

TIMBERWOLF TIMES

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FROM OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM

As June is on the horizon, we are beginning to get ready for several special events.

Last week we enjoyed welcoming our newest and littlest learners to Talmey. Our Welcome to Kindergarten event was a success! We thank our staff, student & parent volunteers for helping to create a special experience for our new families.

Track Attack practices are in their final week and students are preparing for our Zone Track Meet coming up on Tuesday, May 26th. We thank our dedicated planning team for their endless hours of organization: Ms. Feng, Mr. Snyder, our Grade 4-7 team and our office staff. We also extend a thank-you to our PAC for funding the bus transportation.

Next week our Kindergarten classes will be hosting their annual Busy Town event & our grade 7 students will have their Farewell breakfast, hosted by our PAC.

We are also in the process of planning for our Fun Day event coming up on Friday, June 5th. We are excited to share that our theme this year is 'Carnival'! Please see the attached flyer for more information.

Our parent community is invited to stop by the main entrance of our school on Friday, June 5th, before school starts for our Parent Appreciation event. Please see the attached invitation. We wish you all a lovely weekend!

Ms. Hazon and Ms. Jess

TALMEY OFFICE REMINDER

IF YOUR CHILD(REN) WILL BE
AWAY FROM SCHOOL, PLEASE
EMAIL OR CALL THE OFFICE
TO ADVISE US OF THEIR
ABSENCE.

TALMEY PHONE:
604-668-6275 OPTION 1
TALMEY EMAIL:
TALMEY@SD38.BC.CA



MAY-JUNE CALENDAR

TUE, MAY 26

Track Meet (Gr.4-7)
Popcorn Day

FRI, MAY 29

Grade 7 Farewell Breakfast
Hot Lunch Day

TUE, JUNE 2

Family Teams

FRI, JUNE 5

Parent Appreciation Morning
Fun Day!
Hot Lunch Day

TUE, JUNE 9

Universal Hot Lunch
Popcorn Day

FRI, JUNE 12

Hot Lunch Day

MON, JUNE 15

Band Concert @ 10:45am

TUE, JUNE 23

Grade 7 Farewell Assembly
Popcorn Day

THUR, JUNE 25

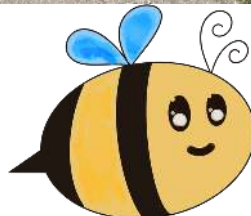
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TALMEY HIGHLIGHTS



WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN





WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TALMEY

FUN DAY! – CARNIVAL!



Join us for our Talmey Fun Day on **Friday, June 5th!**

We are looking forward to our upcoming Fun Day! We are beginning to plan for this year's festivities. Students will participate in a variety of stations in the morning and we will reconvene in the afternoon for some special school wide activities. We hope you will be able to join us! **Please see the attached information flyer.**



PARENT APPRECIATION EVENT

PLEASE JOIN US ON FRIDAY, JUNE 5TH

Parent Appreciation

WE WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT THROUGHOUT
THE SCHOOL YEAR.

MORNING TREATS & BEVERAGES AT **8:30 A.M.**

TALMEY ELEMENTARY MAIN ENTRANCE

MARATHON RUNNING UPDATE!



Students are still busy running many laps and keeping track of their process! We will be planning an assembly in June to recognize our incredible runners. We thank all our parent volunteers for supporting our after school run club sessions! Please note, our last after school run club session is scheduled for **Thursday, June 11th.**

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TALMEY

TRACK ATTACK PRACTICES!

Our Grade 4-7 students have been busy participating in Track Attack in preparation for our upcoming Zone meet.

Please help your child (Grades 4-7) be prepared for our Track Attack stations. Students practice every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon. A reminder to have a water bottle, running shoes and athletic clothing ready for running, jumping and throwing events!

Students in Grades 4-7 are excited to attend our **Zone Track Meet on May 26th** and have been practicing for different events.

We thank Ms. Feng and Mr. Snyder for helping to organize our in-school training program and planing for our meet!

TRACK & FIELD MEET GR. 4 TO GR. 7 STUDENTS

The date of our school's Track and Field Meet is **Tuesday, May 26th**. The meet is hosted at **Minoru Park (7191 Granville Ave)** and will include other Richmond Elementary Schools.

All schools will be participating in a revised Track and Field meet format this year. This format will provide opportunities for more students to be involved, and students will be able to participate in all events (not just one or two events as in past years). Students will be organized into grade groups and will rotate through four stations supervised by a staff member: jumping, throwing, running and a rest station.

Jumping	Throwing	Running
• Long jump (Gr. 4-7) • High jump (Gr. 4-7) • Additional jumping options	• Softball throw (Gr. 4-7) • Shot put (Gr. 4-7) • Discus (Gr. 4-7) • Frisbee throw (Gr. 4-7) &/or • Football throw (Gr. 4-7) With age-appropriate equipment	• Long Distance: • 400m (Gr.4/5s) • 800m (Gr. 6/7s) • Relays: 4x100 (Gr. 4-7) • Sprints:100m (Gr. 4-7)

CHALLENGE BY CHOICE:

At each station, students can participate in multiple events and can choose if they want to participate in a competitive or recreational group. Open competitive is for students wishing to achieve personal bests and/or reach a performance benchmark, whereas open recreational is more focused on fun, skill development and trying an event with low pressure. Consistent with other Elementary activities, the focus is on individual active participation. Families are encouraged to celebrate their child's effort and participation, regardless of the result or outcome.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT EVENTS



BIKE TO SCHOOL WEEK!

Consider biking, scootering or walking to school the week of June 1st-5th.



GRADE 7 FAREWELL SPECIAL EVENTS

- Grade 7 Farewell Breakfast, **Friday, May 29th @ 9:00am**
- Grade 7 Farewell Party, **Friday, June 12th, 5:30pm-12:00am**
- Grade 7 Farewell Assembly, **Tuesday, June 23rd @ 1:00pm**
- Grade 7 End of Year Field Trip, **Wednesday, June 24th**



We look forward to celebrating our Grade 7s!

NATIONAL INDIGENOUS HISTORY MONTH

In June, Canadians recognize and celebrate National Indigenous History Month to honor the history, heritage, and diversity of Indigenous peoples in Canada.

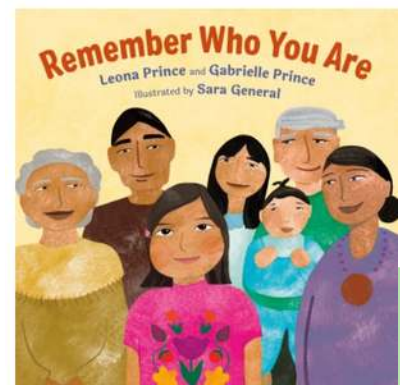
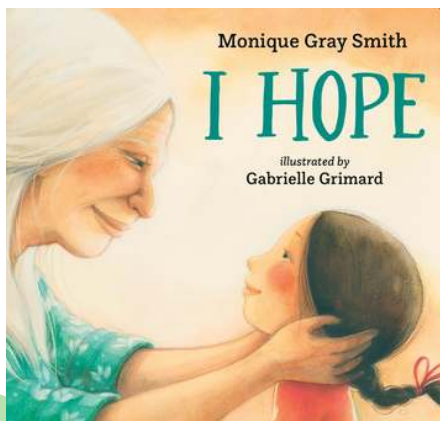
Please visit the National Indigenous Heritage site for more information:

<https://www.rcaanc-cirnac.gc.ca/eng/1466616436543/1534874922512>

Our Library Learning Commons has many amazing new books that celebrate the rich traditions, cultures, and contributions of Indigenous Peoples in Canada. Our recent staff Professional Learning Day focused on Truth and Reconciliation.

During the week of National Indigenous Peoples Day in June, classes will be participating in two outside story walks connected to two texts:

1-Leona Prince's new book- Remember Who You Are & 2-Monique Gray Smith's book, I Hope.



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TALMEY

CLASS PLACEMENT 2026-2027

We are thinking about next year. In May, we invite parents to let us know any special information about their children that will help us to determine the best class placement for next year. Please read the information below:

CLASS ORGANIZATION AND STUDENT PLACEMENT 2026-2027

In June Talmey Staff spends considerable time discussing possible classroom placements for students for the next school year. Although we do not finalize classes until the first week in September, we do some preliminary thinking in June. There are many factors that are important considerations in these discussions:

A. Student considerations such as:

- learning styles and strengths
- degree of independence in work habits
- social and personal characteristics
- previous year's placement
- parent knowledge of their child
- when they have been the youngest or the oldest in a combined classroom.

Please note:

Over their 8 years in elementary, a student should experience a variety of settings if possible.



B. Parent Input

If you have information based on the factors listed above that you would like us to consider when placing your child in a class for next year, please take this opportunity to submit this information to Ms. N Hazon in writing (email or letter) by **Friday, May 29th at 4:00 p.m.** It will not be possible to consider information or requests submitted by parents in September once classes have been established. Please do not request specific teachers - at this time we do not know which teachers will be teaching certain grades next year.

PLEASE NOTE:

WE DO OUR BEST TO FORM THE BEST LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS FOR ALL STUDENTS.

*Parent/Caregiver requests are considered but not guaranteed.

Although we do have preliminary discussions, the class organization is subject to change in the first week in September depending on the enrollment numbers confirmed during the first week of school.

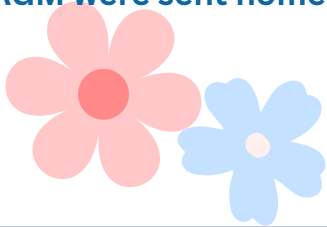


TALMEY PAC

TALMEY PAC AGM MEETING
WED, JUNE 11TH AT 6:00 PM

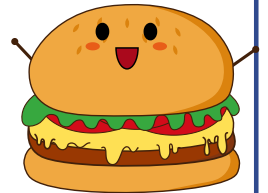
PAC AGM Call For Nominations 2026 - 2027

All parents and guardians of students at Talmey School are members of the Parent Advisory Council and are encouraged to attend this special PAC meeting, which will include reports from the Hot Lunch and Fundraising Committees as well as the Chairperson's and the Treasurer's year-end reports. Elections for the 2026-2027 PAC Executive will take place during this meeting. Notices with more information about the AGM were sent home a few weeks ago.



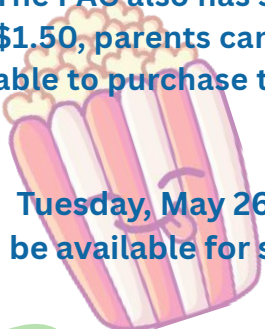
PAC REMINDERS

HOT LUNCH dates are May 29 June: 5, 12, 19
All orders must be submitted seven days before the lunch date on
<https://munchalunch.com/schools/RCTalmey>.



Please contact Shenica at TalmeyPAC@gmail.com if you have any questions about hot lunch or volunteering. Should you have issues using the Munch-a-Lunch website please contact Karen / Angela at TalmeyPAC@gamil.com

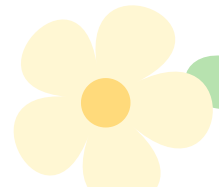
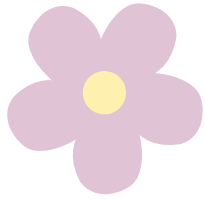
The PAC also has small snacks for sale on hot lunch Fridays that cost between \$0.50 and \$1.50, parents can send small amounts of money with their child if they wish for them to be able to purchase these extra snacks. Please DO NOT send your child with large bills.



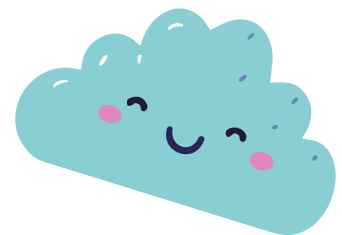
Tuesday, May 26th and June 9th are our next popcorn days! Popcorn is \$1 a bag and will be available for sale in the multi-purpose room at recess.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING PAC MATTERS, PLEASE REACH E-MAIL OUR TALMEY PAC AT:
TALMEYPAC@GMAIL.COM

★ TALMEY CALENDAR ★



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Friday, June 12th	Hot Lunch Day
Monday, June 15th	Band Concert
Friday, June 19th	Hot Lunch Day
Tuesday, June 23rd	Grade 7 Farewell & Popcorn Day
Thursday, June 25th	Recognition Assembly Last day of school Learning Update Published



HOW WE LEARN AND WORK TOGETHER

The Board of Education recognizes its obligation to provide all members of our school district community with a positive climate and a safe, healthy environment.

As we learn and work together, we will...

- 1** Show respect for the diversity of the members of our school and district community.
- 2** Behave in a safe, considerate and courteous manner.
- 3** Not threaten, harass, intimidate or assault, in any way, any person within our school district community, through physical violence, print or electronic media.
- 4** Not be in possession of weapons, dangerous articles, alcohol or illegal drugs while in school or work.
- 5** Show respect and pride in our school district buildings and equipment through care and appropriate use of school district property.
- 6** Respect the non smoking environment of our schools and school district facilities.



Our expectations for how we learn and work together shall apply to everyone in our schools and at school functions.

The complete code of conduct
is available online at:
sd38.bc.ca/codeofconduct