Newsletter JUNE 2025

CAPITOL HILL SCHOOL



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DAILY SCHEDULE

School Begins: 8:50am Recess: 10:30 am Lunch: 12:00pm Classes Resume:

12:45pm Dismissal: 2:47pm

Principal's Message

Dear Capitol Hill Community,

Where has the time gone? It's hard to believe we have arrived at June the final month of what has been a truly memorable and meaningful school year at Capitol Hill.

As acting principal, I have had the privilege of witnessing the care and commitment of this community in action. From the very beginning, I have felt welcomed and supported by our students, staff, and families. One of my greatest joys of this year has been building connections, whether it was engaging with students outside or in the hallways, collaborating with our dedicated staff, or meeting families at school events, these relationships have made my time here very rewarding.

And now, June brings even more to celebrate! We will be looking forward to days swimming at Eileen Dailly, having a hands-on adventure at Science World, and the much-anticipated Grade 7 trip to Camp Elphinstone. We will cheer each other on during our exciting Sport's Day event, and finally, we will gather with pride for our Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony, a moment to honour our students' growth and send them off with our best wishes.

Capitol Hill is a truly special place, and I feel incredibly fortunate to have been part of this journey with you all.

Warmly,

Grady Hunter **Acting Principal** Capitol Hill Elementary

STAY INFORMED!

View the monthly newsletter, calendar, upcoming events, and all school updates on our school's website at: https://capitolhill.burnabyschools.ca/

School News



It is helpful for us to know of those families in our community who plan to move out of the Capitol Hill catchment and who plan to attend a

different school. This enables us to prepare transfer forms in advance, and for the school to have a more accurate count for next year. For any families moving, please email capitolhill.info@burnabyschools.ca or phone (604)296-9037 and provide your child's name and grade. Thank you!



Capitol Hill families are invited to come and watch the fun at our Sports Day being held on Friday, June 20th starting from 9am-12pm. Students have been placed into colour teams, and we are encouraging students to wear their team colour.

EARLY DISMISSAL will follow at 1:00pm on this day!



GRADE 7 LEAVING CEREMONY

We will be saying farewell and good luck to our grade 7 students at the Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony on Tuesday, June 24th at 10:15am in the school gym.

All grade 7 parents, grandparents & siblings are welcome to attend.



REPORT CARDS HOME

Final report cards will be distributed on Thursday, June 26th, the last day of school. EARLY DISMISSAL will follow at 10AM on this morning.

The final report card will explain your child's progress throughout the final term of the school year. Please take the time to recognize and celebrate with your child their accomplishments for this school year.



BATTLE OF THE BOOKS



The upper intermediate Battle of the Books wrapped up in the North Zone Finals being hosted at our school. Seaforth, Rosser, Aubrey, and Sperling brought

their top Battle teams to compete in the final 30 trivia questions about the 10 novels selected. Our Capitol Hill Battle of the Books team, from Division 4, showed their vast knowledge of the books and we're so proud of their great work!

Some lower intermediate classes have also been participating in Capitol Hill's Battle of the Books. The energy is palpable when these classes gather and put their knowledge to the test! 15 novels have been selected, but only one will reign supreme and be chosen as the ultimate novel! Students get a chance to speak on behalf of their favourite book and then vote to see which novel moves on to the finals.

LIBRARY YEAR END



As we near the end of the year, students are asked to return all library books by Friday, June 13th so the library can be inventoried. Overdue notices will be handed out to students. If the books have been lost.

families are asked to pay the book's cost or donate a book in kind to the library before June 26th.



If your child has a black LIBRARY BOOK BAG that they used this year, please return them to school by June 13th so that they can be used again next year.

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LAST DAY OF SCHOOL REMINDER

Just a reminder that our school year goes until the end of the month. Our last day of school is **Thursday**, **June 26**th from 9:00-10:00am when report cards will be handed out and **students will be dismissed at 10:00am**.

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Please join us for our last PAC meeting of the year on Thursday, June 12th at 6:30pm in the school library. All parents/guardians are welcome to attend!

The Girls at Bat team hosted two representatives from the Jays Foundation for an All-Star Skills session at the end of May. They led a fun-filled session featuring lots of engaging skills and drills. Capitol Hill is looking forward to being an affiliate school again next year!





Wednesday, June 4: Last day for Breakfast Club
Friday, June 6: School Professional Day (School not in session)
Tuesday, June 17: Farewell Campfire Assembly 1pm (all welcome to attend)
Friday, June 20: Sports Day / Early Dismissal 1pm

Tuesday, June 24: Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony 10:15am in the gym

Thursday, June 26: Last day of school / Report Cards home / 10am Dismissal