# TIMBERWOLF TIMES

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### FROM THE ADMIN TEAM

Dear Talmey Learning Community,

As we look ahead to the final stretch of this school year, we are beginning to make plans for several special events and celebrations!

We have our **Welcome to Kindergarten** event coming up next Tuesday afternoon at 1:00pm. We are looking forward to meeting our newest learners! May 13th is also our **class photo day.** 

Our **Zone Track Meet** is also coming up next week on Wednesday, May 14<sup>th.</sup> Students have been busy practicing their skills during weekly track attack sessions.

A reminder, school will be closed on Friday, May 16th as it's a Professional Development Day. School will also be closed on <u>Monday</u>, May 19th for Victoria Day.

We hope you all enjoy the sunny weekend!

Ms. Hazon & Ms.Jess



### **MAY CALENDAR**

TUE, MAY 13

Class Group Photo Day (AM)
Welcome to Kindergarten
PAC Meeting @ 6:30
Track Zone Meet @Minoru

WED, MAY 14

THUR, MAY 15

Grade 7 Welcome Day MacNeill

FRI, MAY 16

Pro-D day(no school)

MON, MAY 19

Victoria Day(no school)

TUE, MAY 20

Popcorn Day

FRI, MAY 23

Hot Lunch Day

FRI, MAY 30

Hot Lunch Day

### **TALMEY OFFICE**



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

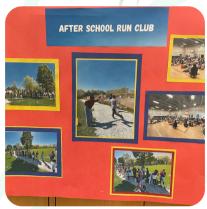
TALMEY EMAIL:

TALMEY@SD38.BC.CA

# LEARNING HIGHTS

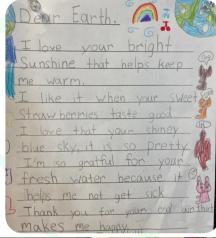






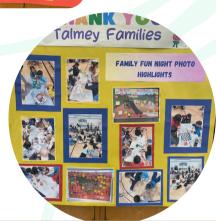














# LEARNING HIGHLIGHTS

## SALISH WEAVE GALLERY WALK (IN OUR LIBRARY LEARNING COMMONS)

This week, our students had the special opportunity to explore authentic artwork from the Salish Weave collection right here at Talmey. They enjoyed walking through the gallery of serigraph prints, gifted by Coast Salish artists to the Richmond School District. Students learned about key shapes in Coast Salish art and connected them to Indigenous stories, math, and science through the life cycles of butterflies, frogs, and other local animals. This activity helped foster a deeper respect for Indigenous culture and the natural world, which is one small step towards reconciliation.















# What's Happening at Talmey

### **CLASS PLACEMENT 2025-2026**

We are thingking 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 2025-2026**

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.

#### **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. Hazon (<u>talmey@sd38.bc.ca</u>) in writing by **Friday, May 30 at 4:00 PM**.

Information will be reviewed during class placement meetings. 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 environment for all students.

Parent/Caregiver requests are considered but not guaranteed.

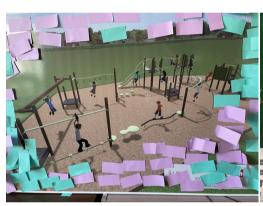
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### **MARATHON RUN CLUB**

Our students continue to impress us with their incredible running energy! We've had excellent participation at our after school sessions. We thank our staff and parent volunteers for all of their support!

### **MODULAR UPDATE**





We are in the process of making or final selection for our new playground design.

Thank to families, students and staff for sharing your feedback!

### **HERITAGE FAIR**

Congratulations to our Talmey students who participated in the Regional Heritage Fair event today.





### **FUN DAY - FRIDAY, JUNE 6TH**

Join us for Talmey Fun Day on Friday, June 6th!

We are looking forward to our upcoming Fun Day! Planning will be underway soon. Families are invited to join us for the day! More updates to come!

# UPCOMING IMPORTANT EVENTS

### **CLASS GROUP PHOTO DAY**

TUESDAY, MAY 13TH

A reminder, class group photo day is scheduled for Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> in the morning.





### **WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN**

TUESDAY, MAY 13TH

Welcome to Kindergarten is coming up next week. We are excited to meet and welcome our new Kindergarten students and families!

Our event will begin at 1:00pm on Tuesday, May 13th.



### TRACK MEET

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

Students in Grades 4-7 are excited to attend our **Zone Track Meet on Wednesday**, **May 14**. Students have been practicing for different events.

We thank Ms. Feng and Mr. Snyder for being our track and field leads this year!

### **GR 7 FAREWELL**

We will soon begin the process of planning our final year end events to honour and recognize our Grade 7 students. More information will be coming soon.

For now, please save the date for our Farewell ceremony, **Tuesday, June 24th** (Time TBD)



## TALMEY PAC

# TALMEY PAC MEETING - MON, MAY 12TH AT 6:30 PM TALMEY PAC AGM - JUNE 11TH, AT 6:00 PM



A reminder to all Talmey parents that every parent is invited and welcome to join these monthly meetings as another opportunity to support the school.

#### KRISPY KREME FUNDRAISER

Please review the attached flyer and note the upcoming dates for the next Krispy Kreme fundraiser



### We Dour Volunteers

#### **CALL FOR PARENT VOLUNTEERS**

We are looking for parent volunteers for our hotlunch and popcorn program. If you are interested in helping, please email <a href="mailto:TalmeyPAC@gmail.com">TalmeyPAC@gmail.com</a>

#### PAC REMINDERS

HOT LUNCH dates are Friday May 23<sup>rd</sup>, May 30<sup>th</sup>, June 6<sup>th</sup>, June 13<sup>th</sup> and June 20<sup>th</sup>. All orders must be submitted seven days before the lunch date on <a href="https://munchalunch.com/schools/RCTalmey">https://munchalunch.com/schools/RCTalmey</a>.



Please contact Jana at <a href="mailto:retalmeyhotlunch@gmail.com">retalmeyhotlunch@gmail.com</a> if you have any questions about hot lunch or volunteering. Should you have issues using the Munch-a-Lunch website please contact Farin at <a href="mailto:farinr@hotmail.com">farinr@hotmail.com</a>.



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 it they wish for them to be able to purchase these extra snacks. Please DO NOT send your child with large bills.

**Tuesday, April 22nd & May 6th** 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

## 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...

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



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Tuesday, June 3	Popcorn Day
Friday, June 6	Hot Lunch Day
Friday, June 13	Hot Lunch Day
Tuesday, June 17	Popcorn Day
Friday, June 20	Hot Lunch Day
Thursday, June 26	Last Day of School for Students

