

Sunday, May 10, 2026

Good afternoon, Sardis Families. I hope all the mothers and caregivers are enjoying this beautiful sunny Mother's Day! There are so many beautiful places to spend the day here, or perhaps you enjoy being home spending time with family there, but I hope your child(ren) are taking care to recognize all the special things you do for them. Here are some things for you to know as we head into week #37 at Sardis Elementary:

*This week will see our Grade 5 basketball teams finish the season with their tournaments at GWG at 3:15. The boys play their games on Tuesday, May 12th and the girls play on Wednesday, May 13th. Good luck to all the players and thanks to Mrs. Elliott, Ms. Warner, and Mrs. Campbell for their time coaching these teams!

*Wednesday, May 13th is the last day to order the Coco Sushi hot lunch that's taking place on Friday, May 22nd. Orders can be placed on MunchaLunch but just a reminder that they need to be paid within 2 hours of placing the order or the system will delete the order.

*Wednesday is also the Vedder Middle School Family Night event taking place for the Grade 5 families. This takes place at Vedder Middle and begins at 6:00 pm. This will be an opportunity for families to meet some staff, see the school, and ask questions if you have them.

*Thursday, May 14th is another theme day, this time it's Mismatch Spirit Day! On this day students (and staff) can wear mismatched socks, reversed clothes, and/or mixed patterns and colours as we embrace being unique and imperfect.

*Ms. Halvorson has started up the Chess Club and they meet on Thursdays at lunch for students in Grades 4 and 5. Last week there was a huge turn out and it was amazing to see so many students who already know how to play! We appreciate her providing them the opportunity to play each week in her portable.

*Chilliwack schools are closed on Friday, May 15th as it is a Pro-D Day. Staff who have participated in after school learning sessions over the course of the year will be off that day too so you may see them out doing things in the community.

*Friday is also the Home Alone course for those students in Grades 4 and 5 who signed up. The course will take place in the gym from 9:00 to 1:00 and students will be able to enter using the main gym doors just before 9:00.

*Monday, May 18th is the Victoria Day holiday so schools will be closed to students that day. We hope you can enjoy the 4-day weekend with them.

Last week students in the Rainbow Club created a beautiful chalk visual on the sidewalk at the front of the school. We appreciate the vibrant messages of positivity and acceptance they shared and hope you get a chance to see it before our next rainy day!

Mrs. Kasper