

### HAZEL TREMBATH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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A few weeks ago the School District made their announcements regarding administrative changes for the 2025/26 school year. As a result, I will be moving to Harbour View Elementary School in Coquitlam for September 2025. It is hard for me to leave Hazel Trembath. Our community has gone through so much over the past few years, and I am hopeful that we will hear some positive news regarding the school rebuild timeline in the near future. I would like to thank all our families for the support they have provided our school during this challenging time. Without the strength of our staff and our Hazel community the past few years would have been much more difficult.

I am pleased to welcome Jason Hewlett as the new Principal. Jason is moving from his position as Principal at Mary Hill elementary. I have worked with Jason as a southside school administrator for the past few years. He brings a wealth of experience and knowledge with him and is very excited to be part of our community.

As always, May and June will be very busy at Hazel Trembath. Please make sure you are checking your child's agenda planner and the school calendar.

Dave Phelan

Principal

Hazel Trembath Elementary

#### **Important Dates**

May 21 <sup>st</sup>	District Track and Field Event
May 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Hot Lunch
May 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Jersey Day
May 30 <sup>th</sup>	Let it Glow!
June 5 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 6 for a Day
June 6 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Recognition Assembly
June 12 <sup>th</sup>	Kindergarten for a Morning
June 18 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 5 Leaving Ceremony at 1:00
June 25 <sup>th</sup>	Report Cards Published
June 26 <sup>th</sup>	Last Day of School- Students arrive at Old Hazel at 12:00

### **Public Speaking**

Our students have been very busy the past few weeks creating and presenting their speeches. Thanks to all of our teachers, especially Ms. Jack for all of their work and organization of the event. Our school finals were on May 15<sup>th</sup> Congratulations to all of our students for creating some wonderful speeches and to our winners, who will move on to the District Finals!

## District Track and Field Event- May 21st

Hazel Trembath will be participating in the District Track and Field Event on May 21<sup>st</sup>. Our Track and Field coaches have informed parents if their children (grades 3-5) are participating in the event. They have also provided information on the district standards that must be met, and the details for the day.

Special thanks to all of our teachers and the coaching they have done over their lunch breaks, and to our students for their hard work and effort in practice. Good luck!

### **Sports Recognition Assembly**

On Friday, June 6<sup>th</sup> we will be having our Sports Recognition assembly for students in grades 3-5 who have participated in one or more of the athletic activities offered this year. These include the Grade 5 Volleyball team, Grade 5 Basketball team, Como Lake Relay teams, and participants in the District Track and Field event. Teachers and students have put in a great deal of time and work into these activities, and we are very proud of their efforts! Parents are welcome to attend this event. We are also appreciative of the parent drivers and helpers for these events. If you are interested in volunteering next year please drop by or email the office and we can direct you to the proper forms.

#### Let It Glow!

Let it Glow! will be held on Friday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at Winslow Center. Thanks to the PAC for organizing this wonderful event, with many games and prizes, including a dunk tank! Online tickets sales have closed but there will still be wristbands and tickets available at the door. Reminder that parents/guardians are responsible for supervising their children at this event.

## PAC AGM- May 20th

Our staff would like to thank the Hazel Trembath PAC for the wonderful lunch provided for Staff Appreciation Day. It was fantastic. We would also like to thank parents for all of their donations to make this event possible.

The annual PAC AGM is May 20th (tonight) at Citadel Middle School at 7:00

## Kindergarten for a Morning- June 12th

Our students who will be in kindergarten next year will be visiting the school in the morning of June 12<sup>th</sup>. This will provide the opportunity for them to experience some of the activities and experiences of current kindergarteners. This is a continuation of our earlier Welcome to Kindergarten Event. Thanks to Mrs. Kask and Ms. Dawson for organizing and planning these days for our incoming Kindergarten students and families.

#### **Grade 5 Events**

There are a number of events in June as our grade 5 students spend their final month with us before moving on to middle school. The grade 5 Field Trip to Playland is on June 19<sup>th</sup> and The Grade 5 Leaving Ceremony is at 1:00 on June 18<sup>th</sup>. Parents can start arriving for the Leaving Ceremony at 12:50.

## Citadel Middle School Play- June 10th

Our entire school will be viewing Citadel Middle School's performance of Frozen on June 10<sup>th</sup>. Students will meet at the usual spot for bus pickup in the morning. Teachers will meet their students and walk them down to Citadel Middle School for the performance. The buses will then take the students to Hazel once the performance ends.

## **Online Report Cards**

The final report card for 2024/2025 will be available on June 25<sup>th</sup>. Please login to MYED BC to access your child's report card. If you have any questions, please contact the office.

# Last Day of School-Early Dismissal June 26th

The last day of school this year is Thursday, June 26<sup>th</sup>. Students are dismissed at 12:00 from the Old Hazel Trembath site (buses leave Winslow at 11:43 and arrive at Old Hazel at 12:00).

The first day of school will be on Tuesday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025.