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Quilchena Community

The Week Ahead ~ June 26th – June 30th

We invite families to visit the School Calendar on our website: <https://quilchena.sd38.bc.ca/> for all of our future notable dates and events. Simply click on the ‘event’ for more details.

June – National Indigenous History Month

June 26 – Final Summary of Learning Available for Families

June 27 – Year End Recognition & Goodbye Assembly (10:30am)

June 28 – Grade 7 Farewell Assembly (10:30am)

June 29 – Last Day of School for Students (full day)

June 30 – Administrative Day (Staff Only)



As we enter our last week together and reflect on our year, it has been a year full of learning and special moments. We experienced many highlights and activities this year - Camp, Family Teams, Field Trips, Sport Teams, Assemblies, Movie Night, Book Fair, Cyclone Day and Beach Day to name a few. It was wonderful to connect as a community. Enjoy your weekend Cyclones and we look forward to wrapping up a successful school year next week!

In Other Quilchena News:

Year End Farewell Assemblies: On Tuesday, June 27th at 10:30am, we will be having our *Year End Recognition Assembly* where we will be celebrating our year together and saying some goodbyes to some of our staff who will be leaving us. All parents are invited and welcome to attend this assembly if you wish.

On Wednesday, June 28th at 10:30am, we will be having our *Grade 7 Farewell Assembly* to recognize our Grade 7 students who will be moving on to high school next year. **This assembly is for our students and Grade 7 families only due to capacity and limited space in our gym.**



Written Learning Update: Final Summary of Learning: As we did over the first two terms, the MyEducation BC Parent Portal will be the site where you can view attendance, contact information, and published report cards. This year we have been using the MyEducation BC Parent Portal to publish all Learning Updates (report cards) at Quilchena. *We will also be uploading a copy of your child(ren)'s Final Summary of Learning on their e-portfolio on Monday, June 26th. More information about the Parent Portal was emailed to all families at the beginning of the school year and has been posted on our school website. You will need to download and save a copy of your child's report if you wish to keep a copy.*

Summer Gardening Volunteers: Thank you so much to the families that have signed up to care for our school gardens this summer. We rely heavily on your time and effort to sustain the hard work that your children have put in over the months - THANK YOU! There are a few weeks still open if you would like to lend a hand click [here](#) A brief orientation will be arranged if you are unfamiliar with the garden-care routine.



Notice of Late Return: School restarts on Tuesday, September 5th and we hope to see everyone on this date. Should extenuating circumstances prevent your child from attending the first day of school, please complete the attached form along with a written explanation of why your child's return to school will be delayed, send these to Mrs. Kusch. It is the expectation that all students will be in attendance by Wednesday, September 13th. Failure to do so may result in your child losing their placement at Quilchena and they may have to attend another school upon their late return.



PAC News: Our two current PAC roles of *Fundraising Coordinator* and *Food Days Coordinator* will need filling in the 2024/2025 school year. If you are interested in either of these roles, would like to learn more, or would like to "shadow" one of these roles in the 2023/2024 school year, please contact Lana at quilchenafundraising@gmail.com



A Peek Into Division 1 & 5's Dyke Walk

