Maple Grove Elementary News



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Weekly Communication from MG School and PAC to Parents, Students, and Staff

Important Upcoming Dates

Thursday, June 19

- Div 4,6 Field Trip
- Div 19
- Primary Picnic

Monday, June 23

- Gr 7 Graduation
- Willow Pod to MG Park

Tuesday, June 24

- Willow Pod Field Trip
- Div 1,2,17 to Kits Beach

Staff Appreciation Lunch

Thank you for making the MG staff feel wonderful. On behalf of the staff, we extend our heartfelt gratitude for the amazing lunch you provided.

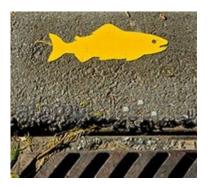
A special thank you goes to Grade 7 parent Cliff for taking on the role of

head chef. Your culinary skills were greatly appreciated.

Also a special thank you to the parent helpers and chefs for their constant and consistent hard work.

You all made our staff feel special.

Yellow Fish Program at MG



During the past few months, Grade 7 students from Division 1 participated in a water pollution project. They learned about wastewater and green rainwater infrastructure, made presentations to City staff, and performed a number of activities around the school connected to water protection.

They painted yellow fish symbols next to catch basins as part of the Yellow Fish Program, collected a total of 156 pieces of litter from nearby streets, located storm drains, and analyzed how to make the area more rain friendly.

The students put in a lot of hard work and they came up with many great ideas. Awesome job, students!

See next page for photos.

Maple Grove Indigenous Plant Garden Digital Book Intermediate Outdoor Education students have been working on a field guide featuring the native plants in our Indigenous Plant Garden along the Arbutus Greenway. The guide includes student illustrations and information about each plant, its

traditional uses, lifecycle, habitat, and ecological relationships. You can view a digital version of the guide book here: <u>https://drive.google.com/file/</u> <u>d/1heFZisx5HZ8HhGPBtZRbaSdMNQb</u> <u>6lvdm/view?usp=sharing</u>



Maple Grove Elementary Newsletter

Happiest Day on Earth: Sports Day Wednesday, June 25 from 8:45 am to 2:00 pm Sports Day, the Happiest Day on Earth, will be on **Wednesday, June 25** from 8:45am - 2pm. Parents and families are welcome to cheer and watch.

If you are unable to pick your child (ren) up at 2pm, they can be picked up from the Library at 3:00 pm. By popular demand, order your pizza for Sports Day!



To order, clink on link: <u>https://</u> www.schoolcashonline.com/

Magee Strings Program for September— Reminder



For current grade 5 and 6 students (September grade 6 and 7 students, you are welcome to join the Elementary School

✔ Orchestra at Magee with Mr. Quan.

There will be two streams: one for beginners and one students who have played 1 year or more. Please look for an email in your Inbox.



Staff Appreciation Luncheon





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		Div 4,5 to UBC	Div 5 Field Trip	Div 4 Quilchena	PAC Meeting at	
		Willow Pod Bike Week Begins	Student Council Spring Fair	Park	9:15 am New VP Visit	
			Gr 7 Ultimate at Carnarvon		Div 1,2 to MG Park	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Grade 7 Visit to Magee	Div 9 Field Trip	Div 6 Field Trip	Div 16 Stanley Park	
			Grade 7 Camp	Grade 7 Camp	Div 7,8,10,11 Workshop	
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Volunteer Tea	Gr 7 Ultimate Game Day	Div 24 Spring Tea	Div 4,6 Field Trip		
	Student Council Party		Staff	Div 19 Play		
			Appreciation Lunch	Primary Picnic		
			Div 18,20 Play			
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Grade 7 Grad	Willow Pod	Sports Day	Last Day of	Admin Day—	
	Willow Pod to	Field Trip	Report Cards	School	No School for	
	MG Park	Div 1,2,17 to Kits Beach	Go Home		Students	



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Absences: 604-713-5159 (Code 48) Please state reason for absence



No School for students

Professional Day - Staff only

(2:00) 2:00 p.m. Dismissal - P/T Conference

September

Tue, 3 - First Day of School
Fri, 20 - Professional Day (No School)
Mon, 30- National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Day (No School)

October

Mon, 14 - Thanksgiving Day (No School) Mon, 21 - Parent-Teacher Conference (2:00 pm dismissal)

Wed, 23 - Parent-Teacher Conference (2:00 pm dismissal)

Fri, 25 - Professional Day (No School)

November

Mon, 11 - Remembrance Day (No School) Fri, 22 - Professional Day

December

Mon, 16 - Written Update Goes Home Mon, Dec 23 to Fri, Jan, 3 - Winter Vacation (No School)

January

Mon, 6 - Back to School Wed, 15 - Professional Day (No School)

February

Fri, 14 - Professional Day (No School) Mon, 17 - Family Day (No School)

March

Mon, 10 - Written Update Goes Home Mon, 17 to Fri, 28 - Spring Break (No School)

Mon, 31 - Back to School

April

Fri, 18 - Good Friday (No School)

Mon, 21 - Easter Monday (No School) Tue, 22 - Parent-Teacher Conference (2:00

pm dismissal) **Thu, 24** - Parent-Teacher Conference (2:00

pm dismissal)

Mon, 28 - Professional Day (No School)

May

Mon, 19 - Victoria Day (No School)

June

Wed, 25 - Summary of Learning Goes Home
Thu, 26 - Last Day for Students
Fri, 27 - Administrative Day (No School)

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June 2025

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