

Week at a Glance

June 23-June 27, 2025

Highland Park Elementary School

I went to extend a big THANK YOU to our caregiver community! From field trips, to treats, to helping with the lunch program, to special events, to classroom help and everything in between – we are very appreciative of the support for our students.

Best wishes to our grade 7 students as they move on to high school. I want to thank them for their leadership this year and wish them all the best for their next adventure.

Hope everyone has a safe, fun, and relaxing summer!



Monday, June 23

10:45 Doors open for Grade 7 Leaving
12:25 Gr. 7 lunch outside
12:45-2:20 Gr. 7 party
Gym closed

Tuesday, June 24

PAC Hot dog Lunch

Wednesday, June 25

PAC Breakfast Club takeover
9:00 Year End assembly
12:00 Dismissal
Report cards sent home on the portal

Thursday, June 26

8:30 Breakfast at Ricky's

18961 Advent Rd, Pitt Meadows, BC V3Y 2G4
(604) 465-6737

**Nothing planned other
than to have a restful,
well-deserved
summer break!!**



**See you back
September 2, 2025 @ 12:30!!**

Friday, June 27

MORE IMPORTANT NEWS

Medication

If your child has medication or epipens at school, please pick up at the office on the last day of school.

Moving?

Are you moving before September? Please let the office know.

Back to School – September 2 at 12:30pm

2025 – 2026 HIGHLAND PARK SCHOOL CALENDAR

Schools opening day for students (LATE START 12:30 PM – 2:20 PM)	Tuesday, September 2, 2025
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	Tuesday, September 30, 2025
<i>Non-instructional day (School Growth Planning Day)</i>	<i>Friday, October 10, 2025</i>
Thanksgiving Day	Monday, October 13, 2025
<i>Non-instructional day (province-wide)</i>	<i>Friday, October 24, 2025</i>
<i>Non-instructional day (school-based)</i>	<i>Monday, November 10, 2025</i>
<i>Remembrance Day</i>	Tuesday, November 11, 2025
Student Led Conference – Early Dismissal 11:30	Thursday, December 11, 2025
Student Led Conference – No School for Students	Friday, December 12, 2025
Last day before winter break	Friday, December 19, 2025
Winter break	Monday, December 22, 2025 to Friday, January 2, 2026
Schools reopen after break	Monday, January 5, 2026
<i>Non-instructional day (district-based)</i>	<i>Tuesday, January 27, 2026</i>
<i>Non-instructional day (school-based)</i>	Friday, February 13, 2026
<i>Family Day</i>	Monday, February 16, 2026
Student Led Conference - Early Dismissal 11:30	Thursday, March 12, 2026
Student Led Conference – No School for Students	Friday, March 13, 2026
Last day before spring break	Friday, March 13, 2026
Spring break	<i>Monday, March 16, 2026 to Friday, March 20, 2026</i>
<i>Schools not in Session</i>	Monday, March 23, 2026 to Friday, March 27, 2026
Schools reopen after break	Monday, March 30, 2026
Good Friday	Friday, April 3, 2026
Easter Monday	Monday, April 6, 2026
<i>Non-instructional day (district-based)</i>	<i>Wednesday, May 13, 2026</i>
Victoria Day	Monday, May 18, 2026
Last day for students (Students dismissed at noon)	Wednesday, June 24, 2026
Year-end administrative day	Thursday, June 25, 2026
Schools close for summer break	Thursday, June 25, 2026

MESSAGES FROM THE PAC

With the school year coming to an end and only a few PAC events left next week it's time to reflect on the year behind us. We couldn't have done it without the generous support of all HPE families, whether you purchased hot lunches, signed up to volunteer, diligently lined up every \$2 Tuesday with your kids, supported fundraisers, we saw you and appreciated your efforts. Highland Park is a magical place to be because of all of you.

Wishing students leaving to grade 8 in September a great start to high school, we'll miss all of your smiling faces. Thank you for all the help you provided the PAC over your years as eagles.

We have just a few events to look forward to the last 3 days! Dominos will be delivered to classes at lunch Monday for all those that pre ordered on Munchalunch. Our last froyo order will be delivered at the end of day Monday. A limited supply of extras will be available at the end of day, \$4 each, cash only.

Tuesday is whole school free hot dog day! Each student will receive one hot dog, chips & a treat.

Wednesday morning please join us by the back doors for a PAC breakfast club take over! Everyone welcome!!

With that we want to wish the 2025-2026 PAC executive well. Hand over will be completed for July 1st. If you'd like to get in touch with their hot lunch team to volunteer your support please continue reaching out to highlandpark.lunch@gmail.com

Hope you all have a relaxing summer! We'll see those of you returning to Highland Park in September :).

- *Table at open house
- *Welcome back sign
- *Provided teacher discretionary funds
- *Provided funds for each class for field trips
- *TOONIE TUESDAY all Tuesdays school was in session! Raised \$3907.85 for sd42 playground project
- *41 lunch & treat days
- *Halloween dance
- *Halloween movie night
- *Parent doormat painting night
- *Holiday market
- *Holiday concert treat sales
- *Whole school holiday lunch
- *Lunar new year gift to all students

- *Pink shirt day breakfast
- *Planting event
- *First used book sale
- *Bike to school week scavenger hunt
- *Provided funds to school for extracurricular sports equipment
- *Funded Saleema Noon body science presentations
- *Provided funds for staff led clubs
- *Celebrated National Doughnut day with doughnuts for all staff & students
- *Free treat days Tuesdays in June for all students
- *Contributed to grade 7 leaving
- *Contributed towards tennis lessons for all students

Embrace it, share it, celebrate it!

Canadian MULTICULTURALISM DAY

SATURDAY, JUNE 28 2025

10AM - 2PM

MEMORIAL PEACE PARK, MAPLE RIDGE

PHILIPPINES



HONGKONG

BRASIL

ROMANIA

MEXICO

BULGARIA



COLOMBIA

SOUTH
KOREA

UKRAINE

and many more!

EXPLORE OUR MULTICULTURAL PAVILIONS!

[#RIDGEMEADOWSMULTICULTURALISMDAY](#)

- MULTICULTURAL PERFORMERS
- KIDS ACTIVITIES
- MULTICULTURAL FOOD TRUCKS
- COMMUNITY RESOURCES
- HANEY FARMERS MARKET
- GAMES AND REWARDS

HOLI EVENT AND FOAM
IN PLACE

*Be prepared to get wet and
change colors!*

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Summer Camps



☀ Swimming Non-profit, child-centred, outdoor-based day camps
 ☀ Sports
 ☀ Arts & Crafts
 ☀ Table Games

June 27-August 29, 2025

www.RfCamps.com

☀ Forest Exploration
 ☀ Playground Games
 ☀ Talent Shows
 ☀ And much more!

TCMS

VISIT THIS LINK TO REGISTER TODAY!

[HTTPS://WWW.ZEFFY.COM/TICKETING/TCMS-
BASKETBALL-CAMP-2025](https://www.zeffy.com/ticketing/tcms-basketball-camp-2025)

2025

BASKETBALL CAMP

JULY 28-AUGUST 1

10AM-12PM EACH DAY

AGES 7-15

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**TCYBA IS LOOKING FOR COACHES, BOYS, AND GIRLS IN
GRADES K-12 TO FORM TEAMS IN PITT MEADOWS & MAPLE RIDGE**

WE HAVE GYMS AVAILABLE IN YOUR AREA!

CONTACT REGISTRAR@TCYBA.ORG FOR MORE INFO



JUS FUN BASKETBALL SUMMER CAMP (Co-ed)

**18961 Advent Rd, Pitt Meadows, BC V3Y 2G4
(604) 465-6737**

Get ready for an unforgettable summer of hoops, hustle, and fun at the Jus Fun Basketball Summer Camp! Designed for kids ages 5 to 13, this dynamic program focuses on skill-building in an energetic and supportive environment.

Camp Dates:

- Session 1: July 6 – July 29, 2025
- Session 2: August 5 – August 31, 2025

Time:

- Tuesdays: 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM
- Sundays: 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM

Location: Gymnasium Full – Maple Ridge Leisure Centre

Each session is structured in a fun, game-style format that emphasizes player development and teamwork. Participants will work on core basketball skills such as shooting, layups, dribbling, and passing. Every session ends with exciting 3-on-3 games that encourage players to apply what they've learned in real-game situations. Whether your child is a beginner or looking to sharpen their game, this camp promises a summer of growth, confidence, and fun on the court!

Participants are encouraged to bring their own basketball if they have one.

For more information, email jus.fun.basketball@gmail.com

JUST FUN GIRLS BASKETBALL CAMP

Ready to elevate your game? Join us this summer for basketball, fun, and skill-building!

Time: Sundays 10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Location: Maple Ridge Leisure Centre

Session 1: July 6 - July 27, 2025

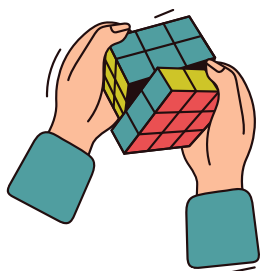
Session 2: August 10 - August 31, 2025

Each 60-minute session includes:

- 20-minute Skill Development (Shooting, Layups, Dribbling, Passing, Agility)
- 35-minute Full Court Game Play

Whether you're new to basketball or looking to sharpen your skills, this program is all about building confidence, teamwork, and a love for the game! Bring your own basketball if you have one. Don't miss your chance to play, learn, and have fun!

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SPEEDCUBING **IN MAPLE RIDGE**

Free cubing meetup for all ages and all levels!

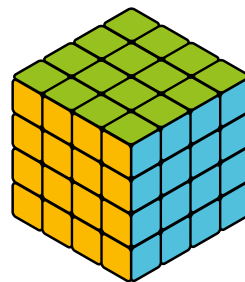
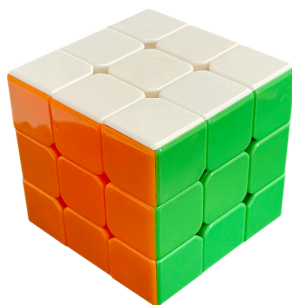
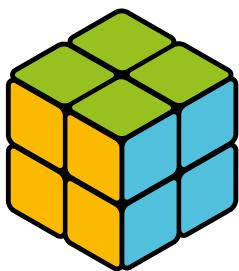
Wednesday, August 13, 2025

5:30pm-7:30pm

Albion Community Centre - Social Heart

24165 104 Ave, Maple Ridge, BC

Registration not required.



Speedcubing Competition!
Saturday, September 6, 2025

Albion Community Centre - Great Hall

24165 104 Ave, Maple Ridge, BC

**REGISTRATION WILL OPEN ON
MONDAY, JUNE 23, 2025 AT 5PM**

Scan to Register



Education Assistant Program at Ridge Meadows College

If you or someone you know may be interested in a career working with children and youth with diverse abilities, Ridge Meadows College (operated by SD42) still has seats available for the September cohort of its Education Assistant (EA) program.

The demand for this job is high as the province faces a shortage of EAs and virtually all graduates of the program move on to work in school districts across B.C., including Maple Ridge – Pitt Meadows School District No. 42. Courses take place Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings and sometimes on Saturdays. If you'd like to learn more about the program, you can visit the website at <https://rmcollege.sd42.ca/program/education-assistant/> or register for the next [information session](#) taking place on July 9, 2025.