



February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Hi everyone, and Happy Friday,

Continuing with the idea of the lengthy road trip in last week's newsletter, this week it felt a little as though we were able to roll the windows down. With the sun shining and the forest shifting into its vibrant spring palette, the energy around the school has been transformed. It was a joy to see students trading their heavier coats for T-shirts this week and embracing the fresh air: an exciting foreshadowing (among many) of the season to come!



A major highlight of the week was the inaugural **Bike Train!** A huge thank you to Anmore parents Jordan Birch and JP Gaviria for organizing this endeavour, and to all the families who joined the ride along Sunnyside Road Thursday morning. Along with the clusters of Anmore students and families crowding the newly opened **Trails Coffee** in the afternoon sunshine, the rhythm and the laughter of these gatherings will continue to bring life to our community connections as the seasons change.

On the court, our **Anmore Bears basketball** players have shown huge growth in their playing in games against Mountain Meadows and Moody Elementary this week! Their improvement in both teamwork and skills has been commendable and fueled by the excellent coaching and support of Ms. Cullum and Ms. Kurita.

Some other highlights of the week have been students beaming with pride at seeing their names on our **Real Acts of Caring** board, getting themselves ready for **Jump Rope for Heart**, with Ms. Saloustris in the gym, and joining in on the hot chocolate sales to support the **Grade Five Leaving Ceremony** and events at the end of the year.

There has also been a joyful racket emanating from the multipurpose room, with a trove of instruments newly unearthed from a few cupboards and cabinets and tidied up with the help of a few keen student volunteers. There will be more to share about this story as it develops, you can rest assured!

Heading into the long weekend, or when you have a moment, please look at the links and calendar on the following page – things are getting busy, and there are many opportunities to take advantage of!

Wishing you a great Family Day Long weekend, in the meantime,

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## Reminders & Notes

- **Anmore Songs Project: [Community Music Survey](#)** (Please distribute to local friends and neighbors – the more the merrier!)
- **Donate to [Anmore Elementary's Jump Rope for Heart](#)** Heart and Stroke Foundation Fundraiser
- Sign up and/or Learn more about Anmore Elementary's newly christened **[Bike Train!](#)**

## Need to Know?

[Frequently Asked Questions](#)

[Absence Report](#)

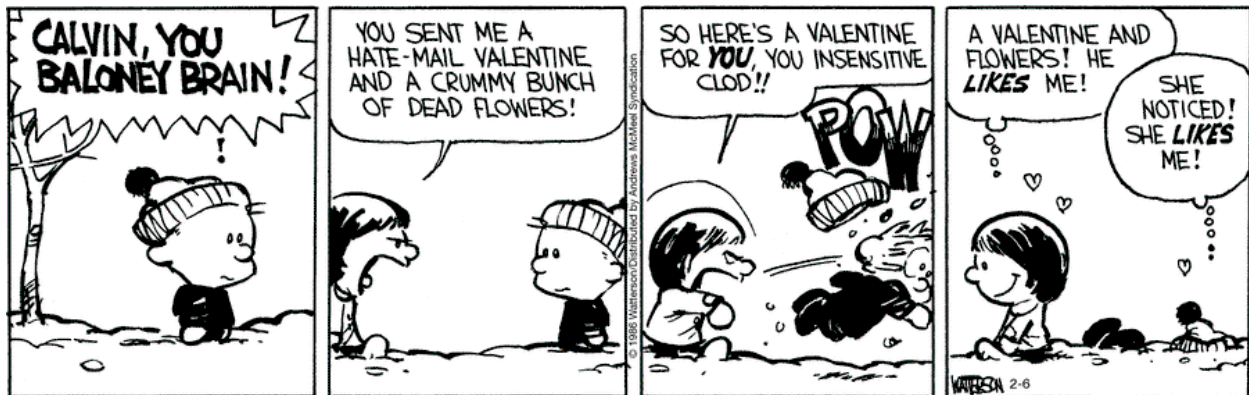
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## On the Calendar

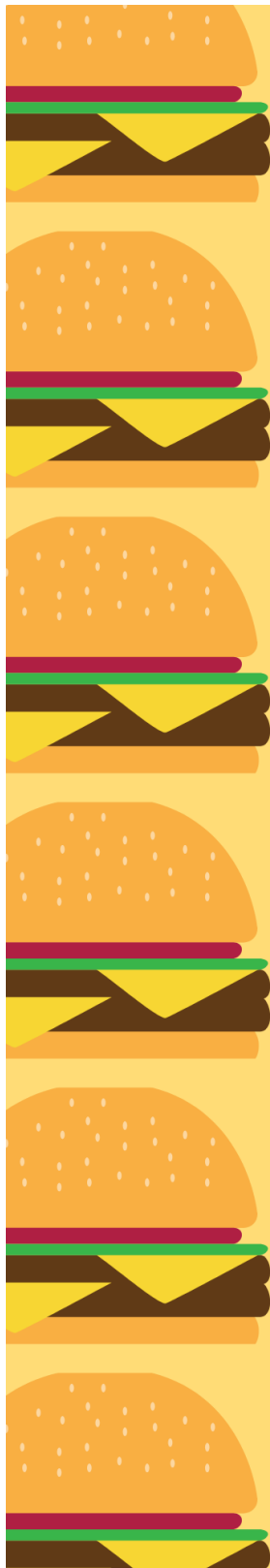
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
16 <sup>th</sup>  <i>Family Day Holiday (No School)</i>	17 <sup>th</sup> <b>Lunar New Year Beginning of Ramadan</b>  <i>Basketball Team Practice (8am)</i>  <i>Lunch Program: Yoga w/ Gabi (K-2)</i>  <i>After School Program Basketball (3pm-4pm)</i>  <i>Hot Chocolate Sale (Grade 5 Grad Fundraiser)</i>	18 <sup>th</sup>  <i>Vancouver Warrior Lacrosse Visit</i>  <i>Lunchbox Theatre (Matilda) @ lunchtime</i>  <i>After-School Program: Pop Song and Dance (3pm - 4:30pm) / Yoga w/ Gabi (3-3:45pm)</i>	19 <sup>th</sup>  <i>Hot Lunch (Lunar New Year Special!)</i>	20 <sup>th</sup>  <i>Div 2 – Red Cross 1<sup>st</sup> Aid Training</i>  <i>District Basketball Jamboree (Gleneagle Secondary 4pm- 6pm)</i>
23 <sup>rd</sup>  <i>Lunchbox Theatre (Matilda) @ Lunchtime</i>	24 <sup>th</sup>  <i>Basketball Team Practice (8am)</i>  <i>After School Program Basketball (3pm-4pm)</i>	25 <sup>th</sup>  <i>Lunchbox Theatre (Matilda) @ lunchtime</i>  <i>After-School Program: Pop Song and Dance (3pm - 4:30pm) / Yoga w/ Gabi (3-3:45pm)</i>	26 <sup>th</sup>  <i>Hot Lunch (Taps and Tacos)</i>	27 <sup>th</sup>  <i>District Professional Development Day (No School)</i>



# Anmore Moments

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ANMORE ELEMENTARY'S GRADE  
5 GRADUATION FUNDRAISER  
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TOGETHER TO CELEBRATE OUR  
GRADS AND MAKE THEIR BIG  
MILESTONE UNFORGETTABLE.

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# KIDS SPRING BREAK PROGRAMS

AT JAMES PARK SCHOOL



16-27  
March



For  
Grades  
K-Gr5

## ACTIVITIES

ART/DANCE, MULTISPORTS, SEWING.  
BASKETBALL AND MPOWER



Register Here:





# 2026



### NEW REGISTRATION PROCESS:

Summer Learning registration will be by lottery to ensure fair access for all students. Visit the [SD43SummerLearning.ca](http://SD43SummerLearning.ca) for more information about the lottery, registration, courses and locations.

## ELEMENTARY

July 7 – July 24, 9:00am - 12:00pm, 8 locations

K to 1 transition, English for Beginners, Visual & Performing Arts, French Immersion, Integrated Studies, Math, Reading & Writing, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, and more!

Lottery Registration: April 2 – 8, 2026 (Lottery Draw: Thursday, April 16, 2026)

## MIDDLE

July 7 – July 24, 8:45am - 11:45am, 3 locations

Band, Guitar, Creative Writing, Drama/Improv, English for Beginners, Guitar, Home Ec Culinary, Integrated Studies, English and French Immersion Language Arts, Mathematics, PE Leadership, Coding (Info Tech), Outdoor Science, STEAM, Tech Ed, Visual & Performing Arts, and more!

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## SECONDARY SKILL BUILDING

July 7 – July 24, 8:30am - 11:30am & 12:00pm - 3:00pm, 2 locations

Non-Credit Face-to-Face classes: English, English for Beginners, IB Math & Science, Jazz & Concert Band, Science, Home Ec, Sewing, 2D Animation, Metal & Wood Tech Ed, Math, Coding (Info Tech), Skills for Success. These non-credit courses may be taken to review previously covered course content or preview a course. Academic Completion 9/10 for Science & Math is only available by school referral.

Lottery Registration: April 28 – May 4, 2026 (Lottery Draw: Friday, May 8, 2026)

## SECONDARY FULL CREDIT

July 2 – August 6, 8:00am - 11:30am & 12:00pm - 3:30pm, 2 locations

Face-to-Face or Online Blended Fast Track: Life Science 11, Anatomy & Physiology 12; Career Life Education 10; Chemistry 11, 12; EAL 10, 11; English 10, 11, 12; English First Peoples 11, 12; Mathematics 10, 11, 12; Physics 11, 12; PHE 10; Socials 10, 11, Science 10.

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Free to all BC residents, SD43 Residency requirements apply. Courses and locations are subject to change.