

SEAVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Principal's Message

This is the final newsletter of the 2018-2019 school year. This has been a memorable year and I am proud of all of our students' accomplishments and growth since September. They consistently represent Seaview School in a positive way.

On behalf of the Seaview staff, I would like to take this opportunity to thank our hard working PAC for all their efforts during the past school year. Everyone at Seaview appreciates the support we receive from our parent community. It is this support that helps make our school a great place to work and learn. Your dedication, commitment and time are greatly valued.

Thank you to all of our dedicated staff that work hard to provide each student with a meaningful education and for sponsoring a number of events that help enrich their school experience. Their efforts and contributions are much appreciated.

June is a month for changes. We would like to say good-bye to the families that have students moving onto high school and to those families that are moving away from the Seaview area. We wish you every success in your new school! I myself will be moving to Chase River Elementary next year. I would like to extend my deepest gratitude to the Seaview community for making the last 5 years so enjoyable. Working at Seaview has been a highlight of my career and I cherish the connections I have made with the staff, parents, and of course the amazing students. Thank you all of you and I wish you the best.

On behalf of all the staff I wish you all a safe and enjoyable summer and look forward to seeing you in September.

Sincerely, David Cooper

Grade 7 Farewell Assembly

We welcome you to the grade 7 assembly on Wednesday, June 26th at 10:45 in our gym. This assembly is where we honour our Grade 7 students who will be heading off to high school in September.

Yearend School Assembly

There is an all school recognition assembly on Thursday, June 27th at 9:00 in our gym. This assembly is to honour any departing staff and celebrate our year together.

2019-2020 School Supply Lists

All school supplies for the coming year will be purchased by the teachers. You will be notified in September if they require any additional items ie: calculators, binders, gym strip and indoor shoes. Once students are placed with their teacher for the year, a notice of the cost of supplies will be sent home. If you see a supply list at any local store, that list is not current and has not been submitted to that store for distribution.

2019-2020 Bus Registration

Bus Registration is due July 1, 2019 for the 2019-20 school year.

All Nanaimo Ladysmith Public School (NLPS) bus riders will require a 2019-2020 Z-Pass card to ride the bus on both morning and afternoon runs. The cards will be distributed at the school indicated on the registration in September. Every bus rider is required to register <u>each</u> school year.

If your student was on the bus last year you should have received an e-mail with your user name and password to re-register. The

heading for the e-mail was "2019-2020 Bus Registration". The e-mail provides all the information and links to facilitate registration. Please check to see if you have received this e-mail before contacting the Transportation office.

If you have any questions contact the Transportation Department at:

FA-DispatchCoordinator@sd68.bc.ca

Good-bye to Some Special People

We will be saying good-bye to some special staff members this year. We are always sad to say good-bye to people who have made a significant contribution to our school, but we wish them well as they move on to their new positions in the district.

Mrs. Catherine Brunt (SLP) and Ms. Sara Stremel (EA) are both retiring. The following staff members are moving on to other positions. Ms. Silverton, Mr. Weighill, Mr. Paugh, Mr. Newton, Mrs. Landry, Mrs. Lange, Mrs. Corcoran, and Mrs. Taekema.

The students, staff, and parents appreciate the positive contributions made by each of these staff members. We hope to meet up with them again sometime in the future.

Welcome New Staff

With a number of staff leaving we will be welcoming new staff at Seaview. At this time we can welcome our new classroom teachers: Ms. Andrea Doak and Ms. Meghan Carver. There are still a few positions to fill before the end of the year.

Are You Moving?

Schools are in the process of preparing school organizations for the 2018-2019 school year. It is important that we have accurate student numbers in order to project the number of classes required for next year. If you are moving to another school or district, please phone Mrs. Sanderson in the office at your earliest convenience. Or if you know of someone that is planning on registering at Seaview, encourage them to do so as soon as possible. Student space is only guaranteed to those who register prior to June 15th. Thank you.

Student Medications

If your child has medication in the school office, please remember to pick it up before July 5th. We are unable to send medications home with students.

School Garden

Our school garden continues to be a place of learning. This requires a lot of volunteer time to make sure it is maintained. Seaview staff would like to thank parents Ashely Stevens and Marina Hawkeswood for supporting student activities in the garden. An additional thank you is extended to the Johnson and Hansen families for their donation of the new garden bed. Ms. Davis and Mrs. Booth have been integral in ensuring the garden has become a learning hub. Their efforts are much appreciated.

Taking Care of our School

Over the summer months many people use the school fields and playground. Sometimes this will occur later in the evening. If you see activities that are dangerous or destructive to the building or to others, please do not hesitate to call the RCMP non – emergency 250-754-2345 or the school district security (250-754-9511). In this way we can ensure that our school grounds remain a safe place for everyone and our building remains secure.

Early/Extended Summer Vacation?

If you are leaving early or enjoying a continued vacation in September, kindly call the office and let us know. It is imperative that we are aware if your child will be returning, as spaces cannot be held.



Important Dates

Co-operative Games Day
Gr 7 Leaving Assembly 10:45
Year End Assembly 9am
Final Report Card Issued 2:30
Last Day of School
June 27
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The school office will close on July 5th and it will reopen again on August 26th

Welcome Back to School

Sept 3rd

(if your child will not be at school on June 27th we will be happy to mail their report card to you. Please provide Nina with a self-addressed stamped envelope)

Div. 12: Ahnon (Tsunami) & Dallas (Solar Storm)

Bonus: Maya (Avalanche) & Sophia S (Fire Storm)

Thanks to all the students who are busy making Seaview such a great place to be!

House Points Update



Our house team competition is verv close. The current Team House Point Standings are: Avalanche (68),Fire

Storm (60), and Solar Storm (62), Tsunami (58).

Final points will be determined after the co-op games.

Seaview Storm Alerts



Following are the names of some of our wonderful Seaview Students who had their names drawn at our Storm Alert Assembly.

These students received a house team pencil and a point for their house team. Their name along with all the other students receiving a storm alert will be entered into a prize draw for later in the year.

Our recent storm alert draw winners were:

Div. 1: Taylor (Fire Storm) & Emma P (Solar Storm)

Div. 2: Erica (Fire Storm) & Graiden (Fire Storm)

Div. 3: Amelia (Tsunami) & Owen (Fire Storm)

Div. 4: Elijah (Tsunami) & Graham (Avalanche)

Div. 5: Aaden (Solar Storm) & Max (Solar Storm)

Div. 6: Sophia Pe (Fire Storm) & Ivy (Avalanche)

Div. 7: Owen (Fire Storm) & Fiona (Avalanche)

Div. 8: Cooper (Tsunami) & Brooke (Solar Storm)

Div. 9: Gianna (Avalanche) & Mateo (Avalanche)

Div. 10: Webster (Solar Storm) & Mylee (Tsunami)

Div. 11: Talia (Tsunami) & Payton (Tsunami)

Library

Please take a look around home for any books that need to be returned to the school. Ms. Canty would appreciate all books returned by June 24th.



Have a safe, fun and memorable summer