



McKay's Week-At-A-Glance (WAAG) for McKay Families:

April 17th – 21st



Spring Has Finally Arrived At McKay:

Another successful week is in the books, with Track Attack for our Grade 4 to 7 students going very well, and lots of exciting indoor and outdoor learning activities taking place. Despite the cool temperatures, Spring is definitely here. Our garden beds are looking great, with lots of flowers blooming and vegetables growing well.

Lots to Celebrate and Acknowledge During This Special Time Of Year:

Thank you to those parents who volunteered to help with learning stations for our Diversity Days, where we will highlight some of the many cultures that make McKay such a special place to call home. Our Planning Committee will reach out soon to those who responded to the request for volunteers. On a related note, it is important to acknowledge the many annual cultural traditions and festivals that are taking place for our families at this time of year... Passover came to an end last night, Vaisakhi celebrations are taking place this weekend and next, and Ramadan continues until April 22nd.

Highlights For The Week Ahead Include:

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| Monday 17th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fruit, Veggies and Dairy Delivery Day: Cheese Sticks |
| Tuesday 18th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outdoor Ed Meeting for Students in Grades 5 and 6: 11:00 am re Sept 18 - 20, 2023 trip for next year's Grade 6s and 7s |
| Wednesday 19th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Track Attack: Day 5 in the afternoon Grade 6/7 Basketball Team Pizza Lunch: Congrats on a great season of hoops! |
| Thursday 20th | |
| Friday 21st | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sushi Lunch Day: Enjoy! Track Attack: Day 6 in the afternoon |

Upcoming Important Dates, and Special Events at McKay:

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| Mon April 24 | Outdoor Ed Info Meeting for Parents of Grade 5s and 6s: an invitation was sent home today. |
| Tues April 25 | Immunization Clinic for Ks, Grade 1s, 6s, and 7s In the morning |
| Mon May 1 | PAC Meeting on Zoom: 7:30 – 8:45 pm |
| Wed May 3 | Track Assembly For Students and Staff Attending the Zone Meet: 1:30 pm in the gym |
| Thurs May 4 | Zone Track Meet: Grades 4 to 7 at Minoru |
| Fri May 5 | Diversity Day #1: As outlined in the Notice sent home today – Parents are invited to volunteer |
| Thurs May 11 | Grade 6/7 Band at Gateway: 6:00 – 8:30 pm with Mr. Sars |
| Fri May 12 | Diversity Day #2: Deadline to volunteer for both days is Friday, April 14 |
| Thurs May 18 | Jump Rope For Heart – In the Afternoon on our Play Fields |
| Fri May 19 | District-wide Pro-D Day: No school in session for students |
| Mon May 22 | Victoria Day Holiday |
| Tues May 23 | School-Wide Panorama and Grade 7 Photos: In the afternoon - outside |
| Wed May 24 | Kindergarten Open House: An invite to families of next year's K's will be sent home in April |
| Fri May 26 | Booster Juice Lunch Day |
| Mon May 29 | Arts Starts "Great Canadian Invention Circus" Theatre Performance: 9:00 am |
| Fri June 16 | Sports Day / PAC Pizza Lunch Day |
| Wed June 21 | National Indigenous People's Day: Stay tuned for more info on this special day at school. |
| Mon June 26 | Grade 7 Farewell Assembly and Luncheon |
| Thurs June 29 | Last Day of Instruction for the 2022-2023 School Year Year End Recognition Assembly: 9:00 – 10:15 am |
| Fri June 30 | Admin Day: First Day of Summer Break for all Elementary students in BC |

*A Reminder: Please report lates and absences to our Early Warning Phone Number at **604-668-6572***