

SPUL'U'KWUKS NEWS

We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the **hən̓ q̓ əm̓n̓ əm̓** (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live.

Administration (Vice Principal) Change for 2025-2026

We will have a Vice Principal change at Spul'u'kwuks for next year. Mrs. Slinn will be moving to Garden City Elementary as the Vice Principal. She will finish the school year with us and begin at her new school in August. We thank her for all her contributions to Spul'u'kwuks and wish her the best at her new school!

In August, we will welcome Mr. Colin Chan to Spul'u'kwuks as our new Vice Principal. Mr. Chan is currently the Vice Principal at Anderson Elementary. We look forward to a visit from Mr. Chan in July.



Pocket Forest Planting!

Thank you once again for your support of the Pocket Forest Project! We are excited to let you know that on Thursday, May 15, our students will participate in planting the pocket forest. The project is being supported by the City of Richmond and the Garden City Conservation Society. We appreciate the work of the Pocket Forest Committee (Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Toy, and Ms. Mei - District Consultant) and the support of the Spul'u'kwuks staff, students, and families! Please see the Planting Day Information at the end of this newsletter to see reminders for students and how families can participate.



Dates for your Calendar


- May 16: Professional Day (no school for students)
- May 19: Victoria Day Holiday (school closed)
- May 20: Young Actors' Project lessons begin and run to mid June in individual classes
- May 23: Burnett Gr. 7 Orientations
- May 26: Track Meet at Minoru
- May 27-29: Scholastic Book Fair in Library
- May 30: Welcome to Kindergarten
- May 30: Burnett Volleyball Tournament

Please find attached the Dates of Significance for May 2025





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Pre-Orders will be delivered to classrooms on Monday, May 12.

After school on Monday, bags will be sold for \$3/each.

On Tuesday at lunch, outside Mrs. Myers' class, smaller bags will be sold for \$3 each or two for \$5.

PLANTING DAY INFO

Thursday, May 15th

Reminders for Students	
	Bring your own bottle for some "Squeeze-of-Thanks" lemonade! Div. 16 and 13 will provide refreshments!
	Change of clothing
	Shoes that can get dirty (boots encouraged)
	Hat
	Sunglasses
	Sunscreen and/or bug spray



We will provide gloves, but if you have your own, please feel free to bring them!

Adult Caregivers,
Stop by the North -side of the Tennis Courts **after 2:45pm, Thursday, May 15th** to **help** plant and mulch and/or see our NEWLY planted Pocket Forest!



Kajaks Track and Field Club Elementary Track and Field Championships are open to any interested Grade 3-7 students on May 23-25.

Students can register directly at:

<https://www.kajaks.ca/bcec>

Interested students
should register
DIRECTLY with
BCIS

BCIS IS BACK FOR THE 3RD YEAR & ITS TIME ONCE AGAIN TO REPRESENT YOUR SCHOOL AT CHESS

MAY 31ST - JUNE 1ST, 2025
BC INTER-SCHOOL JUNIOR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2025

EVENT INFO

- Grade 1-4: Rapid (6 rounds)
- Grade 5-8: Classical (6 rounds)
- Grade 9-12: Blitz (12 rounds)
- CFC Rated Tournament

Location: HD Stafford Middle School
20441 Grade Crescent, Langley, BC V3A 4J8

SCAN TO REGISTER/ DETAILS



- TOP 4 WINNERS BY SECTION
- BEST UNRATED PLAYER BY SECTION
- BEST FEMALE PLAYER BY SECTION
- BEST SCHOOL BY SECTION
- BEST OVERALL SCHOOL (COMBINED)
- BEST OVERALL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION

Students can register directly/ via their School.

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