



LORD BYNG WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sept 28 – Oct 2, 2026

Monday Sept 28	Tuesday Sept 29	Wednesday Sept 30	Thursday Oct 1	Friday Oct 2
8:40-3:00 FIT AM	8:40-3:00 NO FIT (Wednesday bell schedule) Orange Shirt Day P3 Grade 9-12 Assembly in Main Gym Gr 12 Parent Night 7pm Auditorium	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation School is not in session	8:40-3:00 FIT PM	8:40-3:00 FIT AM

National Day for Truth & Reconciliation

From the VSB's Indigenous Education Department: *Sept 30 is a day of reflection, remembrance, and learning. It provides an opportunity to acknowledge the lasting impacts of the residential school system and to honour the strength, resilience, and experiences of First Nations, Inuit, and Métis Peoples. A powerful symbol of the day is the orange shirt, inspired by the story and advocacy of Phyllis Webstad and the message that Every Child Matters.* We look forward to gathering on Tuesday for a performance by the Dancers of Damelahamid.

From our Athletic Director

Kevin Sandher oversees Athletics at Byng—all extracurricular sports teams. He will be publishing a bi-weekly message with updates. [Here's the first](#) of the year.

Van Tech Parent Night Invite

Van Tech Secondary is hosting a free parent education event featuring **The White Hatter**, a Canadian expert in digital literacy, internet safety, and youth online behaviour. Mon, Sept 28 at 7pm in the Van Tech Auditorium. They've extended the invite to parents across the district. To reserve your spot please [RSVP here](#).

Photo Retakes

Advanced notice. These are on Oct 8. Students wanting a retake must give their original ID card to the photographer on the day.

Forms

If you've not yet completed the on-line consent forms, please visit <https://myforms.vsb.bc.ca/>. You'll need your child's PEN and birthdate to provide consent for the forms. Included in the body of the email we sent on September 3rd is your child's PEN number.

We are asking again because our Terry Fox run is coming up on Oct 9. In order to participate, students need a completed Neighbourhood Walk consent form, one of the forms above. Thank you

Grade 12 Parent Night

Counsellors are presenting a session Tuesday at 7pm in the auditorium: Grade 12 and beyond. They review a lot of relevant information about post-secondary and the grade 12 year.

Reminder from the VPD:



Byng Parent Grad Committee

If you are interested in volunteering please attend our first meeting: **Tuesday October 6th at 7pm in the Lord Byng library.**

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