

# TIMBERWOLF TIMES

ISSUE # 18

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## FROM OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM

We've had an action packed last few weeks! Our Zone Track Meet was a highlight last week. Our students represented Talmey with incredible spirit and enthusiasm! 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 parent volunteers and especially our PAC for funding the bus transportation. Please see below for a few photo highlights.

This afternoon we enjoyed a performance by emerging artist, Missy D. Missy D is a Vancouver based hip hop/rap and soul artist. She makes music for all ages and performs in French and English. We thank our district for funding this performance for us.

We are now looking ahead to June and are in the process of planning for our Fun Day event coming up on Friday, June 6th. We are excited to share that our theme this year is 'Construction'! 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 6th in the morning for our Parent Appreciation event. Please also see attached for further details. 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](mailto:TALMEY@SD38.BC.CA)



## MAY-JUNE CALENDAR

FRI, MAY 30

Grade 7 Farewell Breakfast  
Hot Lunch Day

TUE, JUNE 3

Popcorn Day

FRI, JUNE 6

FUN DAY!  
Hot Lunch Day

FRI, JUNE 13

Hot Lunch Day

TUE, JUNE 17

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FRI, JUNE 20

Hot Lunch Day

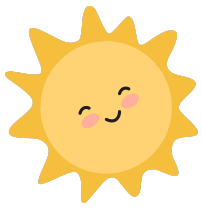
TUE, JUNE 24

Grade 7 Farewell Assembly

THUR, JUNE 26

Recognition Assembly  
Last Day of School for Students





# TALMEY HIGHLIGHTS



## MARATHON CLUB



## WELCOME TO KINDERGARDEN



## TRACK MEET





# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TALMEY

## FUN DAY!– UNDER CONSTRUCTION!



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

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 6TH

# Parent Appreciation

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

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

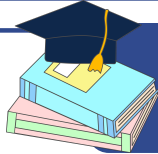
TALMEY ELEMENTARY MAIN ENTRANCE

# UPCOMING IMPORTANT EVENTS



## BIKE TO SCHOOL WEEK!

Consider biking, scootering or walking to school the week of June 2-6th



## GRADE 7 FAREWELL CEREMONY

Our Grade 7 Farewell ceremony will be held on Tuesday, June 24<sup>th</sup>

A letter and invitation will be sent to our Grade 7 families very soon.

We look forward to celebrating our Grade 7s!

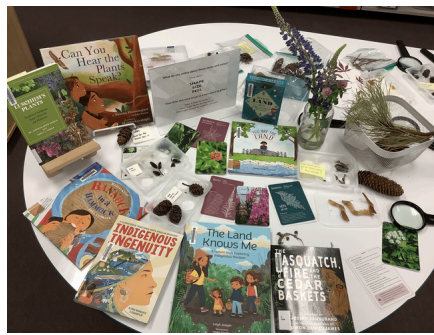


## NATIONAL INDIGENOUS HISTORY MONTH

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. Recently, students at Talmey have been learning about plants in our local neighbourhood as a way to explore our connections with the land. During the week of National Indigenous Peoples Day in June, classes will be participating in a "plant walk" around our school grounds to further reflect upon these connections. Students will be asked to think about ways that they can care for the land, such as planting BC native species, as steps towards reconciliation and decolonization of our landscape.





# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TAMEY

## 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 12th.

Thank you to our teachers who prepared fresh lemonade for families to enjoy yesterday after school!



*Thank you*



## STUDENT AND FAMILY AFFORDABILITY FUND

This fund is designed to assist families who require financial assistance with school-related costs in the following areas:

- school and course fees
- school supplies and course materials • field trips
- school-related extracurricular opportunities
- clothing and footwear required for sports and school activities

Please reach out to our school principal, Ms. N. Hazon ([talmey@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:talmey@sd38.bc.ca)), if you are in need of assistance. As always, all requests will be treated with dignity and your privacy will be respected. We want to work with our families to ensure that our students, your children, have everything they need to be successful at school. Please do not hesitate to reach out if we can help.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TALMEY

## CLASS PLACEMENT 2025-2026

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 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 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 31st 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.



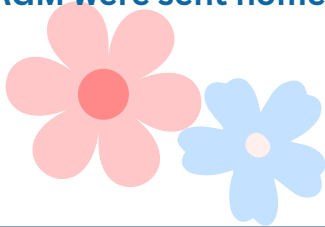


# TALMEY PAC

TALMEY PAC AGM MEETING  
WED, JUNE 11<sup>TH</sup> AT 6:00 PM

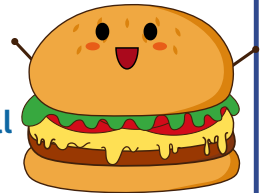
## PAC AGM Call For Nominations 2025 - 2026

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 2025-2026 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 Friday May 30th, June 6th, June 13th, and June 20th. All orders must be submitted seven days before the lunch date on <https://munchalunch.com/schools/RCTalmey>.

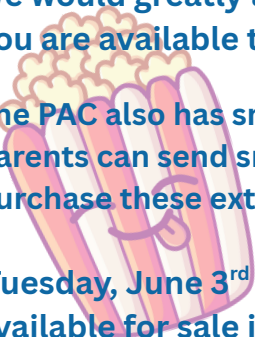


Please contact Jana at [rctalmeyhotlunch@gmail.com](mailto:rctalmeyhotlunch@gmail.com) if you have any questions about hot lunch or volunteering. Should you have issues using the Munch-a-Lunch website please contact Farin at [farin@hotmail.com](mailto:farin@hotmail.com).

We would greatly appreciate a few extra helpers on hot lunch days. Please contact Jana if you are available to volunteer on hot lunch dates.

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, June 3<sup>rd</sup> and June 17th 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](mailto:TALMEYPAC@GMAIL.COM)

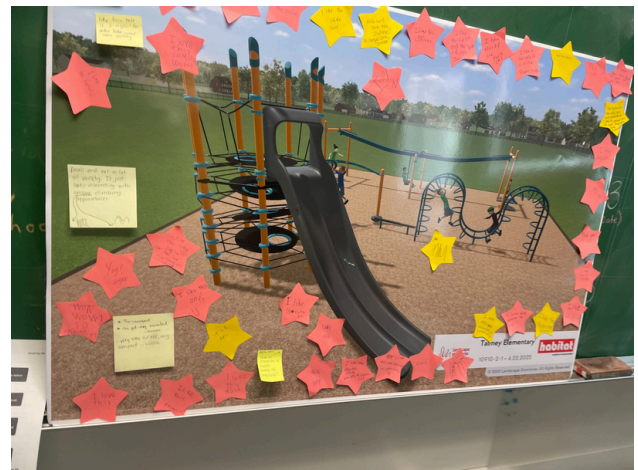
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## MODULAR UPDATES!



We are now in the process of finalizing our playground selection and are hoping our new playground will be ready for the start of school in September. We thank all our families, students and staff for sharing their feedback.

As always, if you have any questions about our modular project, please contact the Talmeiy office.



## PARKING LOT SAFETY

Please note, we have had challenges with congestion and safety in our school parking lot.

We are asking families to please park on side streets and walk to the school to pick up your children. this will alleviate the congestion in our parking lot and will help to ensure student safety.

Thank you for your understanding





# 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](http://sd38.bc.ca/codeofconduct)

# MINISTRY EVENT

## Responding to Children & Youth After Unforeseen Frightening Events A Webinar for Parents, Caregivers & Community Members

Location: Online – ZOOM (see below for links)

### Overview:

This informative webinar is designed for parents, caregivers, and community members to provide them with tools and information to help children and youth after frightening events.

### Session Highlights:

- Define and differentiate stress, grief, and trauma
- Discuss brain and stress responses to frightening events
- Outline what to expect from young people in the days and weeks post-event
- Provide practical tools and responses for supporting children and youth
- Identify when to seek professional help and share valuable resources

### How to Join:

No registration required. Attend by joining the link for the webinar date and time that works best for you:

#### Option 1: Wednesday, May 14/25; 6:30 – 7:30pm PST

Link: <https://ca01web.zoom.us/j/62858834582?pwd=oivaOy81SjzQMXh1RAXji5BnMlhWqi.1>  
Passcode: 350801

#### Option 2: Friday, May 23/25; 6:30 – 7:30pm PST (ASL Translator will be present)

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### About the Facilitators:



#### **Miguel Godau, M.A., CCC, (he, him, his)**

Team Leader, e-CYMH Team

Miguel joined Child and Youth Mental Health (CYMH) in 2016 and has held roles as clinician and team leader across rural BC. Prior to this he worked with different non-profits and community agencies. He has provided crisis response and grief support in different settings throughout his career.



#### **Kali Love, M.A., RCC, (she, her)**

Clinician, e-CYMH Team

Kali joined Child and Youth Mental Health (CYMH) in 2015 and has held several roles within MCFD, including clinician, team leader, and mental health policy consultant.

Please contact [Miguel.Godau@bc.gov.ca](mailto:Miguel.Godau@bc.gov.ca) if you have any questions.

This session will be recorded and made available to the public after May 23/25. An ASL Interpreter will be available on the May 23<sup>rd</sup> presentation.



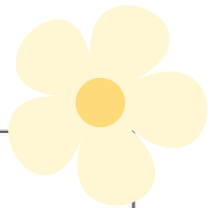
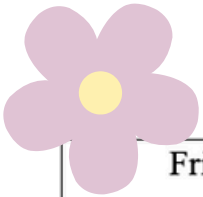
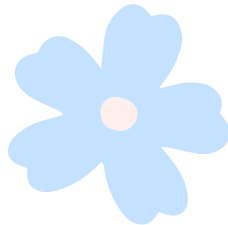
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