



syuwénct Elementary

NewsFlash

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CHECK THIS OUT!

Mr. Drown's grade 6/7 class has been learning about the various plants found in the marsh. They go on two nature walks a week and have been researching the various species they see. Mr. Drown shared, "Here is the link to the plants of syuwénct website that the class has been working on making this school year. I have just published it and some parts are still a work in progress. It is something that will be added to in future school years as well."

<https://sites.google.com/learn68.ca/plantsofsyuwenc't>

Next steps include a sign with a QR code will be added to the sign at the trail head so that anyone can learn right along with our students! How cool is this!!



Division 16 at syuwénct elementary school welcome you to our interpretive page of the plants that we find and study in the place surrounding our school.

Please use this knowledge to better understand the ecosystem we live in.

Each week our class goes out to study and track the changes in plants that we see to help us better understand our place and the effects of climate change on them.



LOST AND FOUND!



Time is ticking ... we will be donating all unclaimed items!

CALENDAR UPDATES!

Visit our website for the most up to date calendar updates! <https://ct.schools.sd68.bc.ca/>

May 29	Div 8 & 9 Swimming Beban Park
May 30	Welcome to Kindergarten!
May 30	Powerplay Fair – 8 students and Ian
June 1	Month End Assembly Div 3 & 4
June 1	Div 13 Bowling – Public transit
June 2	Swim to Survive – Westwood Lake – Grade 7
June 5	Div 14 to Victoria
June 5	Div 8 & 15 – Bowling
June 6	Div 3, 4, 5 to Maffeo Sutton Park
June 7	Parent Appreciation Tea
June 8	District Track Meet
June 8	Div 10 to Parksville (Riptide Golf)
June 8	Div 1 & 2 to Hamilton Hobby Farms
June 9	Fun Lunch – Dairy Queen – Div 16 to help
June 9	Pride Parade – Rainbow River with Ms. Jena
June 14	K/1 Talent Show
June 14	PAC OPEN HOUSE – CHILDMINDING INCLUDED!
June 15	Div 5 to Departure Bay 9:30-1:45
June 15	Div 13 & 9 to Riptide/Rath Trevor 9:00-2:00
June 16	Talent Show
June 20	Div 12 to Kin Pool and Disc Golf
June 20	Div 3 & 4 to Departure Bay Waterpark
June 21	Indigenous Peoples of Canada Day
June 23	Grade 7s to Wildplay
June 23	Fun Day, Hot Dog lunch (free) from PAC
June 26	Rath Trevor
June 27	Grade 7 Assembly and Bowen Park trip
June 28	Final Assembly
June 29	Last Day for students, water fight, report cards emailed home!
June 30	Enjoy your summer vacation!

I hear there will be snacks! Come meet the PAC and see what they are all about!

TRACK AND FIELD

We had 61 students represent syuwé'nc̓t at the Zone Track and Field meet on Thursday. Thank you to Ms. Dickie who got everything organized so quickly and supported our students at the meet, and to Mr. Drown, Ms. Williams and Ms. Hawkins who helped make the event run successfully. We don't have the final results yet, however we do expect some of our students will advance to the District Meet June 8.



Students got to wear our new jerseys! They looked stunning!

CELEBRATION OF LEARNING

Mrs. Odynski's class had an amazing Comic Con a few weeks ago. Today, they held an official awards ceremony. This is what Mrs. Odynski shared with her families:

We had a very successful Awards Ceremony. Everyone was nominated, and there were quite a few winners! Most students had the opportunity to deliver their acceptance speech, including the ones who were simply nominated. As audience members, Division 9 was respectful throughout the ceremony. Students were applauding and cheering continuously as their fellow peers were recognized for their hard work. Well done on showing EXCELLENT sportsmanship, Division 9!

Our class is extremely grateful for the intermediate classes who took the time to vote for our comics. Thank you to our students who dressed up for the event and made the moment a little bit more special.

Here are a few remarks made at the end of the ceremony:

"This is the best day ever!"

"For the first time, I feel special."

"I believe people voted for me for this award because all my hard work in one page = a lot of happiness"



Ummm... triplets!



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PAC FOR THE SUPPORT!



One of the many ways that the PAC (Parent Advisory Council) supports the school is through the funding for ArtStarts performances. Over the past few weeks, students have been entertained by “Andy the Musical Scientist” and the “Great Canadian Invention Circus”. Students got a chance to “help” in both performances.



At syuwéniict we
keep our hands and
our feet to
ourselves!



At syuwéniict we use
kind words and
school language!
Kind words
are spoken here.

CHILD GOING TO BE AWAY?

Email info.CT@sd68.bc.ca or call us at 250-729-0450.

[Our new name populates in the email message](#) 😊



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