



## Colwood Elementary News May 10, 2024

### DATES TO REMEMBER:

- Tuesday, May 14 – Anything but a Backpack Day
- Thursday, May 16 – Popcorn Day
- Friday, May 17 – Non-Instructional Day – No School
- Monday, May 20 – Victoria Day – No School
- Thursday, May 23 – Hot Lunch – Hot Dog Day
- Friday, May 24 – Bus Driver Appreciation Day
- Tuesday, May 28 – Parent Appreciation
- Thursday, May 30 – Popcorn Day
- Friday, May 31 – Fun Fair 5:30-8PM



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[See page 3 for pictures from our Chalk Day!](#)

### **Spongy Moth Treatment May 13 & 14**

Just a quick update that there is a scheduled treatment in the Royal Roads Forest on Monday and Tuesday, so we are going to have all students proceed to the gym immediately after being dropped off on Monday and Tuesday. Thank you for your cooperation.

### **Friday, May 24 – Bus Driver Appreciation Day**

Friday, May 24 is Bus Driver Appreciation Day. Each day they safely transport over 4,200 district students to and from school. Please consider doing something to recognize them on this day.

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**Reminder Regarding Playground Usage During School Hours** – Please do not play on the playground during school hours as our classes use those spaces for school activities.






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### Fun Fair Volunteer Opportunities

  The Colwood Elementary Fun Fair is less than 1 month away, and the PAC is looking for volunteers. Shifts include set up, concession, selling tickets, games and clean up. ANY amount of volunteering is greatly appreciated and will help make this family event a success. Please sign 

<https://volunteersignup.org/EMLKH>

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### Jar Game Collection

PAC is looking to collect jars for the Jar Game. Please send in clean jars (or containers) filled with items like small toys, arts and craft supplies, or even individually wrapped candies, so that we can give them out as prizes in the Jar Game. This is the perfect opportunity to clean out your toy bin or even head to the dollar store for something new. Jars will be collected from the classrooms and stored in the library up until the day of the Fun Fair. **We have set an ambitious goal of collecting 550 jars.** We have collected just under 200 so far! If we reach the goal, we will get to dump a big bucket of slime on Mr. Lowther!

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### Hot Lunch

If your child is going to be away and you would like to pick up their hot lunch in the office at noon an email must be sent by 9:30 am to [colwoodhotlunch@hotmail.com](mailto:colwoodhotlunch@hotmail.com). Please include the child's name and division. If an email is not received, the lunch will be donated to another child in need.



**Attendance Email:** [colwood@sd62.bc.ca](mailto:colwood@sd62.bc.ca)

Please email the school and the student's teacher to excuse their late or absence. Make sure your student's name and grade are in the email. Teachers email addresses can be found [here](#).

If you will be arriving early to pick up your student, please send an email as soon as possible to the office and the teacher. This process allows for a quick and easy pick up when you arrive.

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Chalk Day Pictures!



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**FRIDAY • MAY 24th**

On May 24th, let's show our appreciation  
to all the people who deliver our kids  
safely to and from school.