



Tyee Elementary Newsletter

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Dear Tyee Families,

This week our school was filled with creativity, movement, and meaningful learning as students took part in fun Earth Day activities. Found art projects, colorful sidewalk chalk, and a lively music assembly created a joyful atmosphere throughout the school. We were also honoured to welcome a dance performance by the Dancers of Damelahamid, supporting our commitment to reconciliation and Indigenous learning.

As we look ahead, please note that next week we will have early dismissal at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday to support our Student-Led Conferences. If you did not receive an email invitation to sign up for a conference time, please reach out to your child's teacher. We are also excited to host the Scholastic Book Fair after school on Wednesday and Thursday. As part of our school safety safeguards, the Book Fair will be cashless, with credit and debit card payments available.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support and partnership.

Tyee Staff ❤️

With deep gratitude and respect, we are honoured to be learning and unlearning on the ancestral and unceded lands of the x^wməθk^wəyəm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish Nation) & səliwətaʔ (Tsleil-Waututh Nation).

Information Items:

1. VSB Earthquake Drill, Radio Drill, and Student Reunification - Tye Elementary May 2026

Click link for form:

[VSB Earthquake Drill, Radio Drill, and Student Reunification - Tye Elementary May 2026 – Fill out form](#)

2. Scholastic Book Fair



3. Summer Learning Opportunity:

VSB Vancouver School Board

SUMMER LEARNING 2026

ELEMENTARY PROGRAM REGISTRATION BEGINS
Thurs. April 30, 2026 at noon

SECONDARY PROGRAM REGISTRATION BEGINS
Thurs. May 7, 2026 at noon

Elementary Programs: July 7 to July 24, 2026
Secondary Review/Preview/Remedial/ELL Programs: July 7 to July 31, 2026
Secondary Completion Programs: July 7 to August 7, 2026

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Upcoming Dates

- April 29th - Student Led Conference Day (Early Dismissal at 2:00 p.m.)
- April 30th - Student Led Conference Day (Early Dismissal at 2:00 p.m.)
- April 29th/April 30th - Scholastic Book Fair at Tyee
- May 5th - Track Meet (GR 3, 4, 5) - Van Tech
- May 7th – Districtwide Earthquake and Reunification Drill
- May 8th – PAC Spring Fair
- May 11th – 14th – Ingrid Science Week (PAC Sponsored)
- May 12th - Track Meet (GR 6, 7) Van Tech
- May 29, June 5/8, 12, and 19 – Coding Workshops Grades 4-7
- May 20th – Caps Soccer Lessons Grades K-7
- May 21st - Track Meet (GR 3, 4, 5) - Van Tech
- May 22nd – Tyee Talent Show
- May 26th - Track Meet (GR 6, 7) - Van Tech
- June 3rd – Track and Field Zone Meet Grades 3-7 @ Van Tech Secondary School
- June 4th – On Our Way to K
- June 4th – Swangard Track and Field Meet Grades 4 - 7
- June 5th – Games Day
- June 8th – 11th – Ultimate Frisbee Lessons (PAC Sponsored)
- June 10th – Parent Appreciation Event
- June 19th – Grade 7 Farewell
- June 24th – Summary of Learning Reports emailed home
- June 25th – Last Day of School

PAC Weekly Update

1. Thanks for Helping Us Say Thanks!

Last week, the PAC was able to show appreciation for our wonderful teachers and support staff members by delivering some delicious treats from Commercial Street Cafe. This is one of many PAC initiatives made possible by your generous support through Montessori Student Donations and other fundraising campaigns. Thank you to our teachers and staff, and thank you to Tyee families!

2. Spring Fair Count-down!

Excitement is in the air: only two weeks till the [Tyee Spring Fair!](#)

In preparation for the big event on May 8th, we are continuing to collect jolly jars as well as donations for the silent auction, rummage sale and tombola. And if you are able to volunteer, we would love to hear from you! Please email rebeccawmcinnes@gmail.com.

MAKE A JOLLY JAR FOR THE SPRING FAIR

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Decorate a clean jar from your recycling bin using glass paints, stickers, gems, glitter, fabric, yarn, beads, tissue paper or decorative tape. The sky's the limit! You can't be too creative!



Fill your jar with NEW or UN-USED objects of your choice.

- Craft items: buttons, coloured tape, stickers, beads, sparkles
- Self care: lip gloss, face masks, bath salts
- Homemade edibles: hot chocolate ingredients, cookie mix, unpopped popcorn & flavours
- Gardening: seeds, plant markers, small bag of soil
- Deck of cards, dice, rules to games
- Fairy garden supplies
- Practical jokes: Whoopie cushion, fake poop and booklet of jokes
- Classic toys: jacks, tops, bouncy balls

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