



From the Raven's Nest...

for Friday, May 29, 2026

June is upon us... First, a big thank you to those of you that were able to join us for the Spring Band Concert and especially to Mr. Morton and Ms. McDonnell for all the preparation that they did to make it such a success. This Wednesday is our final Strings and Choir concert, and we look forward to enjoying that evening as well. As June rolls along, we are trying to wrap up various projects, learning opportunities and celebrate how far the students have come this year. There are many different activities coming up so I am sure this month will speed by as quickly as May did. I know that some families already have plans for the summer and if your child will be away for any reason, please ensure that you let your child's advisory teacher, as well as the office know.

We are also busy looking ahead to next year and staff are working hard to build classes and schedules and all the pieces that go along with that. If you know that your child will not be returning to Rockheights (and they are currently scheduled to do so) and you have not informed us, please do send me an email (amaxwell@sd61.bc.ca) so we have that information to include in our planning.

What's happening in a few weeks at Rockheights:

Monday, June 1st

- Students from PISE here at Rockheights to work with classes
- Track Meet at UVic

Tuesday, June 2nd

- Pizza day - Preorder using www.schoolcashionline.com
- Running Clinic after school for all students signed up for running events in Track and Field

Wednesday, June 3rd

- City Finals Track Meet at UVic
- Div 4-6 Field Trip to Macaulay Point
- Div 7 & 8 Field Trip to Esquimalt Community Garden
- 7pm Year End Strings and Choir Concert

Thursday, June 4th

- SUBWAY day for those that pre-ordered

Friday, June 5th -

- Div 1, 2, and 3 – Field Trip to Macaulay Point
- Div 7 and 8 to Interactive Board Game Cafe

Looking Further Ahead:

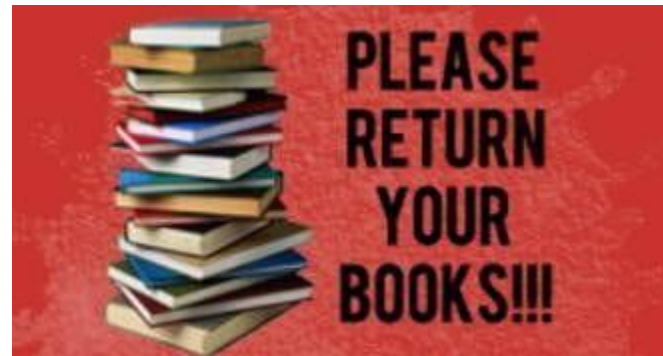
June 10 –Curriculum Catch Up Afternoon

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



CC Afternoon: - We know that this can be a challenging time for some students as we transition to the end of the school year to keep track of the various events. As it is the end of term three, we will be having our CC afternoon on June 10 for students that have missing assignments. Please watch for those forms near the end of this coming week.

Library and other school resources- as we get to the end of the year one challenge is to gather all of the resources that have been distributed throughout the year. We need your help to gather library books, technology, athletics uniforms, etc. If you could please take a minute this weekend and ask your child to go through their rooms to see if they have anything to return to the school. Thank you!



2026/2027 School Calendar: - We know that this may feel like a long way away, but I have also attached the general school calendar for the next school year. I hope you can add these dates to your family calendars to help with long term planning for your families. We have been, and will be, sending home class specific information (and permissions slips) for the various events and field trips between now and the last day of school . We appreciate your help in getting those back and look forward to learning and celebrating the last month of the school year.

Student Leadership – Once again, I want to congratulate all the students that have been committing to represent us in a variety of events. With students representing up as Track and Field athletes or at the performances at this week’s Choir and Strings concert there have been many chances for students to represent our community. We also have opportunities within our community such as with morning announcements, various clubs and groups, or the group of grade eights that are visiting grade six classes to share their experiences and advice on how to be successful at middle school. There are so many chances for students to take on leadership roles at middle school and it is great to see students thrive in these roles!

Sincerely, *Mr Maxwell and Ms. Richardson*