

## VALLEY VIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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### Valley View Family Newsletter December 13th, 2025

Happy December Families,

We totally Filled the Truck on Friday! The very generous families and staff donated almost 1000 items to the food bank on Friday including over \$650! Division 11 was the class with most donations 205 items! with almost double the 2<sup>nd</sup> place class, Div 5 with a commendable 109 items. Well done Team Valley View! Thank you all so much for making this holiday season brighter for so many people in our community. If you missed this donation drive but would still like to help, you can donate to the foodbank directly: [donate@comoxvalleyfoodbank.ca](mailto:donate@comoxvalleyfoodbank.ca) Or on their website: <https://comoxvalleyfoodbank.ca/donate/>

The Snowball Dance is coming up this Wednesday from 5-7 and if you missed the pizza orders, no worries, there will be some slices available for purchase. We will also be selling candy bags, glow items, beverages and cool photos. See the poster below for more information.

Lastly, the grade 7 parents have started an account at the bottle depot for donations towards the student's year end trip to Camp Homewood. When you return your bottles this season, consider donating the deposits using either the QR code below or using the account: Valley View Elementary Grade 7 grad fundraiser. Thanks!

Have a lovely week!

Yolanda Lehton, Acting Principal

### PAC updates:

#### Snowball Dance

Wednesday December 17th

**5:00pm-7:00pm**

There will be facepainting, a photo booth, and lots of dancing. Candy bags, glow sticks, glow wands, and rings will be available for purchase. There will be a limited amount of pizza by the slice and water available as well.

We are also looking for volunteers for the Snowball Dance and parents can sign up through this link <https://volunteersignup.org/FF9PB>

### Upcoming dates of note:

Tuesday, Dec 16<sup>th</sup> – Tinsel Tuesday

Wednesday, Dec 17 – Snowball Dance 5:00-7:00

Friday, Dec 19<sup>th</sup> - Festive Friday

Friday, Dec 19 – Month End assembly and sing-a-long 10:45am, last day before Winter Break



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# Valley View Elementary SNOWBALL DANCE

17

DECEMBER

5:00-7:00 PM

### FOOD - MUSIC - DANCE - FACE PAINTING

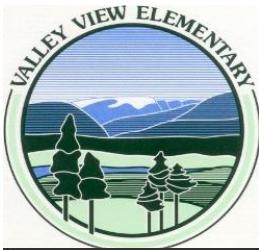
*Family Event - Students must be accompanied  
by parents/guardians*

Pre-Order Your Pizza Until  
Dec. 12th!

Cash Sales:

- glow sticks, wands and rings
- candy bags
- pizza by the slice (limited)
- photo booth (\$10)





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# GRADE 7 CAMP HOMewood

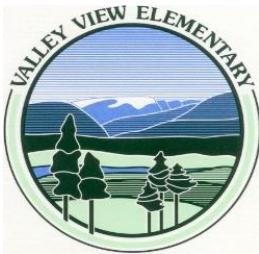
## RETURN-IT BOTTLE FUNDRAISER

THE NEXT TIME YOU ARE DONATING BOTTLES AND CANS, PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING THEM TO OUR FUNDRAISER FOR CAMP HOMewood! PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE! THANK YOU FOR THE SUPPORT!

YOU CAN ALSO RETURN BOTTLES IN PERSON: ASK TO DONATE TO THE VALLEY VIEW ELEMENTARY GRADE 7 GRAD FUNDRAISER!

SCAN THIS QR CODE AND USE THE RETURN IT APP!





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## Comox Valley Schools Kindergarten & Program Registration 2026/2027 School Year Opens Soon!

### Neighbourhood Kindergarten

- Registration opens January 20, 2026
- \*\*Most families will register at their neighbourhood school

### Other Programs

- French Immersion – Ecole Robb Road and Ecole Puntledge Park
- Montessori – Queneesh and Courtenay
- Indigenous K/1 – Aspen Park and École Puntledge Park
- ENTER K-7 – Aspen Park
- Pathways Learning Community K-5 – Airport Elementary

\*\*Expressions of Interest Open January 13-16

### Late French Immersion

- Ecole Puntledge Park

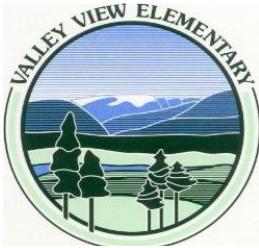
\*\*Expression of Interest open Jan. 26-30



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[COMOXVALLEYSCHOOLS.CA/STUDENT-REGISTRATION](http://COMOXVALLEYSCHOOLS.CA/STUDENT-REGISTRATION)



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## SANTA'S WORKSHOP

IS NOW MAKING APPOINTMENTS



FOR THOSE WHO ARE IN NEED OF GIFTS THIS

CHRISTMAS

FOR THEIR CHILDREN

**AGES NEWBORN TO 15 YEARS**



CALL 250-871-7273

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

NOVEMBER HOURS: 10:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

DECEMBER HOURS: 9:30 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.



OR VISIT THE WORKSHOP

2967 Kilpatrick Ave, Courtenay

(The old Mr.Pets)



Our Boundaries are  
Oyster River to the north  
And Cook Creek to the South



LAST SHOPPING DAY: December 19<sup>th</sup> 2025