

Valley View Elementary School Newsletter



GO VALLEY
VIEW TIGERS
GO!



Principal's message

Good afternoon Valley View families,
Any parents wishing to volunteer to help us out at the track and field jamboree on Tuesday, please contact Mme Mowbray. We will need help running stations like long and high jump, for example. As long as you have your criminal record check completed, we'd love your help!
Next week we are celebrating Staff appreciation week. See below for fun ways your child can participate. Lastly, we will be running activities and workshops for Mental health awareness week.

Wishing you all a great weekend,
Madame Michelle Mowbray - May 3rd 2024



Next week:



Monday May 6

See page below for teacher and staff appreciation ideas

Tuesday May 7

Jamboree at Vanier track for grades 4-7 Busses leave Valley View at 9:00 am sharp.
Wear School spirit wear or school colours

Wednesday May 8

Thursday May 9

Drop in for parents/guardians 8:00-9:00am for Comox Valley Child Development presentation in library
Grade 6 Entrepreneur fair afternoon- all students will be attending and items will cost between \$1 and \$10


Ice cream/popsicle sales after school
Gr. 7 fundraiser for next year's grade 7 camp

Friday May 10

Happy Mother's Day this weekend!

Valley View Teacher & staff **APPRECIATION WEEK**

Dear students and families,
We will be celebrating our teacher and staff appreciation week starting May 6th. Below is an itinerary of daily events along with a suggestion of ways you can contribute to the fun of showering our teachers and staff with the appreciation they deserve! These are simply suggestions and are optional. Thank you!



MONDAY, MAY 6


Teachers, EAs and staff are **NOTEWORTHY!** Write your teacher and a staff member a note (or draw them a picture) to show how they have impacted your life this year!

TUESDAY, MAY 7



School spirit

Show your school spirit and wear your Valley View gear or something orange and black **Go Tigers!**



WEDNESDAY, May 8

Flower power or Fist bump!


Bring in a single flower for your teacher. Buy it, pick it or create it! **OR** give a fist bump to a staff member in the hallways and outdoors

THURSDAY, MAY 9



Sweet treat or sweet comment!

Students are welcome to bring a small, sweet treat for their teacher! **OR** give a staff member a sweet compliment!



FRIDAY, MAY 10

What is your **teacher's super power**? Every staff member will have a poster up on their door or near the front office. Students are encouraged to write a note to let them know how awesome they are!



SUPER!



Mental Health

AWARENESS WEEK AT VALLEY VIEW

We have a number of community partners presenting to students next week like the Foundry, the CVCDA and SD71 Inclusive Education as well as special guest readers. This year's theme is compassion and focuses on the healing power of kindness and connection.

YOU'RE INVITED TO MEET WITH THE COMOX
VALLEY CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTRE
REPRESENTATIVES. THEY WILL BE AT THE
VALLEY VIEW LIBRARY BETWEEN 8-9AM ON
THURSDAY MAY 9TH.

[HTTPS://WWW.CVCDA.CA/](https://www.cvcda.ca/)

Come join us for a breakfast treat and learn more about the CVDC





ENTREPRENEUR FAIR

THURSDAY MAY 9TH

**Come and check out our Grade 6 Businesses
Items range from \$1 to \$10**



**From 12:30-2:20 Multi Purpose Room, Mr. B's and
Mrs. McDonald classrooms and the blue pod**

PLAYGROUND DESIGNS SURVEY



Students have been contemplating and voting on their favorite of 8 different playground designs.

If you'd like to have a look at the designs, click here:

<https://forms.office.com/r/r26vfGMQ0S>

DISTRICT NEWS

FOR COMOX VALLEY
FAMILIES

Connect & Learn

IN PERSON EVENTS FOR PARENTS & CAREGIVERS
IN COMOX VALLEY

Parenting When Anxiety Shows Up as Anger

Speaker: Karen Peters, Registered Clinical Counsellor

Wednesday, May 22

6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Mark Isfeld Secondary (Multipurpose Room)

Join us to watch a 40-minute video with an expert speaker and to talk with other families about what helps. Hosted by Family Peer Support Workers.

Registration Required: familysmart.ca/events

Questions? carolyn.mccarthy@familysmart.ca / 250-890-2391



DISTRICT NEWS

Mark R. Isfeld Interact club

TOY DRIVE

**New or
used toys**



**Donate your toys
for those in need**

**Donation boxes to
collect the toys
will be around the
community from**

May 10-28



**WE'LL HAVE A COLLECTION BOX AT VALLEY VIEW!
THANK YOU.**

Around Valley View



Some of our classes learned about Metis history and culture from Metis guest presenter Ms. Young

