

NEWSLETTER #9

May, 2025



TRACK AND FIELD

This year's Zone Track Meet will take place on Wednesday, May 21st at Minoru Track. Our grade 4 – 7 students have been participating in Track

Attack here at school during the past few weeks, and will be participating in the events at the Zone Track Meet on May 21st. Permission forms will be coming home soon as we near the Zone Track Meet.

CLASS PLACEMENTS

NEXT YEAR

Each year, staff spend considerable time determining the placement of students in classes for the next school year.

Student considerations include:

- *Learning style, strengths and needs
- *Degree of independence in work habits
- *Social and personal characteristics
- *Previous year's placement
- *Parent knowledge of their child

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 the 2024/2025 school year, please take this opportunity to submit this information to the office in writing by Friday, June 6th. This information will be shared with teachers during the meetings held to create tentative class placements. Please do not request specific teachers, as at this time we do not know which teacher will be teaching which grades next year.



PAC MEETINGS

Grauer Parent Advisory Council has our last meeting of the year on Wednesday, June 4th from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. in the school Library. We will also send out an online link to allow families to join us

virtually as well. We are still looking for new members, so please come and join us!

PRO-D DAYS

A reminder that Friday, May 16th is our final Professional Development Day of the year and students will not attend school on this day. The following Monday, May 19th is Victoria Day and school will also be closed that day.



TTK BAKE SALE

Tomorrow's Top Kids before and after school care (TTK) will be hosting a chocolate chip cookie sale outside Door 7 at dismissal on May 28th! Come by with a loonie or two and treat yourself and your kid(s) to some fun baked goods! All proceeds will go to BC Children's Hospital Foundation.

GRADE 7 FAREWELL

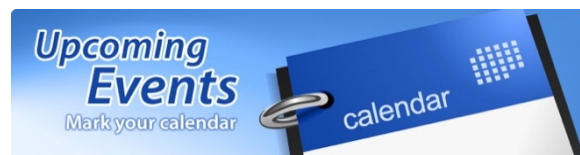
Mark your calendars Gr. 7 parents, as we have set our Gr. 7 Farewell date for the morning of Tuesday, June 24th. More information to come as we get closer to the date.



PHOENIX DAY: TUESDAY, JUNE 10th



Phoenix Day (Sports Day) will take place on Tuesday, June 10th. Please note this will be a 1:30 early dismissal day.



May 16	Professional Development Day – School Closed
May 19	Victoria Day – School Closed
May 21	Zone Track Meet – Grade 4-7
May 22	Welcome to Kindergarten
May 23	Hot Lunch
June 3	Class Photo Day
June 4	PAC Meeting
June 10	Phoenix Day
June 17	Band Concert (p.m.)
June 20	Hot Lunch
June 20	PAC Movie Night
June 24	Grade 7 Farewell (a.m.)
June 26	Reports Available Online
June 26	Last Day for Students

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**R.M. GRAUER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CALENDAR
2025-2026**



September		February	
Tue Sep 2	School Opening Day	Tues Feb 10	Parent/Teacher Conference Early Dismissal @ 11:45am
Mon Sep 22	Professional Development Day	Fri Feb 13	Professional Development Day (District Wide)
Tues Sep 30	National Day of Truth & Reconciliation (school not in session)	Mon Feb 16	Family Day (school not in session)
October		March	
Mon Oct 13	Thanksgiving Day (school not in session)	Mon Mar 16 - Fri Mar 27	Spring Vacation
Tues Oct 21	Parent/Teacher Conference Early Dismissal @ 11:45am	Mon Mar 30	Schools Re-open
Fri Oct 24	Professional Development Day (Province Wide)		
November		April	
Tues Nov 11	Remembrance Day (school not in session)	Fri Apr 3	Good Friday (school not in session)
		Mon Apr 6	Easter Monday (school not in session)
December		Thur Apr 23	Term 2 Reports Published
Mon Dec 1	Professional Development Day	May	
Thur Dec 18	Term 1 Reports Published	Fri May 15	Professional Development Day (District Wide)
Mon Dec 22 - Fri Jan 2	Winter Vacation	Mon May 18	Victoria Day (school not in session)
January		June	
Mon Jan 5	Schools Re-open	Thu Jun 25	Term 3 Reports Published/Last day for Students
Mon Jan 26	Professional Development Day	Enjoy your summer!	

SCHOOL HOURS

Monday - Friday	
8:45 am	Classes begin
10:09 – 10:24 am	Recess break
11:47 – 12:39 pm	Lunch Break
2:45 pm Classes end	

Other school events will be communicated to our community via our website or newsletters or email.