

VALLEY VIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Valley View Family Newsletter May 30th, 2025

We are welcoming our former VP, Ms Yolanda Lehton, back to Valley View in the fall. She will continue as our Vice principal. We look forward to working with her again soon.

Schools throughout BC are invited to take part in the province wide **Bike to School Week from June 2–June 6**. Bike, walk or scooter to school all next week if you can.

Thank you to everyone who supported our school and grade 7 fundraising efforts this year. Below is Delaney who won the "principal for a day" auction prize. We had a lot of fun!



Pride week June 2-6: SOGI education promotes understanding and respect for diversity. It helps reduce bullying and discrimination, creating a safer and more welcoming environment for all students. Next week, we are celebrating Pride week at Valley View through a variety of fun activities including a Skittles guessing game and dress like a Rainbow day on Thursday.





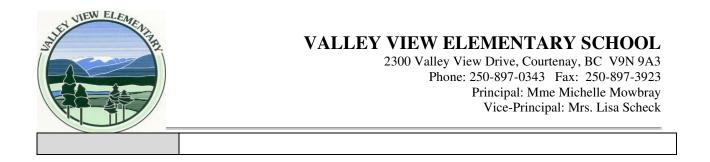
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Here are a few items for your consideration for the two weeks:

Mon, June 2	Bike to school week!
Tue, June 3	Salad bar for all
Wed, June 4	Plant sale after school with Mrs Montess – front of school Proceeds help fund the garden club
Thurs, June 5	Soup & bun for all School-wide Dress like a Rainbow Day with prizes for most colourful and creative
Fri, June 6	Freezie sale after school (grade 7 fundraiser)

Mon, June 9	
Tue, June 10	Salad bar for all
Wed, June 11	Internation Play Day at Valley View! "Choose Play Every Day" a reminder of the powerful role play holds in supporting children's development, well-being, and joyful learning. Grade 7's leave for Camp Homewood
Thurs, June 12	Soup & bun for all
Fri, June 13	Grade 7s are back



Upcoming dates:

Friday, June 20th: Indigenous Peoples Day Celebration & Fun day (Bannock truck!) Monday, June 23: School wide beach day. More info to come. Tuesday, June 24 10:40 Grade 7 leaving ceremony Thursday, June 26 – LAST morning of school. Dismissal at 11:45am.

Community News:

Greetings Comox Valley families!

I am happy to announce that our summer camps are running again this summer! If you want your kids to stay active for summer, we have just the place for them! All camps welcome beginners and will be split according to levels and age and ability.

July 7-10 - Acrobatics/intro capoeira with special guest teacher Lucas Ley!

July - 14-17th - Brazilian Percussion Camp. Learn Brazilian rhythms and make your own shaker (Ganza)!

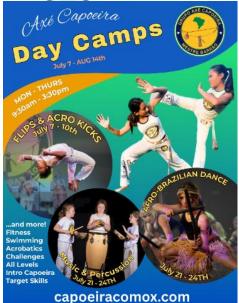
July 21-24th - Afro-Brazilian Dance! - learn Basket dance and Afro! Perform with us at Nautical Days!

Aug 11-14 - skills sharpening strikes and take downs. All levels including beginner martial artists welcome as well as kids who train other martial arts!



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*The Comox Valley Volleyball Camp is July 7th-10th this summer. It is for grades 5 and older. Please contact Brian at <u>bdstevens@hotmail.com</u> for more information.

Junior Academy – Crown Isle – click on the link for more information

Wishing you a pleasant weekend,

Michelle Mowbray - Principal – Valley View Elementary

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