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Office hours are 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

THIS IS AN IMPORTANT NOTICE. PLEASE HAVE SOMEONE TRANSLATE IT 這是一份重要通告,請找人爲你翻譯。 중요 공지 – 영어를 읽지 못하시는 분은 번역을 부탁하십시오.



Reminders/Calendar

June 3	All library books due back
June 4	Volunteer Appreciation Tea 2PM
June 12	PAC AGMMeeting at 6PM in Library
June 20	Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony 4:45PM
June 21	No Friday assembly this week
June 25	Beach Day
June 26	Year End/Farewell Assembly 9AM
June 27	Last Day of School for Students
June 28	Administrative Day-No School for students

Office will be open July 2nd and 3rd.

QUOTE OF THE MONTH

Whatever you are, be a good one.-Abraham Lincoln

We live, work and learn on the traditional lands of the Musqueam, Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh Coast Salish people.

We wish to acknowledge the history of our neighborhood and community as we have all benefited from the richness of their teachings.

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

And just like that it's June! Please read through the information in this newsletter carefully-there is information about school fees for next year, summer camps for students, and procedures to follow in case of a late return to school in the fall. Please remember to inform the school if you are planning to move over the summer. We look forward to a happy, exciting month and wish you all the best no matter what your summer plans are. See you in September! With respect, Bruce

Hastings Branch library invites your child to participate in the 2019 BC Summer Reading Club: Imagine the Possibilities!

Registration is free and starts at the library as of June 21. Children receive a reading record to help keep track of their summer reading fun. And, if they complete the program, they'll be awarded a medal at the end of the summer!

Regular reading through the summer helps children maintain or improve reading skills while school is out. When they join the BC Summer Reading Club, children are encouraged to read whatever they wish (story books, information books, even comic books!), in whatever language they feel most comfortable. They can also listen to someone else read or tell stories.

BC Summer Reading Club is brought to you by the British Columbia Library Association, with funding from the Libraries Branch, BC Ministry of Education, and the RBC Foundation. For more information, and to learn about our other free summer activities for kids, please contact the Hastings Branch library at 2674 East Hastings Street. You may also visit the BC Summer Reading Club Kids' website at www.bcsrc.ca.

Happy reading!





YMCA of Greater Vancouver

Summer Camps

Plans for the summer? Summer is a time for kids to be kids! At the YMCA, summer campers will spend fun-filled days engaged in a variety of activities including sports, arts and crafts, field trips, making new friends, and much more! We have a Day Camp located at Chief Maquinna Elementary this summer! For more information or to register visit gv.ymca.ca/camps

PAC MEETING DATES

All PAC meetings are at 6pm in our school library.

• June 12, 2019 AGM

SCHOOL FEES 2019-20

2019-20 General School Fees

The Vancouver School Board will continue its service of purchasing basic school supplies in bulk at wholesale prices and passing the cost savings on to families. The School Supply Fee for 2019-2020 will rise to \$35.00 per student.

This fee covers basic consumable school supplies used for students' personal use such as paper, writing tools, glue sticks, erasers, exercise books and art supplies. Supplies are provided for the full year.

Please remember that Maquinna charges a \$5 planner fee for most students and requests a \$15 performance fee from all students in addition to the \$35 general school fee, **for a total of \$55.**

Sometimes summer holiday plans extend into September. It is extremely important for the school to have an accurate number count of students at the beginning of the school year. If you are planning on returning to school after September 4, please fill out the attached form and return to the office before the end of the school year

2019 NOTICE OF LATE RETURN FORM

This form is to be completed for any student expecting to return to school LATER THAN noon on **Tuesday**, **September 3, 2019** but prior to **September 27, 2019**.

Please note: If the school cannot verify your child's attendance at school <u>by</u> <u>noon on Wednesday, September 4th, 2018</u>, your child's space will be given to another student on the school's waitlist.

The School Phone is 604-713-4705. The school email is maquinna@vsb.bc.ca

PLEASE PRINT				
Dear Principal:				
My child(ren) will be attending NOT be in attendance in the your school for my child(re		on on Tuesday, S	School for the 2018 September 3, 2019.	3-2019 school year, but will Please reserve a space in
		, in Grade	(Sept. 2019)	
Last Name	First Name			
		, in Grade	(Sept. 2019)	
Last Name	First Name			
		, in Grade	(Sept. 2019)	
Last Name	First Name			
The expected DATE OF RET	URN for our child	(ren) is		
Reason for late return:				
Please note: Space will not	be held beyond S	September 27, 20	19.	
Father's Name:		_		
Mother's Name:				
Or Legal Guardian's Name: _				
Address:				
Home Phone:		Day Phone (F	·)	
Fax:		Day Phone (M	Λ)	
Date:	Parent :	Signature:		

SCHOOL CALENDAR - 2019/20

September

3 First Day of School – Students Attend (10:00 to 11:00 am) **K Students DO NOT ATTEND.**

Parent Meet and Greet Administration in Gym (10:00 to 11:00 am)

- 6 Welcome Back Assembly (9 am)
- 20 Terry Fox Run
- 23 Professional Development Day #1 NO SCHOOL
- 30 Orange Shirt Day



October

- 2 & 3 Early Dismissal (2:00 pm) Goal Setting
- 11 Walk-a-thon 1:00 PM
- 14 Thanksgiving Day NO SCHOOL
- 15 Individual /Class/Panorama Photo Day
- 25 Professional Development Day #2 NO
- 31 Halloween Activities and Dance



Conferences

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November

- 6 Photo Retakes
- 7 Remembrance Day Assembly (10:45 am)
- 8 Professional Development Day #3 NO SCHOOL
- 11 Remembrance Day NO SCHOOL



December

- 18 Winter Concert (1:30PM)
- 19 Winter Concert (6:00PM)
- 20 Last Day of Classes before Winter Break



WINTER BREAK - December 22 to January 6

January

- 6 First Day Back To School after Winter Break
- 25 Lunar New Year

February

- 14 Professional Day #4-NO SCHOOL
- 17 Family Day NO SCHOOL
- 27 Pink T-Shirt Day



March

- 4 & 5 Early Dismissal (2:00pm)-Conferences
- 6 Professional Day #5-NO SCHOOL
- 13 Last Day of Classes before Spring Break

SPRING BREAK – March 16 to 20 - SCHOOL CLOSURE DAYS – March 23 to 27



<u>April</u>

10 Good Friday – NO SCHOOL 13 Easter Monday – NO SCHOOL

<u>May</u>

14 Sports Day

15 Curriculum Day-NO SCHOOL

20 Victoria Day – NO SCHOOL

<u>June</u>

18 Grade 7 Farewell Ceremony

24 Year End Assembly

25 Last Day of Classes for Students

26 Administrative Day – School Closes



Please remember that there may be changes and/or additions to our calendar during the year. heck your newsletters and notices for additional information. You may also subscribe to the online ccale on our website for instant updates.

BELL SCHEDULE 2019-20

Welcoming Bell	8:57 am
Morning Session	9:00 - 10:50am
Recess	10:50 – 11:05am
Morning Session	11:05 - 12:00 pm
Lunch	12:00 – 12:47 pm
Afternoon Session	1:00 - 3:00 pm
Final Bell (Supervision Ends)	3:20 pm



