



From the Raven's Nest...

for Friday, May 15, 2026

Looooong Weekends...

It was great to welcome all the future Ravens to our district transition afternoon on Thursday. Middle School years are so short, but also impactful, and that is amplified as our Grade 8's visit and start their transition to high school.

I also know it is a long weekend as tomorrow we have our Pro D Day and then Monday is the Victoria Day holiday. For many of you there are likely many different activities, that may include sports games, camping trips, the Highland Games or the Victoria Day parade, that will keep students busy over the weekend. We hope everyone can find some time to rest as this is the last break as we push through to the end of the year. We only have six weeks left of school and those six weeks will be packed full of activities to wrap up the year. I know it is a time to celebrate the progress people have made this year so there will be a variety of activities so please watch these updates as well as the individual notices sent home to families.



What's happening in a few weeks at Rockheights:

Monday, May 18th - VICTORIA DAY HOLIDAY

Tuesday, May 19th

- Pizza day - Preorder using www.schoolcashonline.com
- Gr 7/8 Volleyball games at lunch
- Running Clinic after school for all students signed up for running events in Track and Field

Wednesday, May 20th

- Relay, Shot Put and Discus Practice at lunch
- Grade 8 students to Camosun
- Volleyball Clinic after school for all interested students

Thursday, May 21st

- SUBWAY day for those that pre-ordered
- Long Jump practice after school

Friday, May 22nd -

- Div 9 and 10 to Interactive Board Game Café
- Relay Practice at Lunch

Looking Further Ahead:

May 25 – Classes go to PISE

Third Track Meet of the year

May 27 – Spring Music Concert



Pizza Note: We have weekly order options for the month of May available online right now through www.schoolcashonline.com ALL ORDERS FOR THIS WEEK MUST BE SUBMITTED BY SUNDAY AT MIDNIGHT! Thanks!

CLASS BUILDING: There is a lot of input that goes into class building and we try to create classes that will provide the support and social attributes that are best for each child. We know that having social connections is incredibly important and trying to balance the educational needs with the social emotional needs of each child is a challenging thing. That being said if there are peer dynamics that you think we need to be aware of, such as friendships that are crucial or peers that would be detrimental to your child's schooling next year, please feel free to forward those to me, by email, **before Friday May 22, 2026.** We do our best to accommodate the complex needs of each child and appreciate your support and input into this process. **ALSO – if you know that your child will NOT be here next year, please let us know so that we can help with their transition to their next school.**



Sincerely, *Mr Maxwell and Ms. Richardson*

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