

Bulldog Bulletin



May 6th - May 10th

May 6th

1 pm Vancouver Opera
The Flight of the Hummingbird

May 8th

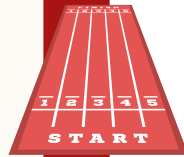
9:15 am Lockdown drill

May 9th

Zone Track & Field
Meet
at Minoru Park

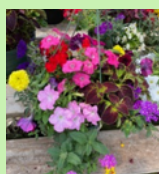
May 10th

**Sports Jersey
Spirit day**



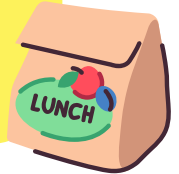
Friday May 10th

Hanging Flower Basket
Pick up after school
by the parking lot.



May 10th

HiFive Chicken
Hot Lunch



Upcoming Events

May 17th

Professional Day

May 20th

Victoria Day Holiday

May 22nd

1 to 2 pm in the gym
Welcome to Kindergarten



May 29th

1 pm WALKATHON

June 7th

Fun Day
Dismissal at 1:45 pm

June 12

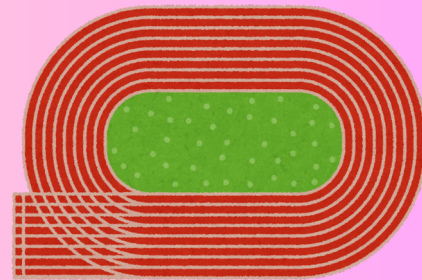
8:30 am Parent Appreciation
morning

June 14th

Grade 7s to Playland

Track and Field Meet at Minoru Park on May 9th, from 8:45 am to 2:45 pm

This year every school is assigned a separate drop-off zone to manage the traffic at the meet. Diefenbaker School drop off is by **TENNIS courts** on Gilbert Street and Granville Avenue.



Once again, we will need parent drivers to drive our students to Minoru Park. Thank you to all of you who are able to volunteer with driving our students to the meet. Please, let your child's classroom teacher know on the blue form whether you can drive your child and other students. Parking is very limited, please park in neighbourhood streets or at Brighthouse Park across Granville Avenue.

Students check-in at Diefenbaker tent and banner at LONG JUMP sand pit. Have your child check in with Mr. Mah or Mr. Leung when you arrive.

Diefenbaker was assigned LANE 3 or LANE 8 if needed.

When finished, please have your child to check out with Mr. Mah or Mr. Leung at long jump sand pit.

City of Richmond is very strict with the washroom use. Families can use the washrooms behind the Minoru Active Living building.

Thank you to so many of you who are volunteering with driving, at the meet and for your tremendous support of this exciting event!

TENNIS COURTS



From Diefenbaker PAC

it's almost
Mother's Day!



Diefenbaker PAC Flower Basket Fundraiser
Order Forms sent home
Order Deadline: April 29th

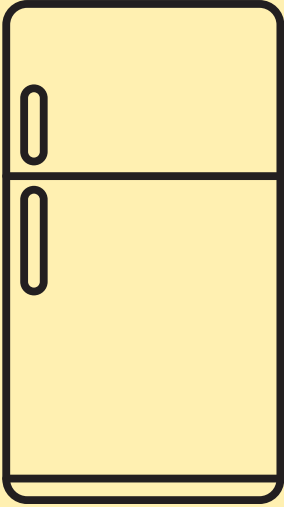
12" baskets
\$25 each

PARENT PICK UP AFTERSCHOOL MAY 10TH

size and variety of flowers will vary

Reminders

Community fridge



As you know we are fortunate to have new community fridge at our school. The food items in the fridge have become very popular with many of our students. We are finding that some of our students have packed sufficient and healthy lunches but they still come to help themselves to too many snacks in our fridge. As a result, there are not enough snacks left for students who need them. **We are asking that you speak with your child about using our school fridge responsibly. Thank you.**

Student illness

If your child is ill with fever, cough, runny nose or is throwing up, please keep them at home for at least 24 hours and until symptom free before going back to school. Thank you for your support in keeping our school community safe and healthy for everyone.



Staff Parking

Staff parking is for staff only. Also, please do not park on the road leading to the staff parking lot. Parents and caregivers are asked to park in the drop off area. If the area is full, then please park on the neighbourhood streets. Thank you for keeping the parking lot area safe for everyone.

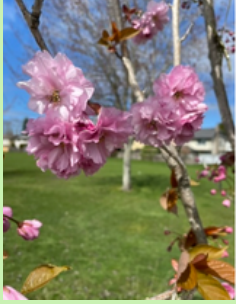


Kindness Umbrella



Kindness to Place

Earth Day Family Bulldog Teams



Diefenbaker students did a great job working together with others in our school community.

Our students had an opportunity to plant new seeds in our school garden, create posters about taking care of spaces at our school and learn more about where waste goes in our land.

Many teams also participated in the Great Diefenbaker School Clean-Up!

Do not waste food!

Recycle paper in the paper bin.



Don't step on the plants.

Put the soccer balls back in their place.



Get involved at our school with our PAC (Parent Advisory Council)

There are so many ways that parents of our students can get involved at our school. Here is how you can join:

Volunteer at the many events organized by PAC all year:

Hot lunches Fundraisers
Picnic in the Park and many others

At this year's PAC AGM on May 30th, we are seeking new

PAC secretary

Training will be provided for each of these positions alongside current PAC members.

Please, email diefenbakerPAC@gmail.com

if you are interested in taking on any one of the PAC roles, if you have questions or if you would like more information about the responsibilities each position entails.

