K Students at West Bay Beach
10 JUNE	Gr 7 Band Performing at CP, 08:45 AM
13 JUNE	Sports Day - Dismissal at 12:15
16/17 JUNE	Division 7 Sailing
18/19 JUNE	Division 8 Sailing
18 JUNE	Gr 7 Ridge Wilderness Canoeing Field Trip
19 JUNE	Gr 6 and 7 Playland
20 JUNE	Grade 7 Band - Morning End of Year Performance Grade 2s to WB Beach
23 JUNE	Grade 1 Students to WB Beach
24 JUNE	Gr 7 Grad Ceremony, Kay Meek Theatre @ 1:00-2:30 PM Students arrive with families for 12:30 PM Grade 3 Students to WB Beach
25 JUNE	END OF YEAR ASSEMBLY
26 JUNE	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL - 11:45 DISMISSAL

HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

(END OF DAY 15 MAY - LAST CHANCE TO  
ORDER HOT LUNCH FOR REMAINDER OF  
TERM)

Monday (Foodie Kids/Aburi),  
Tuesday (Foodie Kids)  
Thursday (Foodie Kids/Panago)  
Friday (Foodie Kids)

LAST LUNCH THIS TERM IS  
20 JUNE, 2025



Returning Parents Order [Here](#)  
New Parents Order [Here](#)

CODE OF CONDUCT

25-26 YEAR IN A GLANCE CALENDAR  
(Coming Soon)

WEST BAY WEBSITE SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL CASH ONLINE

SCHOOL CASH INSTRUCTIONS

MYEDUCATION BC

2025-26 VCH VACCINATION PROCESS

VOLUNTEERS ARE A GIFT TO OUR  
COMMUNITY

If you are able to help out please sign up  
[HERE](#).





WEST BAY PAC

DPAC	24-25 EXEC	24-25 PAC
4 June, 09:00 AM		
	5 June, 7:00 PM	12 June, 7:00 PM

 PEDALHEADS

SPRING + SUMMER

BIKE, SOCCER, SWIM & TRAIL



FUNDRAISER

PEDALHEADS WILL DONATE \$25 TO YOUR SCHOOL PAC/CHURCH WITH EVERY CODE USED.

VALID FOR ANY PEDALHEADS PROGRAM IN BRITISH COLUMBIA UNTIL JUNE 30, 2025.

FOR FAMILIES OF WEST BAY ELEMENTARY

Use code **WESTBAY25** for \$25 off

pedalheads.com/british-columbia



West Bay PAC

WhatsApp group





West Bay Mandarin Speaking



DISTRICT/ COMMUNITY EVENTS

OPEN PARACHUTE

Open Parachute is a school program being used in West Vancouver classrooms in grades 6-9. It is one tool we are using to support social emotional learning.

This resource is also available to all parents and it is fantastic. Parents are strongly encouraged (no matter the age of your child) to sign up and create an account.

You will have access to short video clips and lessons to help equip parents to handle those emotional ups and downs that are inevitable.

To sign up for an account use this [link](#).

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Starting now, individual "Community Connections" will no longer be included in our school bulletins. Instead, all local programs, events, and resources will be found in one convenient location, accessible through a [single link](#)

WVBC Summer Camp Registration

REGISTER [HERE](#)

2025 WVBC Summer Camps

REGISTER NOW

WEEK 1 JULY 14-18

Entering Gr 2-4	Future Hoopsters	9:00am – 11:00am	WVSS Main Gym
Entering Gr 4-6	FUN-damentals	11:15pm – 1:15 pm	WVSS Main Gym
Entering Gr 7/8	Development	1:30pm – 3:30pm	WVSS Main Gym

WEEK 2 JULY 21-25

Entering Gr 4-6	FUN-damentals	9:00am – 11:00am	WVSS Main Gym
Entering Gr 7/8	Development	11:15pm – 1:15 pm	WVSS Main Gym
Entering Gr 8-10	High School Prep	1:30pm – 3:30pm	WVSS Main Gym

WEEK 3 AUGUST 11-15

Entering Gr 2-4	Future Hoopsters	9:00am – 11:00am	WVSS Main Gym
Entering Gr 4-6	FUN-damentals	11:15pm – 1:15 pm	WVSS Main Gym
Entering Gr 7/8	Development	1:30pm – 3:30pm	WVSS Main Gym

WEEK 4 AUGUST 18-22

Entering Gr 4-6	FUN-damentals	9:00am – 11:00am	WVSS Main Gym
Entering Gr 7/8	Shooting Camp	11:15pm – 1:15 pm	WVSS Main Gym
Entering Gr 9/10	Shooting Camp	1:30pm – 3:30pm	WVSS Main Gym

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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.

ROCKRIDGE SECONDARY

MUSIC DEPARTMENT PRESENTS

SOUNDS OF SPRING

6:30PM

THURSDAY, JUNE 5

ROCKRIDGE GYM

ADMISSION BY DONATION

