

# TIMBERWOLF TIMES

ISSUE#20

June 19, 2026



## FROM OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Dear Talmev Families,



With just one week left in our 2026-2027 school year, we would like to thank you for supporting your child's learning and our school community over this past year! We have had an eventful year filled with many positive and engaging learning experiences.

We are looking forward to our final two assemblies coming up next week! We will be celebrating our Grade 7 students on Tuesday, June 23rd in the afternoon. We will have our Recognition Assembly for all students on Thursday, June 25th. Students will be recognized for their leadership contributions, their marathon running, and for being Talmev S.T.A.R.S. We will also be saying farewell to our departing staff and thanking our PAC executive for all of their help and support over the past year.

Next Thursday, final learning updates will be posted to the MyEd Parent Portal. Please take some time to connect with your child/children to celebrate their learning successes.

We thank our PAC for gifting yearbooks to all children in our school! Yearbooks will be distributed next week.

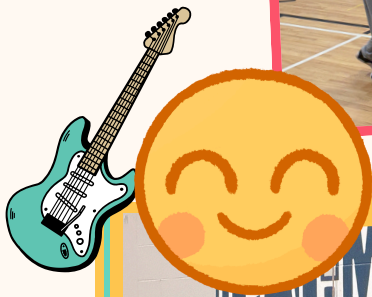
Wishing you all a restful and happy weekend,

Ms. Hazon and Ms. Jess

# LEARNING HIGHLIGHTS

## Badminton Lessons

Thank you to our PAC for sponsoring badminton lessons for all classes. Our students really enjoyed this experience!



## Band Concert





# LEARNING HIGHLIGHTS

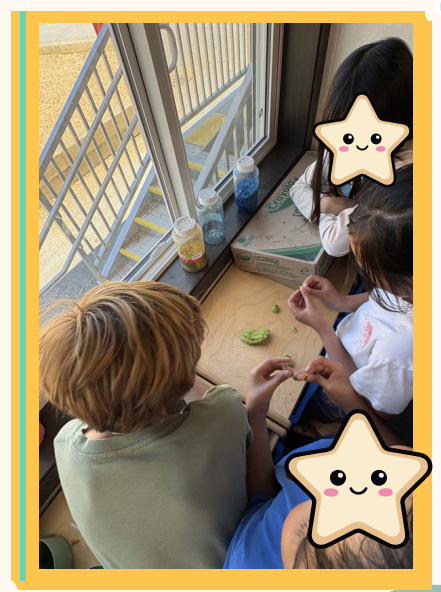


## Talent Show

A special thank you to our student leaders for working with Ms. Singh to put together an informal Talent Show for our learners!

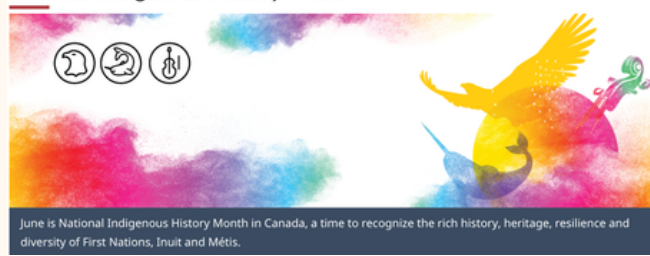


Thank you to the Tim Horton's Foundation for offering summer camp style, team building interactive lessons with Grade 4/5 and 6/7 classes over this past week!





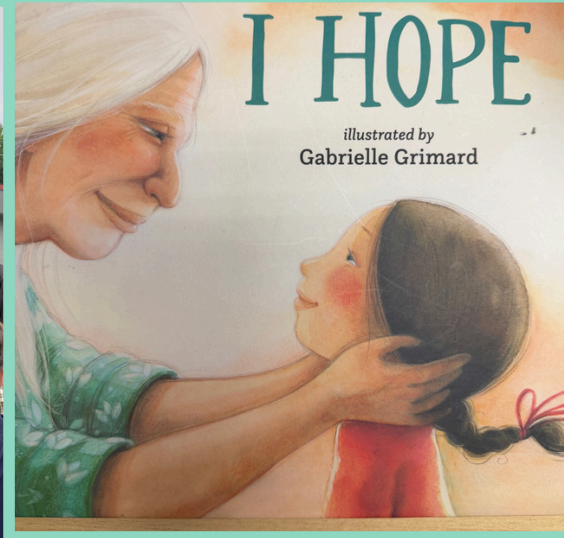
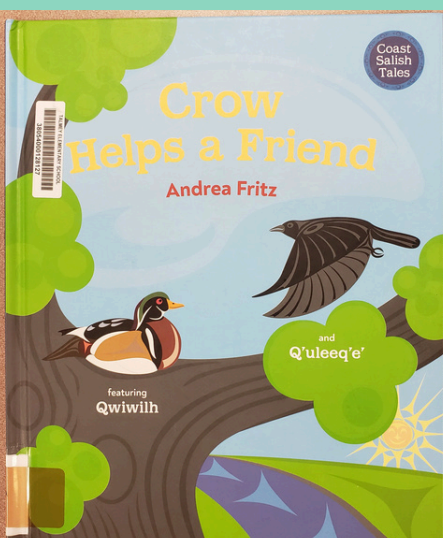
## National Indigenous History Month



### National Indigenous History Month in the Talmey Library

To recognize National Indigenous History Month, our librarian, Ms. Kos, shared a Coast Salish story with many of our primary classes. The story provided a meaningful opportunity to explore Indigenous perspectives and values while discussing responsibility, empathy, kindness, and caring for the natural world. Students reflected on how everyone makes mistakes and the importance of taking accountability and helping to make things right. The learning also connected to classroom studies of birds and habitats, extending students' understanding of the relationships between animals, people, and the environment.

All classes were also invited to participate in an outside story walk with Monique Gray Smith's book, *I Hope*. The story shares messages of kindness, belonging, courage, and hope. Through beautiful words and illustrations, the book encourages reflection, connection, and appreciation for Indigenous voices and perspectives. We are considering this text as part of our fall mural project.





# What's happening at Talmey

## Get Ready for School Year 2026-2027



**First Day of School: Tuesday, September 8th**

**School Begins**

**Grade 1 - 7 students attend from 8:45 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.**

**All kindergarten students attend from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

**Our new Kindergarten students will be attending according to their Gradual Entry schedule for the first few weeks of school. This schedule will be shared with our families in the coming weeks.**

**Parents are invited and welcome to come to the PAC "Sweet Start" on the first day of school. More information to come.**

**If you have any questions, please call or email our school office.**

**We wish you a happy and restful summer holiday!**

## Notice of Late Return 2026-2027

**Please see the attached Notice of Late Return form.**

**Please return the form ONLY**

**IF your child is expecting to return to school LATER THAN 12:00 pm Wednesday, Sep. 9, 2026, AND ON or BEFORE September 11, 2026.**

**The form must be completed for any student who anticipates a delayed return to school. Please return the form by emailing it to [talmey@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:talmey@sd38.bc.ca) no later than June 24, 2026.**

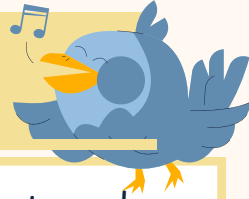
**Thank you!**



# What's happening at Talmey



## Lost And Found



We have had quite a variety of 'lost' items gather in our lost and found over this past term. All items are now on display and will continue to be on display over the next week (in the front foyer). Please come by to look at these items before summer break and claim anything that belongs to your child/children. All unclaimed items will be donated after June 25th.



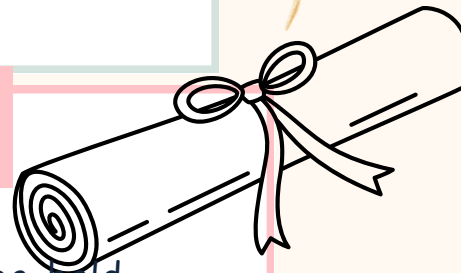
## Grade Farewell

Preparations are underway to celebrate our departing Grade 7 class! Our assembly is scheduled for **Tuesday, June 23rd at 1:00 pm.** We are looking forward to celebrating our class of 2026!



## RECOGNITION ASSEMBLY

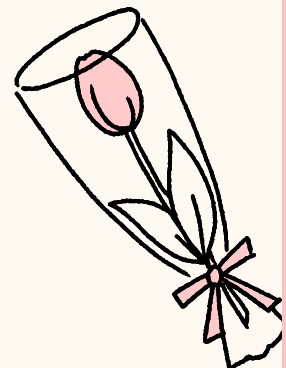
Our end of year recognition assembly will be held **on Thursday, June 25th at 10:45 am.** All of our Divisions will attend. We will be recognizing our Marathon Club runners, leadership students, S.T.A.R students, and our PAC executive. We will also be saying farewell to our departing staff.



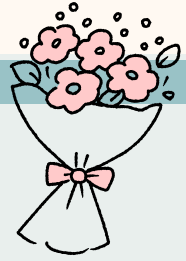
## Farewell to our Students Moving to the new City Centre School



Some of our students will be moving to the new City Centre School in September as they now reside in the catchment boundary for the new school. We wish them all the best as they get ready to join their new school community. We will miss having them with us at Talmey and we welcome them back for a visit at anytime!



# What's happening at Talmey



## Staff Changes at Talmey

We have several staff changes at Talmey this school year.

We will miss all of our staff who are leaving us and we wish them all the very best.

Below is a list of our departing staff:

**Ms. Yang, Ms. Torres and Ms. Chan** are all invaluable members of our Talmey office team and we are so sorry to see them go! We thank them for their care and dedication and will miss having them with us next year. We wish them all the best in their future positions.

**Ms. Choy**-We thank her for being a dedicated part of Resource/ELL teaching team and wish her all the best with her move to a new city!

**Ms. Gibb**-We thank her so much for being part of our Resource/ELL teaching team and hope she will be able to return to us again in the future!

**Ms. Jess**-We thank her for being our very hard working Vice Principal for the past two years and wish her all the very best at her new school!

**Ms. Lal**-We thank her for being a caring and creative Grade 1 teacher over this past year & wish her the best of luck as she gets ready to welcome her baby and begin her maternity leave in the fall!

**Mr. Woods**-We thank Mr. Woods for teaching music/band classes & helping our students develop their musical talents over this past year. We wish him well at his new school!

**Ms. Zhang**-We thank her for working as part of our Educational Assistant team & wish her the best of luck as she seeks a new position for the fall!

**Ms. Malanac**-We thank her for working as part of our Educational Assistant team & wish her all the best at her new school!

We thank the following teachers for being with us on a temporary contract over this past year and wish them well in the future. We hope they will be back with us again!

**Ms. D. Smart**  
**Ms. C. Burian**  
**Ms. A. Dhillon**  
**Ms. J. Sarkaria**

We thank them for their hard work and will miss having them as part of our Talmey team!

We will be recognizing our departing staff at our year end assembly.



# Upcoming Important Dates



## TERM 3 REPORT CARDS/ LEARNING UPDATE



Term 3 Learning Updates (report cards) were posted to the MyEd Parent Portal on Thursday, June 25th. **There are NO PAPER COPIES issued.**

Please take some time to talk with your child about their learning progress. If you would like to review how to access your child's report through the MyEd Parent Portal, instructions are posted to the Talmey website.

To view your child's report card through the MyEd Parent Portal:

Parents can access the MyEd Parent Portal using the following link:  
<https://myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspen-login/?deploymentId=aspen>

If you need help accessing the parent portal, please visit the following link:

<https://talmey.sd38.bc.ca/news/2026/04/myed-parent-portal-instructions-access>

If you have any questions regarding your account or if you need technical support for the

MyEd BC Parent Portal, please send an email to:

**[MyEdParentPortal@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:MyEdParentPortal@sd38.bc.ca)**



# Talmey PAC



## PAC Recognition

Thank you to our PAC for your leadership and support during this past school year!

We will be recognizing our PAC executive on June 25th at our final assembly of the year.

We invite our PAC executive team to join us!

We are pleased to share our PAC executive for the 2026/2027 school year:

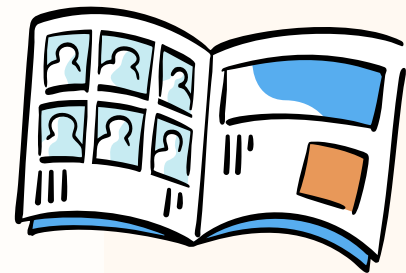
Chair-Shenica Scarpino

Secretary-Hoanne Chu

Treasurer-Angela Young

## Talmey Yearbook

All of our Talmey families will soon be receiving a copy of our school yearbook. We thank our PAC for gifting yearbooks to all students and staff. We would especially like to thank Mrs. Scarpino who spent many hours designing the layout for our yearbook.

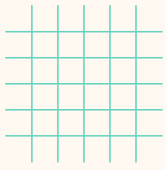


## PAC Reminder

Today (June 19<sup>th</sup>) was our last HOT LUNCH. We thank our parent volunteer team for all their organizational support with hot lunch this school year.



*If you have any questions regarding PAC matters, please reach e-mail our Talmey PAC at: [TalmeyPAC@gmail.com](mailto:TalmeyPAC@gmail.com)*



# CALENDAR



## June Calendar

**Tuesday, June 23rd**

**Grade 7 Farewell Assembly at 1 pm**

**Thursday, June 25th**

**Recognition Assembly at 10: 45 am**  
**Last day of school for students**  
**Learning Updates Published**



### 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)**



**R.C. Talmey Elementary School**  
 9500 Kilby Drive, Richmond, BC V6X 3N1  
 604-668-6275 | talmey.sd38.bc.ca

## SCHOOL CALENDAR 2026-2027

<b>Tuesday, September 8</b>	<b>Grades 1-7 students attend from 8:45 am-9:45 am</b> <b>New Kindergarten students attend from 1:00 pm-2:00 pm</b>
Friday, September 25	Professional Development Day (no school)
Wednesday, September 30	Truth & Reconciliation Day (no school)
Monday, October 12	Thanksgiving Day (no school)
Tuesday, October 20	Kindergarten Hearing Screening
Wednesday, October 21	Individual Photo Day
Thursday, October 22	Early Dismissal @ 11:50 am- Learning Update #1/Conferences
Friday, October 23	Professional Development Day (no school)
Wednesday, October 28	Fall Immunization
Wednesday, November 11	Remembrance Day (no school)
Monday, November 16	Photo Retake Day
Monday, November 23	Professional Development Day (no school)
Wednesday, December 16	Learning Update #2 Written Updates get Published
Friday, December 18	Last day of School before Winter Break
<b>Monday, Dec 21 to Fri, Jan 1</b>	<b>Winter Break (no school)</b>
<b>Monday, January 4</b>	<b>School Reopens after Winter Break</b>
Monday, January 25	Professional Development Day (no school)
Thursday, February 11	Early Dismissal @ 11:50 am- Learning Update #3 /Conferences
Friday, February 12	Professional Development Day (no school)
Monday, February 15	BC Family Day (no school)
Thursday, March 11	Last day of School before Spring Break
<b>Friday, Mar 12 – Mon, March 29</b>	<b>Spring Break (no school)</b>
<b>Tuesday, March 30</b>	<b>School Reopens after Spring Break</b>
Thursday, April 22	Learning Update #4 Written Updates get Published
Thursday, April 29	Spring Immunization
Friday, May 21	Professional Development Day (no school)
Monday, May 24	Victoria Day (no school)
Friday, June 25	Learning Update #5 Written Updates get Published
<b>Tuesday, June 29</b>	<b>Last Day of School for Students</b>
<b>Wednesday, June 30</b>	<b>Admin Day</b>

# DISTRICT NEWS



## Richmond Public Library

### Summer Reading Club and Free Programs/Events

BC Summer Reading Club is a Free program that encourages students to read and connect with the public library throughout the summer. This helps to maintain reading skills, and also builds a positive relationship with reading.

In addition to the Summer Reading Club, Richmond Public Library hosts a variety of free programs and events for children and families to participate in throughout July and August 2026.

BC Summer Reading Club 2026  
**UNDER the SEA**

Summer Reading Club is **FREE** and **FUN** at your local library!

**Important dates:**

- **June 24** - Booklets available at all RPL locations
- **June 28** - Kick-off Event at Brighthouse library
- **July 8** - First sticker available
- **August 26** - Completion medals available

**How it works:**

- **Sign up** at any Richmond Public Library location starting June 24 and receive your free reading record booklet!
- **Pick** a reading goal - you can read 15 minutes a day, a chapter a day, it's up to you! Read by yourself or have someone read a story to you!
- **Track** your progress each day by checking off a bubble on your reading booklet.
- **Visit** the library each week to collect a sticker to add to your booklet and enter weekly prize draws.
- **Participate** in programs and activities at the library throughout the summer. Maybe write a book review for a chance to be featured in the Richmond News!
- **Pick up** your completion medal at the end of the summer at any RPL location.

For more information about programs and events happening this summer, visit [www.yourlibrary.ca](http://www.yourlibrary.ca) or call the library at 604-231-6412

# DISTRICT NEWS



## Summer Active Pass for Grade K-7 Students

Starting Tuesday, June 9, purchase a pass and use it June 13 through September 7.

New this year! Family admission fee applies when accompanying a \$29 Summer Active Pass holder.

All details about the pass can be found at [www.richmond.ca/SummerPass](http://www.richmond.ca/SummerPass).

In partnership with Community Associations and Societies, this low-cost, unlimited pass is for 5- to 18-year-olds to participate in select drop-in activities including:

- Swimming, fitness centre access and select drop-in group fitness classes at Minoru Centre for Active Living and Watermania\*
- Swimming at South Arm and Steveston Outdoor Pools
- Skating\*\* at Richmond Ice Centre (public skating only)
- Golf\*\*\* at West Richmond Pitch & Putt
- Fitness Centre access and select drop-in group fitness classes\* at Cambie, City Centre, Hamilton, South Arm, Steveston, Thompson and West Richmond Community Centres
- Select drop-in activities at community centres. All drop-in programs that are included are listed below.

\*Fitness Centre access and select group fitness classes are available for 13- to 18-year-olds. An orientation, completed Informed Consent Form and Par-Q+ Fillable Form are required to use community fitness centres. Pre-booking an orientation is strongly recommended.



GET YOUR  
**Summer**  
ACTIVE PASS  
\$29

**SWIM. SKATE.  
GOLF. FITNESS.**  
YOUR ALL-ACCESS PASS  
TO SUMMER FUN!  
For 5 to 18 year olds  
[RICHMOND.CA/SUMMERPASS](http://RICHMOND.CA/SUMMERPASS)



# DISTRICT NEWS



City Centre Community Centre is offering:  
**Summer Day Camps at Anderson & Cook Elementary Schools from June 29 – August 21, 2026.**  
 Students must be born between 2017-2020 to be eligible for registration.

The schedule offers on-site programming for “In-Days” and off-site excursions for “Out-Trip” days.

Adventure Day Camps from August 24 – September 4, 2026.

3 ways to register: [richmond.ca/register](http://richmond.ca/register)



## City Centre Community Centre ANDERSON ELEMENTARY DAYCAMP– Born 2017-2020

Summer Coordinator: 604-204-8563 | Henry Anderson Elementary School 9460 Alberta Rd

July	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
9:00am-4:00pm (00519167) \$194.30	29 Summer Kick Off! In-Day	30 King George Park and Waterpark Out-Trip	1 No Camp	2 Superhero Day In-Day	3 Terra Nova Adventure Park Out-Trip
9:00am-4:00pm (00519232) \$242.90	5 Camp Create-It! In-Day	6 Edmonds Park and Waterpark Out-Trip	7 City Centre Olympics In-Day	8 Centennial Beach Out-Trip	9 Earth Day In-Day
9:00am-4:00pm (00519246) \$242.90	13 Mad Scientist Monday In-Day	14 H.R Macmillan Space Centre Out-Trip	15 Wild West Wednesday In-Day	16 Spanish Banks Sandcastle Competition Out-Trip	17 Fear Factor Friday In-Day
9:00am-4:00pm (00519256) \$242.90	20 Ocean Explorers In-Day	21 Second Beach Out-Trip	22 Alien Invasion Day In-Day	23 Douglas Park Out-Trip	24 Christmas in July In-Day
9:00am-4:00pm (00519258) \$242.90	27 City Centre Market In-Day	28 Steveston Park Waterpark Out-Trip	29 City Centre Market In-Day	30 Aquarium Out-Trip	31 City Centre Market In-Day

3 ways to register: [richmond.ca/register](http://richmond.ca/register) | 604-276-4300, Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5:00pm | In person at any community facility

**Campers to bring** (if applicable): A nut-free and healthy non-microwavable lunch and/or snack, filled water bottle, sunscreen, hat, swimsuit, towel and weather and activity appropriate clothing and footwear. Apply sunscreen **before** arriving to camp in the morning.

**Required:** A completed **Informed Consent and Permission Form** and **recent photo of child** must be submitted one week prior to start of camp. Find forms at [richmond.ca/camps](http://richmond.ca/camps). All activities are subject to change. Unless otherwise specified, if less than one week's notice is given, 50% of the fee will be provided. If notice is given on or after the start date of the camp, no refund will be provided. Transfers will be allowed with 72 hours notice prior to the start date of the camp.



## City Centre Community Centre ANDERSON ELEMENTARY DAYCAMP – Born 2017-2020

Summer Coordinator: 604-204-8563 | Henry Anderson Elementary School 9460 Alberta Rd

August	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
9:00am-4:00pm (00519261) \$194.30	4 No Camp	5 Pokémon Day In-Day	6 Unwin Park and Waterpark Out-Trip	7 Harry Potter Day In-Day	8 Brighthouse Library Out-Trip
9:00am-4:00pm (00519264) \$242.90	10 Amazing Race Day In-Day	11 Willoughby Park Out-Trip	12 Animal Planet In-Day	13 Science World In-Day	14 All Around the World In-Day
9:00am-4:00pm (00519265) \$242.90	17 Secret Agents Day In-Day	18 Queens Park and Water Park Out-Trip	19 Kids vs Leaders In-Day	20 Penzer Park Out-Trip	21 City Centers Got Talent In-Day

3 ways to register: [richmond.ca/register](http://richmond.ca/register) | 604-276-4300, Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5:00pm | In person at any community facility

**Campers to bring** (if applicable): A nut-free and healthy non-microwavable lunch and/or snack, filled water bottle, sunscreen, hat, swimsuit, towel and weather and activity appropriate clothing and footwear. Apply sunscreen **before** arriving to camp in the morning.

**Required:** A completed **Informed Consent and Permission Form** and **recent photo of child** must be submitted one week prior to start of camp. Find forms at [richmond.ca/camps](http://richmond.ca/camps). All activities are subject to change. Unless otherwise specified, if less than one week's notice is given, 50% of the fee will be provided. If notice is given on or after the start date of the camp, no refund will be provided. Transfers will be allowed with 72 hours notice prior to the start date of the camp.

# DISTRICT NEWS



City Centre Community Centre is offering:  
**Summer Day Camps at Anderson & Cook Elementary Schools from June 29 – August 21, 2026.**

Students must be born between 2017-2020 to be eligible for registration.

The schedule offers on-site programming for “In-Days” and off-site excursions for “Out-Trip” days.

Adventure Day Camps from August 24 – September 4, 2026.

3 ways to register: [richmond.ca/register](https://richmond.ca/register)



## City Centre Community Centre COOK ELEMENTARY DAYCAMP– Born 2017-2020

Summer Coordinator: 604-204-8563 | William Cook Elementary School 8600 Cook Rd

July	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
9:00am-4:00pm (00519371) \$194.30	29 Summer Kick Off In-Day	30 King George Park and Waterpark Out-Trip	1 No Camp	2 Superhero Day In-Day	3 Terra Nova Adventure Park Out-Trip
9:00am-4:00pm (00519394) \$242.90	5 Camp Create-It! In-Day	6 Edmonds Park and Waterpark Out-Trip	7 City Centre Olympics In-Day	8 Centennial Beach Out-Trip	9 Earth Day In-Day
9:00am-4:00pm (00519399) \$242.90	13 Mad Scientist Monday In-Day	14 H.R Macmillan Space Centre Out-Trip	15 Wild West Wednesday In-Day	16 Spanish Banks Sandcastle Competition Out-Trip	17 Fear Factor Friday In-Day
9:00am-4:00pm (00519706) \$242.90	20 Ocean Explorers In-Day	21 Second Beach Out-Trip	22 Alien Invasion Day In-Day	23 Douglas Park Out-Trip	24 Christmas in July In-Day
9:00am-4:00pm (00519708) \$242.90	27 City Centre Market In-Day	28 Steveston Park Waterpark Out-Trip	29 City Centre Market In-Day	30 Aquarium Out-Trip	31 City Centre Market In-Day

3 ways to register: [richmond.ca/register](https://richmond.ca/register) | 604-276-4300, Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5:00pm | In person at any community facility

**Campers to bring** (if applicable): A nut-free and healthy non-microwavable lunch and/or snack, filled water bottle, sunscreen, hat, swimsuit, towel and weather and activity appropriate clothing and footwear. Apply sunscreen **before** arriving to camp in the morning.



## City Centre Community Centre COOK ELEMENTARY DAYCAMP– Born 2017-2020

Summer Coordinator: 604-204-8563 | William Cook Elementary School 8600 Cook Rd

August	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
9:00am-4:00pm (00519714) \$194.30	4 No Camp	5 Pokémon Day In-Day	6 Unwin Park and Waterpark Out-Trip	7 Harry Potter Day In-Day	8 Brighthouse Library Out-Trip
9:00am-4:00pm (00519716) \$242.90	10 Amazing Race Day In-Day	11 Willoughby Park Out-Trip	12 Animal Planet In-Day	13 Science World In-Day	14 All Around the World In-Day
9:00am-4:00pm (00519719) \$242.90	17 Secret Agents Day In-Day	18 Queens Park and Water Park Out-Trip	19 Kids vs Leaders In-Day	20 Penzer Park Out-Trip	21 City Centers Got Talent In-Day

3 ways to register: [richmond.ca/register](https://richmond.ca/register) | 604-276-4300, Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5:00pm | In person at any community facility

**Campers to bring** (if applicable): A nut-free and healthy non-microwavable lunch and/or snack, filled water bottle, sunscreen, hat, swimsuit, towel and weather and activity

**Required:** A completed **Informed Consent and Permission Form** and **recent photo of child** must be submitted one week prior to start of camp. Find forms at [richmond.ca/camps](https://richmond.ca/camps).

All activities are subject to change. Unless otherwise specified, if less than one week's notice is given, 50% of the fee will be provided. If notice is given on or after the start date will be provided. Transfers will be allowed with 72 hours notice the camp.



## City Centre Community Centre ADVENTURE DAYCAMPS

Chanel Barcelon: 604-204-8563 | City Centre Community Centre

AUG/SEPT	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
9:00am-4:00pm (00518249 MP Room, 519259 Social Room) \$331.80	24 Yorkson Community Park	25 Britannia Shipyards	26 Confederation Park	27 South Arm Pool	28 Bear Creek Park and Waterpark
9:00am-4:00pm (00522581 MP Room, 522589 Social Room) \$331.80	31 Grimston Park	1 Maplewood Farm	2 John Lawson Park and Waterpark	3 Watermania	4 Terra Nova Adventure Park

3 ways to register: [richmond.ca/register](https://richmond.ca/register) | 604-276-4300, Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5:00pm | In person at any community facility

**Campers to bring** (if applicable): A nut-free and healthy non-microwavable lunch and/or snack, filled water bottle, sunscreen, hat, swimsuit, towel and weather and activity appropriate clothing and footwear. Apply sunscreen **before** arriving to camp in the morning.

**Required:** A completed **Informed Consent and Permission Form** and **recent photo of child** must be submitted one week prior to start of camp. Find forms at [richmond.ca/camps](https://richmond.ca/camps). All activities are subject to change. Unless otherwise specified, if less than one week's notice is given, 50% of the fee will be provided. If notice is given on or after the start date of the camp, no refund will be provided. Transfers will be allowed with 72 hours notice prior to the start date of the camp.

# 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)