



# Colwood Elementary News

## May 16, 2025

### Upcoming Dates to Remember

- Monday, May 19 – Victoria Day – No School
- Thursday, May 22 – Hot Lunch – Subway
- Thursday, May 22 – Spring Showcase Afternoon & Evening Concerts
- Friday, May 23 – Pancake Breakfast
- Thursday, May 29 – Popcorn Day
- Thursday, May 29 – Jump Rope for Heart
- Thursday, June 5 – Hot Lunch – Boston Pizza
- Thursday, June 5 – Track Meet at Royal Bay
- Friday, June 6 – Kindergarten Orientation
- Wednesday, June 11 – PAC Meeting AGM 6:30
- Thursday, June 12 – Popcorn Day
- Thursday, June 12 – Fun Fair



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### Jump Rope for Heart

Colwood Elementary is participating in Jump Rope for Heart this year on May 29<sup>th</sup>. Our goal is to raise \$200 as a school. Please donate \$1.00-\$2.00 using the provided link: [Colwood Elementary - Victoria | Heart & Stroke Jump Rope for Heart](#)

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### Warm Weather Care

Now that our warm weather has arrived, it is great to see our students in hats and sunglasses. Please take the time in the morning before school to put some sunscreen on your child if that is your practice and be sure to send them with a water bottle so they stay hydrated during the day. Thank you for being sun aware.

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### Spring Showcase

Welcome to **Colwood's Spring Showcase** happening on May 22, 2025! Join us at **Colwood Elementary** for an evening filled with fun and entertainment. The event kicks off at **6:00 PM** and promises to be a night to remember. Come and enjoy performances, art displays, and more from our talented students. Don't miss out on this exciting opportunity to support our school community. See you there! The afternoon showcase is intended for families whose schedules allow them to attend at that time and do not require an entry ticket. 2 tickets per family please. Extra tickets will be released closer to the date if required. The afternoon showcase will be the same as the evening showcase.

Get your tickets here: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/colwoods-spring-showcase-may-22-2025-tickets-1319584846799?aff=oddtcreator>



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### Fun Fair June 12

The Fun Fair is Thursday, June 12th. We need lots of volunteers to help make this event successful! Help is needed in three key areas: set up before the fair starts, games/activities during the fair, and clean up at the end. Please consider volunteering and/or bringing any middle or high school siblings to help out as well. View the full list of stations/time slots and sign up here: [volunteersignup.org/BP8WY](https://volunteersignup.org/BP8WY)

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### Jar Game Donations

We are now looking to collect jars to be used as prizes in the Jar Game, the most popular game at the Fun Fair! Please send in clean jars (or any containers) filled with small items like toys, crafts, candy, etc. This is the perfect opportunity to do some spring cleaning by clearing out your toy bin or even heading to the dollar store for something new. We have set an ambitious goal of collecting 500 jars. If we reach that goal, we will tape two staff members to the wall: Ms. Chow & Ms. Tonnesen!!



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### **Supervision Before School Starts at 8:15AM**

There is supervision available each morning from 8:15AM until the first bell. Please do not send your children to school before this time unless you are going to supervise them until 8:15AM. ***Please note*** that we do not have after-school supervision, so encourage your children to make their way home after school as soon as possible.

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### **PAC Fundraisers - Everyday Fundraisers:**

- Mabel's Labels - Click "Support a Fundraiser" and search "Colwood Elementary"
- Cobs Bread Westshore - Mention "Colwood Elementary" at the checkout
- Glenwood Meats - Save your receipts and send them into the school
- Co-op Gas - Member #74600
- Alpine Return-It Centre - Mention "Colwood Elementary" when you drop off your beverage containers

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### **School Cash Online**

Recently, payments and field trip permission forms have been issued through the School Cash Online website. Please make sure you have signed your [Consents](#) and then go to the [School Cash Online](#) website. You will need your child's PEN number (9 digits). Once you add your student, you will be able to see Items available for purchase. There is a PDF attachment with detailed instructions on how to get it set up. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

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

Please email the school and the student's teacher to excuse their lateness 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.

**Myed BC Parent Portal** Access [here](#)

**Online Consent Forms** Access [here](#)

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**COLWOOD  
ELEMENTARY  
FUN FAIR**

Thursday, June 12th  
6:00 – 8:00 pm  
Concession opens at 5:30pm

Join us for this fun-filled  
family event!

Buy Tickets to Play Games & Win Prizes

- DUCK POND • BOUNCE HOUSE •
- JAR GAME • PLINKO •
- WHEEL OF FORTUNE •
- and much more

Plus lots of other free activities

50/50 & Silent Auction will be held online