



## May 20<sup>th</sup> to May 24<sup>th</sup> 2024

Monday May 20 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday May 21 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday May 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Thursday May 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Friday May 24 <sup>th</sup>
VICTORIA DAY	ABCD  Grade 7 Tours	PLT Please visit this <a href="#">link</a> for sign up information. ABCD	PLT Please visit this <a href="#">link</a> for sign up information. ABCD	ABCD  Grade 9 Immunizations   Vesak/Wesak/Buddha Day/Visakha Puja



### Fundraiser for Palmer Gardening Club

The Palmer Gardening Club is hosting a plant sale fundraiser! Help us fill our garden with beautiful plants by buying plants for yourself. Go to <https://rcpalmer.growingsmilesfundraising.com/> to place your order by May 20. Plants will be ready for pick-up between 2:30 and 3:30PM on June 4. Contact Ms. Epp ([sepp@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:sepp@sd38.bc.ca)) if you have any questions.



### Grade 9 and 10 Immunizations

Any Grade 9 and 10 students who have outstanding immunizations will be receiving these on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup> at Palmer Secondary – these are Vancouver Coastal Health Immunizations and all students have been contacted by Vancouver Coastal Health if they have outstanding shots due!



### Valedictory Ceremony 2024

Our Valedictory Ceremony is taking place on Monday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at The Chan Centre. All grads attending will receive two guest tickets at the rehearsal lunch on June 7<sup>th</sup>. Additional ticket sales will open for Grads to purchase up to **TWO** tickets, during **LUNCH** only, between May 13<sup>th</sup> and May 16<sup>th</sup>. Please see Ms. Henry in the office to purchase tickets – using Cash or Cheque. Between Tuesday May 21<sup>st</sup> to May 24<sup>th</sup>, Grads will then be able to buy up to FIVE additional tickets from the Business Assistant, again **ONLY during LUNCH**. If there are any remaining tickets, these will be sold from May 27<sup>th</sup> to May 31<sup>st</sup>. No tickets will be sold in the office after May 31<sup>st</sup> 2024. Tickets are \$10 each. Grads **do NOT** need ticket for this event.

### Notice of Late Return 2024-2025

Families with students who will not be returning to school by noon on **Wednesday, September 4<sup>th</sup> 2024** are asked to complete the Notice of Late return form found on our [website](#) and submit it to the school's office. Please note that students must return by September 11<sup>th</sup> 2024 to ensure they retain their spot at Palmer. If you have any questions, please contact us at the school during regular office hours. This form needs to be completed and returned to Mr. Ghaug by **JUNE 21<sup>st</sup> 2024**.



### DATES TO REMEMBER:

May 30	Variety Night by Palmer Studios
Jun 4	Collaboration Day – PLT Bell Schedule
Jun 7	Valedictory Rehearsal (Block C & D)
Jun 10	Valedictory Ceremony @ UBC Chan Centre
Jun 11	Grad Walk @ 12:30pm
Jun 20	School Awards Ceremony (Gr. 8/9 Block B; Gr. 10-12 Block C)
Jun 21	End of Year Carnival (Early Dismissal at 1pm)

### Victoria Day – Monday May 20<sup>th</sup>

Victoria Day is a federal Canadian public holiday celebrated on the last Monday preceding May 25. Initially in honour of Queen Victoria's birthday, it has since been celebrated as the official birthday of Canada's sovereign. It is informally considered to be the beginning of the summer season in Canada.



### Full Credit Summer Coursework - IMPORTANT

Students and Guardians - Please ensure that your counsellor is aware of any Full Credit summer coursework you are undertaking. It is important for them to know these details to ensure that scheduling for next year is seamless.



### Summer 2024 Learning Program Catalogue

Please see our [website](#) regarding upcoming summer school options for both Continuing Education and Richmond Virtual School.

### Personal Learning Time - Wednesday and Thursday

Please ensure that students sign up for extra assistance. Sign up [HERE!](#) During PLT time, the school is open to all students, and teachers are onsite. Students will have access to teachers and departments, and a place/space to engage in their learning individually or collaboratively. Please visit our [website](#) for further details and information regarding signing up!



We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the *hən̓q̓əmin̓əm̓* (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live

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