

Week At A Glance Feb 26, 2023

Hi Denman Families,

We have a busy week getting ready to share our learning with families at the Student-Led Conferences. Students are very excited for this special visit as they have chosen work and activities that they are proud of and are looking forward to sharing them with you. There are still many options for times to sign up on Tuesday afternoon.

Wednesday is going to be a fantastic day of site-based learning at the Cumberland Museum, No.6 Mine Park and Codes Bowling. Students should either take the bus as usual or meet at the ferry terminal by 8:20. The museum programming will focus on the history of Cumberland including Chinatown, forestry and mining. We will walk across the road to the No.6 Mine Park for a quick outdoor lunch before we head to the bowling alley. Please make sure your child has snacks and a lunch that is easy to eat outdoors. We will return on the 2pm ferry for a regular dismissal and bus run time.

This week's salad bar will be turkey and rice soup and a veggie option as well. Last week we made fresh apple juice and this week we hope to make some fruit leather with the left-over pulp combined with other delicious fruits.

PAC meeting tomorrow in the library at 4pm. We will go on a quick tour of the school and garden and then have the regular meeting after. Please look in your email for the ZOOM invite from the PAC.

This is the time of year it is good to know if families are thinking of making a change in their schooling for the 2023-24 school year. Please email myself, and Isabel (Isabel.elgueta@sd71.bc.ca) if you are changing or thinking of changing schools next year. See below for information about the ENTER eCademy at Aspen Park for grades 6 and 7.

Have a great week!
Yolanda Lehton, Vice-Principal

Upcoming events:

Ongoing Kindergarten Registration – see <https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/>

Monday Feb 27 – PAC meeting 4pm library or ZOOM

Tuesday Feb 28th – Student Led Conferences 12:30-2:30pm

Wednesday March 1 – Cumberland Museum, No.6 Mine Park and Codes Bowling – please catch the bus or meet at the ferry terminal by 8:20am

Tuesday March 14 (3.14) Pi Day! – A circle inspired day of Math focused activities plus pie...

Wednesday March 15 – Fillongley Field trip all day – activities include Spring foraging lessons, cooking Bannock on a fire and a beach clean up – looking for volunteers!

Thursday March 16 – Salad bar with locally foraged items yum!

Friday March 17 – St Patrick’s Day – wear green!

Spring Break – March 25 – April 10

First day back is Tuesday April 11

Enter the expanding world of technology! The eCademy of New Technology, Engineering and Robotics (**ENTER**) is a fast-paced, hands-on learning environment with a focus on how things work. **ENTER** explores the entire BC grades 6-7 curriculum through themes that include computer systems, digital game design and robotics.

The Expression of Interest for the ENTER program for the 2023/2024 school year (housed at Aspen Park Elementary) closes on February 28th. More information about the ENTER program can be found here: <https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/enter-programs/> or by contacting Aspen Park Elementary School (250-890-0944).

Expression of Interest Form: <https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/enter-e2-expression-of-interest-form/>